



Press Release

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**“Lloydminster WalMart Supercentre Makes a \$25,000 Gift to
Lloydminster Region Health Foundation in support of the Maternity
Department in Lloydminster Hospital!”**

June 15, 2011- Lloydminster, AB/SK- The Lloydminster Region Health Foundation (LRHF) is thrilled to announce a \$25,000 donation from Lloydminster WalMart Supercentre. This significant gift is invested in the renovation and rejuvenation of the Patient and Family Lounge in the Maternity Department, which is located on the 2nd Floor of Lloydminster Hospital.

“WalMart is committed to caring for the communities we do business in”, says Abudi Radwan, Manager of the Lloydminster WalMart Supercentre. “Our staff is very happy to support this worthwhile project. We are very proud of this beautiful lounge, and hope it provides comfort for many new mothers and their little ones”

The revitalized lounge and outdoor courtyard includes slip-resistant flooring, new paint and window treatments, new furniture, a flat screen TV and DVD player, and a children’s play area. As the space is used by waiting families, siblings, new dads and new moms, it had to be comfortable, easy to keep clean, and spacious. In the busy maternity department (with almost 1,000 babies born last year alone) the newly renovated maternity lounge and courtyard offer a home-like setting for patients and families to enjoy.

“Thank you to WalMart Supercentre for this wonderful gift”, says Georgina Altman, Executive Director with Lloydminster Region Health Foundation. “Our maternity department is one of the busiest in the province, so anything that we can do to provide comfort and care for our new mothers and babies and their families is amazing. There are very few spaces like this in Lloydminster Hospital. This lounge will offer patients and their families a comfortable indoor and outdoor space to rest and relax in. Thank you to everyone at Lloydminster WalMart Supercentre. Your donation is making a huge difference in our Hospital!”

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