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### **MEDFORD TOWNEPLACE SUITES DONATES BLANKETS TO HOSPITALIZED CHILDREN**

**Medford, Ore.** -January 19, 2010- Associates at the Medford TownePlace Suites by Marriott are hoping to make the cold, damp Oregon winter months just a little bit cozier by making and donating blankets to local hospitalized children. The hotel has been able to donate seven blankets this season to children at the Rogue Valley Hospital.

The Blanket Buddies program is sponsored by Marriott International. Each blanket costs \$25 in materials, which Marriott sends to the hotel. Hotel volunteers then make the blankets and donate them to local hospitals or organizations. Donations were made by guests and associates throughout November; they were made in December and delivered in January.

General Manager Steven Arrasmith says “The blankets are soft and colorful with cheerful designs that the children love. Our hotel has a close relationship with Rogue Valley Hospital and we have seen how a small gesture, such as nice a blanket, can make a difference to a child going through a difficult time.”

The Blanket Buddies program joins the list of the Medford TownePlace Suites by Marriott’s other charitable efforts, including food drives and year round events to raise money for Children’s Miracle Network. Call the hotel at 541-842-5757 if you would like information on how you can participate in these charities.



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