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## **OUR ROADMAP AND PLAN**

A digitally transformed, innovative enterprise with diverse capabilities to help clients solve their most pressing labor challenges



## **Enablers** for Success

#### MISSION

Connecting people and jobs through intuitive technologies and innovative solutions, we enable healthcare practitioners and organizations to achieve their goals, always ensuring clinical excellence and exceptional patient care comes first.

#### **VALUES**

We are Cross Country... Guided by our core values, how we conduct our business, how we treat our employees and how we serve our customers is what defines us!

#### **We Are Connected**

Providing an effortless experience with simplicity and ease-of-use.

### We Are Accountable

Operating with the highest level of integrity and respect.

## **We Are Compassionate**

Nurturing relationships with those we serve.

### We Are Driven

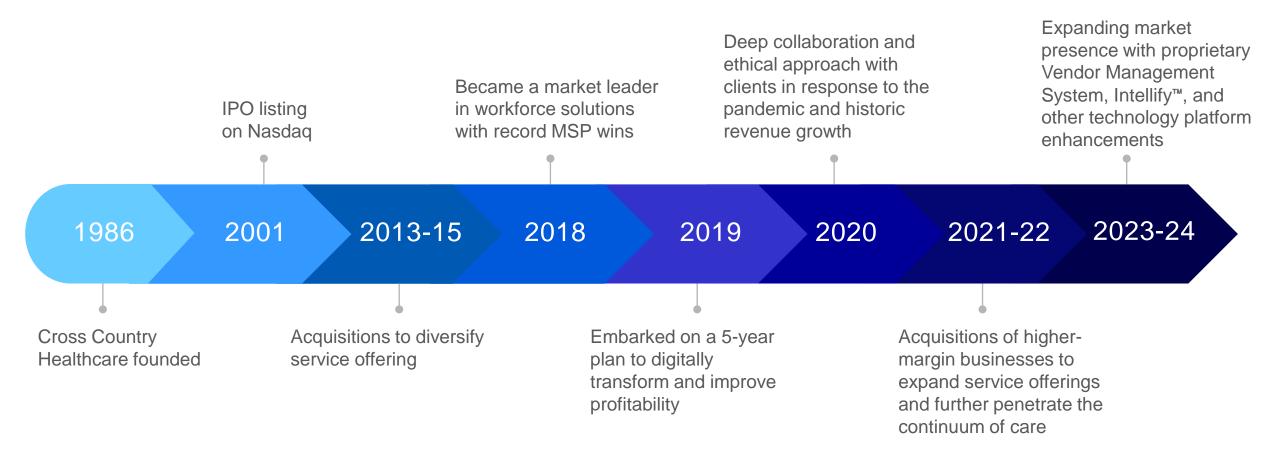
Delivering proven quality service and excellence.

## We Are Entrepreneurial

Fostering creativity that encourages innovation and fun.



## **Proud Legacy**



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## A Forward-Thinking Leadership Team

Seasoned, progressive and innovative management with proven ability to navigate and succeed in a highly competitive, rapidly changing and growing market



John Martins
President & CEO



William J. Burns EVP & CFO



Susan E. Ball EVP, General Counsel & Chief Admin Officer



Marc Krug Group President, Delivery



Colin McDonald SVP, CHRO



Pamela Jung President, WSG



Philip Noe
Chief Information Officer



Amiee Hawkins
Chief Solutions Officer



**Gerald Purgay**Chief Marketing Officer



James Redd Chief Accounting Officer



## Diversified, Experienced Board Composition



W. Larry Cash
Retired President, Financial
Services and Chief Financial
Officer, Community Health
Systems



Kevin C. Clark
Co-Founder and former Chief
Executive Officer



John Martins
President and Chief Executive
Officer



Gale Fitzgerald
Retired Former Principal
of TranSpend, Inc.



Dwayne Allen
Chief Technology Officer
of Unisys Corporation



Janice E. Nevin, M.D., MPH
President and Chief Executive
Officer, ChristianaCare



Mark Perlberg
Managing Director,
Nautic Partners, LLC



Venkat Bhamidipati
Former Chief Financial Officer
of McAfee



#### **OUR CLIENTS**

## The Trusted Partner to Health Systems and School Districts Across the Nation























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## **ESG** is Engrained in Our Core Values

#### Corporate Social Responsibility: Together, We Are One

Placing talent where it is needed most. Our purpose is to fulfill the needs of healthcare facilities across the country while offering a world of opportunities to skilled healthcare professionals.

#### **We Care:** Putting Our Planet First



~14k lbs

In 2023, we recycled 13,603 lbs of electronic waste through our certified third-party vendor.



100%

One hundred percent of our shredded, secured documents were recycled in 2022. Additionally, Cross Country Healthcare participates in a recycling program for glass, metals and most forms of plastic.



17k+

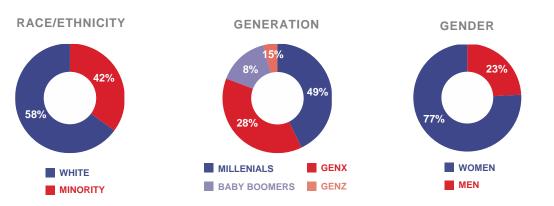
At our corporate office, we saved 17,700 gallons of water in 2021, and in 2022 began installing water-efficient technologies.



100k

In 2022, Cross Country Healthcare supported a community initiative to plant over 100,000 trees in the Northwest region of the US.

#### **We Empower:** Putting Our People First



#### **We Serve: Putting Our Community First**



In 2023, we raised and donated approximately \$300k to nearly 30 non-profit partner organizations.

## We support a wide variety of non-profits, including:

- Alzheimer's Association
- American Red Cross
- America Foundation for Suicide
   Prevention
- · American Heart Association

- American Rivers
- Florida Diversity Council
- · Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
- Mission 22
- National Black Nurses Association
- Scholarship Fund at FAU
- And many more



## **Operational Vision**



Exceptional candidate and client experience



Consultative and insights driven sales approach



Innovative integrated IT platform



High productivity and speed to market



Sophisticated leading edge digital marketing



Efficient tech-enabled shared services



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## **Comprehensive Capability Portfolio**



## Staffing Solutions

- Nurse and Allied
- Locums
- Advanced Practitioners
- Educators
- Non-clinical



## Workforce Solutions

- Managed Service Programs
- Channel Partnerships
- Labor Disruption
- Rapid Response
- Vendor Neutral Programs

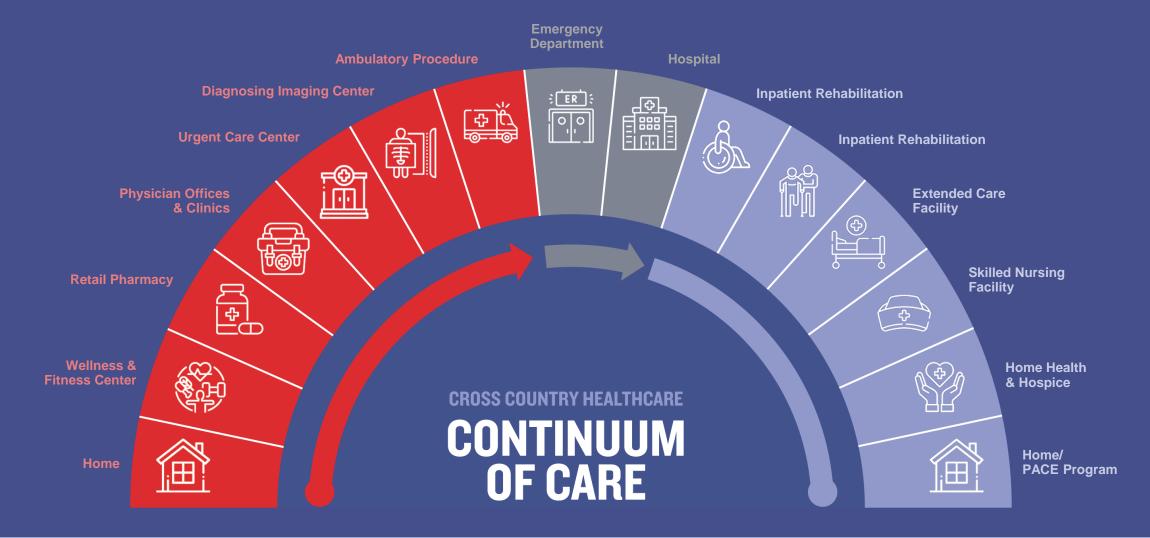


## Workforce Advisory

- Recruitment Process Outsourcing
- Permanent Placements
- Project Management
- Resource Pool Management
- Interim Leadership
- Market Insights



## Spanning the Continuum of Care





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## **Healthcare Market Dynamics**

#### **GENERAL TRENDS**

Given the fluidity and speed of Covid and flu spread, demand remains highly volatile across specialties and geographies.

As bill rates normalize, for how long they will remain above pre-Covid levels remains uncertain.

Fee for value environment with higher emphasis on quality care and patient experience.

Increased adoption of strategic staffing partnerships such as MSPs on the rise.

Shift from acute to outpatient and ambulatory care centers.

Highly fragmented market that favors companies of scale

#### **SUPPLY & DEMAND**

Supply and demand imbalance likely to exacerbate as healthcare professionals experience fatigue or burnout and seek to leave the workforce or retire early.

Persistent clinician shortages continue to keep compensation high and put downward pressure on billpay spreads. Additionally, there are new and emerging roles that are needed within hospitals.

1M+

New RNs needed by 2030 to avoid a labor shortage

1/3

Current RNs will reach retirement in the next 10 years

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

The gig economy requires agile and mobile solutions, with tech enabled services and data analytics gaining adoption.

Additionally, there is increased utilization of systems to attract candidates and interact with clients. Predictive intelligence, real time dashboards, and artificial intelligence are all gaining momentum.

People in U.S. who searched for or found a job on Facebook

All Indeed hires made in the U.S. by online sources

#### **AGING DEMOGRAPHICS**

America's aging population is driving an increased need for nurses to administer care. By 2040, about one in five Americans will be age 65 or older, up from about one in eight in 2000.

Furthermore, the aging crisis is further compounded by the prevalence of chronic disease and corresponding increased expected end of life spend from Medicare.

36% Growth of the 65-and-older population as of 2020

Projected increase in aging population from 2020-2030

Per the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Census Bureau, The American Nurses Association, Future of Nursing 2020-2030, Morning Consult and Indeed.com



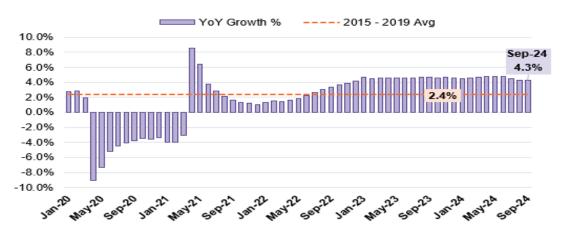
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## **Healthcare Labor Market Trends**

#### **Economic Update**

- Healthcare jobs represented 26% of all job growth over the last twelve months
- Sep 2024 employment increased ~4.0% compared to the prior year
- Hospital wages increased from \$41.26 in Aug '23 to \$42.69 in Aug '24, an increase of 3.5%
- Ambulatory wages increased from \$37.71 in Aug '24 to \$39.05 in Aug '24, an increase of 3.6%
- Sep '24 YTD open to hire ratio is 2.1x

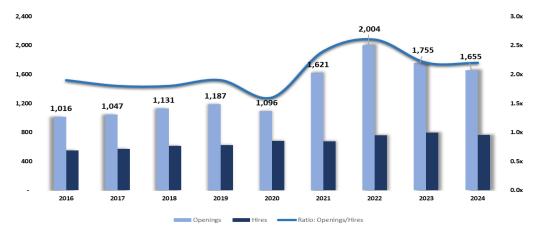
#### Healthcare Employment Trends<sup>1</sup>



1: Based on the Bureau of Labor Statistics - Employment, Hours, and Earnings from the Current Employment Statistics Survey (National), August 2024

#### **Healthcare Staffing Projections** \$75.0 110% 89% 90% \$60.0 \$55.5 70% \$47.5 \$45.0 \$45.0 50% 30% \$30.0 10% \$15.0 -10% Ş--30% 2019 2021 2022 2023P 2024P 2025P Allied/Other Locum Tenens ──YoY Growth

**Job Openings vs Hires** 



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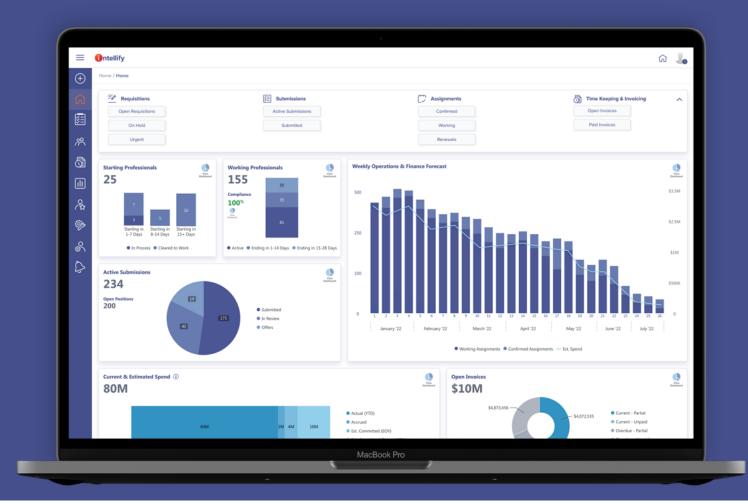
Sources: SIA (Sept. 2024) and the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics JOLTS data (through Sept. 2024)



# Cross Country Healthcare: Technology-Enabled Evolution

## Intellify: A Comprehensive Tech-Enabled Workforce Platform

Intellify<sup>TM</sup> is our proprietary
Vendor Management System
(VMS) that automates the
process of finding, scheduling
and managing staff
via one centralized platform





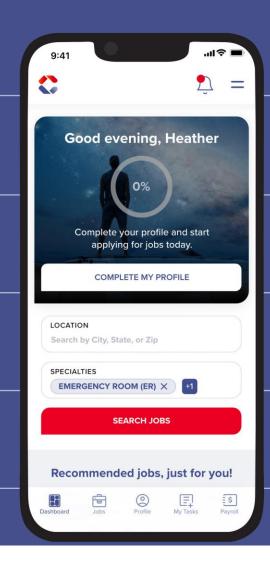
## OUR INTELLIFY CLIENT PORTAL

Client Needs

Integration and Partnership

Machine Learning/ Artificial Intelligence

Time to Market



**Customer Data** 

**Smart Schedule** 

**Vendor Neutral** 

**Talent Forecasting** 



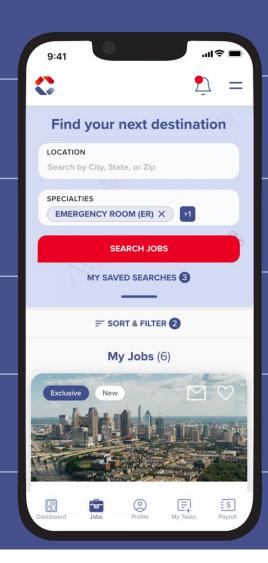
## **XPERIENCE CANDIDATE PORTAL**

Digital Credentialing Wallet

Candidate Loyalty

Machine Learning/ Artificial Intelligence

Real Time Notifications



**Instant Interviews** 

**Quick Extensions** 

Job Offers

Pay Package Quotes



## Investment Highlights & Financial Overview

## **Key Investment Rationale**

#### **DIGITAL INNOVATION**

Modernizing and integrating our technology ecosystem and digitally transforming our enterprise to improve speed to market, cost efficiencies and productivity

#### COMPREHENSIVE SUITE OF SERVICES

Temporary and permanent staffing solutions (clinical and non-clinical), workforce solutions, workforce advisory services

## FAVORABLE MARKET DYNAMICS

Aging demographics, job openings and turnover coupled with supply and demand imbalance. Projected growth in general healthcare and large and growing healthcare staffing market

#### SCALABLE BUSINESS MODEL

Ability to anticipate and respond to changing market dynamics to maximize operating leverage

## FINANCIAL STRENGTH

Strong cash flow generation, debt-free balance sheet, opportunity for margin accretion and M&A activity



## **Selected Financial Metrics**

	Q3 2024
Revenue	\$315.1
Gross Margin %	20.4%
Adj EBITDA\$	\$10.3
Adj EBITDA %	3.3%
Adj EPS	\$0.12

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### Q4'24 GUIDANCE

- Revenue......\$300M-\$310M
- Adj EBITDA.....**\$11M-\$13M**
- Adj EPS......**\$0.10**—**\$0.14**

#### Q3'24

- Revenue, Adjusted EBITDA, and Adjusted EPS all within guidance ranges
- Physician Staffing and Homecare Staffing experienced year-over-year revenue growth

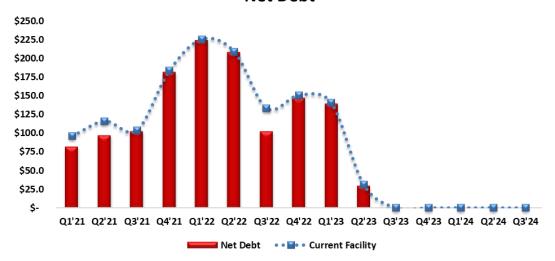
Dollars in millions, except Adj EPS



## **Liquidity Profile**







Cash Flow From Operations (QTD)	\$7.5M
Current Facility	\$0M
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$64M
Net Funded Debt (a)	\$0M
Total Net Leverage Ratio (b)	~0.0x
Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio (c)	~1.3x

#### **CAPITAL ALLOCATION STRATEGY**

- Targeted Investments
- Strategic, Accretive, Acquisitions
- Share Repurchases

- (a) Term loan & ABL balance \$0 at end of quarter
- (b) Net Funded Debt at period end divided by Adj. EBITDA (on TTM basis)
- (c) EBITDA less capital expenditures, taxes paid, and restricted payments divided by fixed charges (on TTM basis)



## Capital Allocation Strategy

Target Annual Free
Cash Flow (FCF)
Generation >60% of
AEBITDA

Estimate ~15%-25% of FCF towards

Debt Service

#### Growth

Disciplined M&A strategy
Continued technology investments
~\$20M per year

### **Share Repurchases**

\$126M, or 5.8M shares, repurchased since August 2022
\$40M remaining on the \$100M authorization

**Significant Cash Flow Generation** 

#### Leverage

Optimal leverage <2x Max leverage 3.5X

## **Flexibility**

Maintain available debt capacity >\$50M Enable long-term value creation Estimate ~5-15% of FCF towards Share Repurchases, depending on share price and valuations

Sufficient Liquidity to be Opportunistic
Potential to accelerate certain investments



## **Investment Summary & Key Priorities**





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## **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

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This presentation also references pro-forma information which reflects the impact from acquisitions and divestitures as of the beginning of periods being presented or compared.

Adjusted EBITDA is defined as net income (loss) attributable to common stockholders before interest expense, income tax expense (benefit), depreciation and amortization, acquisition and integration-related costs, restructuring (benefits) costs, legal settlements and fees, impairment charges, gain or loss on derivative, loss on early extinguishment of debt, gain or loss on disposal of fixed assets, gain or loss on lease termination, gain or loss on sale of business, other expense (income), net, equity compensation, and applicant tracking system costs.

Adjusted Earnings Per Diluted Share (EPS) is defined as net income (loss) attributable to common stockholders per diluted share before the diluted EPS impact of acquisition and integration-related costs, restructuring (benefits) costs, legal settlements and fees, impairment charges, gain or loss on derivative, loss on early extinguishment of debt, gain or loss on sale of business, applicant tracking system costs, and nonrecurring income tax adjustments.

Free Cash Flow (FCF) is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined as cash provided by or used in operations, less capital expenditures.

