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## LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required To Complete This Page

1. Registrant Name <u>American Association for Homecare</u>			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported <u>625 Slaters Lane, Suite 200, Alexandria, VA 22314</u>			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: _____ State/Zip (or Country) _____			
4. Contact Name <u>Thomas Connaughton</u>	Telephone <u>703-836-6263</u>	E-mail (optional)	5. Senate ID # <u>55792</u>
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # <u>351670</u>

**TYPE OF REPORT** 8. Year 2002 Midyear (January 1-June 30)  OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report  ⇒ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_ 11. No Lobbying

### INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

12. Lobbying Firms	13. Organizations
INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:	EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:
Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>	Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ _____ Income (nearest \$20,000)	\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇒ \$ <u>320,000.00</u> Expenses (nearest \$20,000)
Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).	14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate accounting method. See instructions for description.
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA deferral
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6013 Internal Revenue Code
	<input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162 Internal Revenue Code

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name and Title Thomas A. Connaughton, President and CEO



Registrant Name American Association For Homecare Client Name American Association for Homecare

**LOBBYING ACTIVITY.** Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which the engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. Using a separate page for each cod information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

CPI update for medical equipment and oxygen and oxygen equipment  
Elimination of 15% cut to home health care reimbursement  
Medicare reform proposals  
Medicare prescription drug proposals


17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted  Check if None

US House of Representatives  
US Senate  
Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

Name	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Thomas A. Connaughton	
Asela M. Cuervo	
Seth Johnson	
Mary Lacey Reuther	
Shelagh Foster	
Ann Howard	

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above  Check if None

Signature  Date August 13, 200

Printed Name and Title Thomas A. Connaughton, President and CEO

