



HMS Welcomes Former WEBMD Executive As Chief Technology Officer

HMS taps WebMD executive for key technology role

HMS (NASDAQ: HMSY) today announced it has appointed Jacob Sims as Senior Vice President and Chief Technology Officer effective April 30th 2018. In this role, Sims will lead the technology vision, strategy and execution of HMS' data science, advanced analytics and services platform. He will also play a key role in applying valuable technologies to existing products and services as well as developing new solutions. Most recently he served as Chief Technology Officer and Interim Head of Product for WebMD Health Services where he led the development and execution of the company's unified product and technology strategies.

"I am delighted to welcome Jacob to the HMS team," said Bill Lucia, HMS' chairman and CEO. "Jacob has demonstrated ability to leverage technology to drive healthcare innovation in both entrepreneurial and large global organizations. He will be instrumental in executing our product development plans while increasing the value of our existing cost containment and member engagement solutions."

Sims brings significant experience leading large-scale healthcare IT organizations and specializes in transformative initiatives and data-centric product cultivation. Before joining WebMD, Sims was Vice President of Development and Technology for Premise Health where he drove the development of multiple new product lines. Prior to Premise Health, he was Vice President of Technology for Xerox and Chief Technology Officer for Credence Health.

"I am thrilled to be joining the HMS team," said Sims. "HMS has been a leader in healthcare analytics and I'm excited to be part of their next phase of product innovation."

Sims will report to Lucia and serve as a member of the HMS senior leadership team. He will be based in HMS' corporate headquarters in Irving, Texas.

About HMS

HMS advances the healthcare system by helping payers reduce costs and improve health outcomes. Through our industry-leading technology, analytics and engagement solutions, we save billions of dollars annually while helping health plan members lead healthier lives. HMS provides a broad range of coordination of benefits, payment integrity, care management and member engagement solutions that help move the healthcare system forward. Visit us at www.hms.com or follow us on Twitter at @HMSHealthcare.



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