



**Inc. Magazine Unveils Its Annual
Exclusive List of
America's Fastest-Growing Private Companies**



August 13, 2012 – Astyra Corporation has once again been named on the Inc. 500|5000 list, an exclusive ranking of the nation's fastest-growing private companies. The list represents the most comprehensive look at the most important segment of the economy—America's independent entrepreneurs.

This represents the fourth consecutive year that Astyra Corporation has been included on Inc.'s fastest growing private companies list, which speaks to the value of Astyra Corporation's services provided to our customers.

Astyra shares a pedigree with many prominent brands also featured on the list, such as Intuit, Zappos, Under Armour, Microsoft, Jamba Juice, Timberland, Pandora, Facebook, and Levi Strauss among others.

"To rank among the 2012 Inc. 5000, your company had to thrive through three of the toughest years this economy has seen in living memory," said Eric Schurenberg, Inc. Magazine Editor in Chief. Mr. Schurenberg goes on to say "Your success in such times is eloquent testimony to your team's creativity, resilience, and tenacity."

Astyra's founders, Ken Ampy and Sam Young, were elated. Mr. Ampy reflects, "It's been difficult sustaining our level of growth over such a prolonged period. This award represents the tremendous effort that has been given." Mr. Young goes on to say, "Our internal associates as well as our consultants in the field should be extremely proud of their contributions to this achievement; in particular, those who have been with us for the entire ride."

Inc. will hold its annual conference and awards ceremony October 3 – 5 in Phoenix.

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About Astyra Corporation

Founded in 1997, Astyra Corporation (www.astyra.com) is an award-winning staffing, outsourcing and consulting firm. Headquartered in Richmond, VA, Astyra Corporation provides highly skilled people to fill opportunities at various clients throughout the United States. Clients range from government agencies and financial institutions to engineering firms.

About Inc. Magazine

Founded in 1979, *Inc.* is the only major business magazine dedicated exclusively to owners and managers of growing private companies.

The 2012 Inc. list is ranked according to percentage revenue growth when comparing 2008 to 2011. To qualify, companies must have been founded and generating revenue by March 31, 2008. Additionally, they had to be U.S.-based, privately held, for profit, and independent—not subsidiaries or divisions of other companies—as of December 31, 2011. A complete list of the Inc. 5000 can be found at www.inc.com/5000.

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