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Families First Health & Support Center Receives \$10,000 Grant

o *TD Banknorth Provides Support For Families Dental Center*

Portsmouth, NH – 2/15/08 - TD Banknorth, through the TD Banknorth Charitable Foundation, has awarded \$10,000 to the Dental Center at Families First Health & Support Center. Representatives from TD Banknorth and the Families Dental Center recently gathered to celebrate the grant.

“Access to affordable health and dental care services is in constant demand” stated Charlotte Hubbard, Vice President Business Development and Sales Manager, TD Banknorth. “At TD Banknorth, we believe it’s important to invest wisely with organizations that keep our communities strong and vital.”

The Families First Dental Center provides preventative, restorative and emergency dental care and oral health education and care coordination to approximately 1,150 adults and children each year. The Dental Center initially served only patients of the Families First Health Center but has expanded the eligibility requirements to serve more children and special needs adults.

“Families First is the only medical and dental practice in the Seacoast that specializes in serving patients who are uninsured, covered by Medicaid, and/or homeless.” stated Helen B. Taft, Executive Director, Families First Health & Support Center. “We couldn’t do it without grants from generous organizations like TD Banknorth that help cover the high costs of providing these services.”

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About the Families First Dental Care Clinic

Families First Health and Support Center, the Seacoast's community health center, provides a broad range of health and family support services to individuals and families, regardless of ability to pay. Services include primary, prenatal and oral health care; parenting classes, parent support groups and family programs; home visiting for families facing special challenges; and mobile health care for people who are homeless. For more information, call 603-422-8208, or visit www.FamiliesFirstSeacoast.org.

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Photo caption: TD Banknorth Awards \$10,000 To Families First Dental Care Clinic

Pictured from left to right: Charlotte Hubbard, TD Banknorth & Helen Taft, Families First Dental Care Clinic.

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