

# FUTREND Donates Toys to The Children's Inn at NIH

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**VIENNA, VA (February 15, 2013)** – FUTREND has always stood by the idea of being an outstanding corporate citizen. In keeping with this philosophy, FUTREND supported the mission of The Children's Inn at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and donated toys this winter for the sick children who reside at the Inn.

Since its inception in June 1990, The Children's Inn has opened its doors to NIH's young patients and their families, who travel from all over the world to the Rockville campus in hopes of finding a cure for incurable diseases. To further promote a "home away from home" atmosphere, FUTREND team members Christian Burns and Jean Ningcharoen, who both work on the company's U.S. Health and Human Services (HHS) Program Support Center, voluntarily delivered FUTREND's donations, which totaled to over \$600, to the Inn. "The Children's Inn Director was very appreciative of the gifts. I am grateful to have had the chance to participate in this charity and am appreciative of FUTREND's generosity," says Ningcharoen.



FUTREND team members Christian Burns and Jean Ningcharoen deliver toys to The Children's Inn at NIH.

In addition to the recent toy donation, FUTREND has previously donated food to the Inn's food drive. The company also actively participates in The Inn's Young Ambassadors Council, which was founded in 2011 to "increase opportunities for individuals in their 20s, 30s, and 40s to become involved with The Children's Inn at NIH." Young Ambassadors sponsor social events, volunteer projects, community outreach initiatives, and other endeavors to support The Inn's overall mission.

## ***About The Children's Inn***

The Children's Inn at the National Institutes of Health is a residential "place like home" for sick children and their families. Children come from across the country and around the world to stay together with their families in The Inn's healing environment while receiving groundbreaking medical treatments at the NIH, the world's leading biomedical research center. While the NIH takes care of the child's medical needs, The Inn tends to the child's heart, soul, and spirit.

To learn more about The Children's Inn at NIH, please visit: [www.childrensinn.org](http://www.childrensinn.org).