



Filling prescriptions for those who cannot afford their medication

OZANAM CHARITABLE PHARMACY RECEIVES \$10,000 WINN-DIXIE FOUNDATION DONATION

MOBILE, Ala. (May 17, 2011) Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy announced that the Winn-Dixie Foundation donated \$10,000 to help achieve the mission of keeping individuals connected with their medications.

Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy is a local pharmacy that provides medication at no cost to uninsured low income and homeless individuals in Mobile, Baldwin and Escambia Counties in Alabama. The 13-year-old organization is one of the oldest stand alone charitable pharmacies in the United States. Last year, Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy provided over 1800 patients with \$1.7 million in medications.

"It is so important for Ozanam Pharmacy to have the Winn-Dixie Foundation as our partner. The economy is making it tough right now for many folks. Winn-Dixie giving back to the communities helps us to provide medication to chronically ill individuals with diabetes, hypertension and heart disease. The funds provided by Winn-Dixie will help us to ease the pain of others," explained Shearie Archer, Executive Director of Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy.

Winn-Dixie Foundation funds were raised through a national golf tournament, the Winn-Dixie Jacksonville Open. The tournament generated more than \$1.6 million for charity — a record amount for a first-year Nationwide Tour event. A portion of the money raised was through the TICKETS Fore CHARITY™ program, where Jacksonville area non-profit organizations sold tickets to the event played on The Dye's Valley Course at TPC Sawgrass and 100 percent of the ticket sales were donated back to the non-profit organizations. The Foundation gave \$1.3 million to 81 charities throughout its Southeast operating areas.

"The Winn-Dixie Foundation realizes the importance of giving back to the communities, especially in times of need," noted Mary Kellmanson, president of the Jacksonville, FL-based enterprise. "For more than 68 years, the Winn-Dixie Foundation has donated funds to worthy not-for-profit organizations, empowering them to share our goal of helping to improve the lives of families in each neighborhood we serve."

About Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy

Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy is a non-profit organization that provides life-sustaining prescription medication to individuals with limited income and resources. As the only charitable pharmacy in the area, Ozanam serves more than 1,800 individuals in Mobile, Baldwin and Escambia counties in southwest Alabama. Ozanam Pharmacy is funded, in part, by the Mobile County Commission, The city of Mobile, Baldwin County Commission, Catholic Charities, The Community Foundation of South Alabama and the South Alabama Regional Planning Commission. For more information, call 251.432.4111 or visit www.ozanampharmacy.org.

About the Winn-Dixie Foundation

Established in 1943, the Winn-Dixie Foundation is a nonprofit organization 501(c) (3) dedicated to making the communities Winn-Dixie serves a better place to live. The Winn-Dixie Foundation awards grants to organizations that support programs and initiatives which help to foster healthy and thriving communities in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana and Mississippi. To learn more about the Winn-Dixie Foundation, visit www.winn-dixie.com.