



## **National Health Care Supply Chain Week Key Messages**

**October 1-7, 2023**

National Health Care Supply Chain Week (SC Week), October 1-7, 2023, is an opportunity to recognize the importance of the health care supply chain professionals and honor them for their exceptional contributions to patient care and the innovative ways in which they support their health care organizations and communities.

The theme this year “The Power of Partnerships” celebrates the central role of health care supply chain professionals in supporting their organizations through incredible collaboration and maximizing scarce resources by forming strategic alliances – the true embodiment of advancing health care through supply chain excellence. Below are a few key messages that you can share:

- Supply Chain Week recognizes the impact of health care supply chain professionals and their role in patient care and organizational excellence.
- As health care supply chain professionals, we play a critical role in our organizations’ efforts to deliver high quality care at an affordable cost to patients.
- Supply Chain Week honors supply chain professionals who ensure that clinicians have access to essential medical products so they can deliver life-saving care to patients.
- Supply chain professionals ensure operational performance by collaborating and innovating with other professionals in the areas of finance, operations, patient safety, resiliency, data standards, and environmental sustainability.