

HIPP Associates Partner with the Caring for Kids Foundation August 4, 2008



On August 4, 2008, the WellPoint Health Insurance Professional Program (HIPP) associates partnered with the Caring for Kids Foundation in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Foundation, which was originally chartered to aid more than 20,000 people devastated by Hurricane Katrina, assists over 4,000 registered homeless children in the greater Clark County area by providing over 500 bags of food each week to disadvantaged and at-risk children. Through their hard work and dedication, the Caring For Kids Foundation has had a dramatic impact on the community by improving impoverished children's school attendance and academics.

HIPP associates volunteered their time and energy to lend a hand to this important Las Vegas community charity. Associates helped to organize the warehouse by cataloguing new food donations, removing outdated food from the inventory shelves, and assembling packages of food which were delivered later that week to the Foundation's beneficiaries.

"I always look forward to our community service events," said Quentin Blanton, a third year HIPP associate. "We have one before every HIPP conference. I, as well as the other associates, very much enjoy and take pleasure working for an organization that strongly supports the local community." Prior to other conferences, HIPP associates have volunteered for many service organizations including Habitat for Humanity, American Red Cross, and St. Vincent De Paul Society.



To find out more about Caring for Kids, please visit their website at:
<http://caringforkidsfoundation.com/>

The Health Insurance Professional Program (HIPP) is an accelerated talent management program that is designed especially for high-potential, emerging professionals. This innovative 3-year program offers professional training and development through 1-year rotations in a full-time role in a number of our Enterprise business units. Key program objectives include: diversifying WellPoint's current talent pool, focusing on core functional business and professional tracks, providing key exposure and internal networking opportunities, and positioning HIPP Associates for long term success in professional and leadership roles. The program is essential to WellPoint's ability to discover, define and develop tomorrow's health care leaders, today. For more program information, visit hippatwellpoint.com or email us at hipp@wellpoint.com.