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**CHILD GUIDANCE CENTER RECEIVES \$1,500 CVS CAREMARK COMMUNITY GRANT**

*Grant Helps Cover Mental Health Services for Uninsured & Underinsured Children*

STAMFORD, CT/MAY 20, 2008 – The Child Guidance Center of Southern Connecticut (CGC), a non-profit agency providing professional mental health services to children, teenagers, and their families, has received a \$1,500 CVS Caremark Community grant. This funding will help subsidize mental health diagnostic and treatment services for uninsured and underinsured families, narrowing the gap between service costs and patients’ ability to cover them.

“Among the more than 2,100 area children we serve, 20 percent are uninsured. With fees charged on a sliding fee scale, these families require the highest level of subsidy,” said CGC Executive Director Sherry Perlstein. “This grant will help us maintain our historic pledge to provide the same access and quality standards for all our patients, regardless of their ability to pay.”

Child Guidance Center was selected to receive a grant through the CVS Caremark Community Grants 2008 Grant application process. Grants were awarded to organizations that share a common interest with CVS Caremark of supporting programs for the uninsured, which help to make health services affordable and easy to access. The goal of the program is to provide relief for both adults and children who lack medical insurance to get the proper medical attention needed.

"Through this grant, we are assuring that more children in Stamford receive needed care, that the care received is of high quality, and that the uninsured are served by medical providers

and professionals who are dedicated to improving their lives and the lives of others," said Laura Underwood, area vice president, Stamford, CVS/pharmacy.

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The Child Guidance Center of Southern Connecticut is a non-profit mental health resource, serving children and teenagers in Stamford, Greenwich, Darien, and New Canaan, both self referred and through referrals from schools, courts, human service agencies, and physicians. The CGC's clinical staff of psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, and marriage and family therapists work with more than 2,100 children annually, providing culturally competent and sensitive care to families representative of the rich ethnic mix of communities CGC serves. Preventative services are provided to youngsters, parents, and professionals through public education and consultation programs. Incorporated in 1954, the CGC is supported by the Connecticut Department of Children & Families, Connecticut Office of Victim Crime Services and United Ways of Greenwich, New Canaan and Western Connecticut, the Community Fund of Darien as well as generous individual, foundation, and corporate contributions.

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