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**American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition (A.S.P.E.N.)
Selects SAGE to Publish its Journals Beginning March 2008**

Los Angeles, London, New Delhi, and Singapore (February 27, 2008) – SAGE, the world's fifth largest journals publisher, is pleased to announce that as of March 2008 it will publish the *Journal of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition (JPEN)* and *Nutrition in Clinical Practice (NCP)* both for A.S.P.E.N., the American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition.

"A.S.P.E.N.'s journals have consistently been rated our top member benefit; the partnership with SAGE will expand our readership far beyond the limits imposed by self-publication," said Bridget Struble, Publications Manager at A.S.P.E.N. "The marketing and online distribution benefits alone made SAGE the obvious choice for us."

Both titles are currently hosted online via HighWire Press and will be added to *SAGE Journals Online (SJO)*, recently named "Best Platform" by the Professional and Scholarly Publishing division of the Association of American Publishers. This transition is expected to be quick as HighWire is SAGE's technology partner for SJO. For the first time, libraries will now have access to COUNTER compliant usage statistics for *JPEN* and *NCP*. The journals' sites will now also include advanced search features, articles published ahead of print with OnlineFirst, and Web 2.0 features such as PDA article downloading and RSS feeds.

The first SAGE issue of *JPEN* will be March/April 2008 and *NCP* will debut in April/May 2008. *JPEN* will be available on SJO at <http://jpen.sagepub.com> and *NCP* at <http://ncp.sagepub.com>.

"*JPEN's* ultimate goal is to continue to be the premier clinical nutrition journal publishing cutting-edge science in the fields of nutrition therapeutics, mechanistic and translational science, and nutrition-based clinical trials," commented Dr. Paul Wischmeyer, Editor-in-Chief of *JPEN*. "This new partnership with SAGE is a true watershed moment in the history of our journal, which will greatly enhance the availability and impact of our journal in the rapidly growing field of nutrition therapy."

"*NCP*, as the premier nutrition support practice journal, educates nutrition professionals and promotes evidence-based nutrition support practices," said Dr. Jeanette Hasse, *NCP* Editor-in-Chief. "Our partnership with SAGE will allow us to broaden our readership and expand our efforts to disseminate important information on specialized nutrition."

"SAGE has seen significant growth in its science, technology and medical (STM) portfolio," stated Jayne Marks, SAGE Vice President of Global Journals Business Development. "SAGE aims to be the natural home for societies such as A.S.P.E.N. and we will collaborate with them and the editors to take their journals to the next level of visibility and prestige."

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A.S.P.E.N.'s mission is to improve patient care by advancing the science and practice of nutrition support therapy. A.S.P.E. N. was founded in 1975 by 35 dedicated healthcare professionals for the purpose of providing optimal nutrition to all people under all conditions at all times. The Society began publishing a scientific journal in 1977, the *Journal of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition*, and a clinical practice journal in 1985, *Nutrition in Clinical Practice*. www.nutritioncare.org

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