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Coventry Workers' Comp Services Employees Embrace Philanthropic Cause Raising \$5,300 for Special Olympics Illinois in One Week

Franklin ,TN – October 28 , 2009 – Coventry Workers' Comp Services (CWCS), a division of Coventry Health Care, Inc., announced a product launch last month, set to occur at the upcoming National Workers' Compensation & Disability Conference. In combination with that product launch, plans are underway to honor the Special Olympics at the conference. Conference participants and companies will have the ability to make charitable pledges directly to Special Olympics during the show from the conference expo floor.

In preparation for the conference and the Special Olympics campaign, CWCS launched an internal pre-show campaign ten days ago. All CWCS employees have been given the opportunity to contribute to the Special Olympics in an effort to raise much needed funds for this worthy cause. In return, CWCS is matching funds pledged by the employees, similar to the contributions CWCS will match at the conference. CWCS employees embraced this first ever event and have raised \$5,300 in the very first week, with the company matching contributions that equates to over \$10,000.

“We realized that not all of our employees would have an opportunity to participate in the National Workers' Compensation & Disability Conference and many expressed an interest in getting involved in the new product launch and related campaign .” stated Pat Sullivan, senior vice president, CWCS. “We are thrilled with the early results we have achieved and are eager to see how much we can raise for this great cause in the remaining weeks leading up to the conference. By the time we reach the conference, we expect to be well on our way to the \$50,000 goal.”

About Coventry Workers' Comp Services

Coventry Workers' Comp Services, a division of Coventry Health Care, Inc., is the leading provider of cost and care management solutions for property and casualty insurance carriers, (workers' compensation and auto insurers), third-party administrators and self-insured employers. We design best-in-class products and services to help our partners restore the health and productivity of injured workers and insureds as quickly and as cost effectively as possible. We accomplish this by developing and maintaining consultative, trusting partnerships with our clients and stakeholders, built on a foundation of innovative and customized solutions that support the claims management process. Go to www.coventrywcs.com for more information.

About Special Olympics

Special Olympics is an international organization that changes lives by encouraging and empowering people with intellectual disabilities, promoting acceptance for all, and fostering communities of understanding and respect worldwide through sports training and competition. In Illinois, more than 22,000 children and adults take part in Special Olympics. The program provides people with intellectual disabilities continuing opportunities to realize their potential, develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage and experience joy and friendship. Visit [Special Olympics Illinois](#) or the [international site](#).

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