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**Professional Risk Appointed Agent for New Ob-Gyn Risk Alliance, Underwritten by ProAssurance**

RICHMOND, Virginia (April 18, 2011) – Professional Risk Associates has been selected by ProAssurance to offer a new medical professional liability insurance program specifically for Ob-Gyns, the Ob-Gyn Risk Alliance risk purchasing group, underwritten by ProAssurance.

“This is a great example of a major medical professional liability insurance carrier partnering with members of the Pro Assurance Agent’s Leadership Group to provide a much needed insurance program created specifically for Ob-Gyn physicians and their practices,” said John Glander, president of Professional Risk. “The combination of the expertise of the Ob-Gyn Alliance staff and the Professional Risk staff will ensure that participating physicians will receive the most appropriate policy and top tier risk management programs designed specifically for Ob-Gyns plus the advantage of a special premium.”

Research by the American Medical Association shows that Ob-Gyns are sued for malpractice more often than any other specialties. The Ob-Gyn Risk Alliance will address the special patient safety and professional liability insurance needs that only obstetricians and gynecologist experience.

ProAssurance is the fourth largest writer of medical professional liability insurance in the US and is rated “A” (Excellent) by A.M. Best and “A” by Fitch Ratings. ProAssurance has a long history of being one of the most financially strong medical professional liability carriers and provides an unfettered defense for its insured physicians in the event of a claim.

Professional Risk Associates is a major medical professional liability insurance agency that has served the physician community for over 20 years. Professional Risk focuses only on physician medical professional liability insurance coverage for its clients in the mid-Atlantic area. To find out more, please visit [www.profrisk.com](http://www.profrisk.com).

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