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Delta Dental of Iowa Employees Exceed United Way Campaign Goal

ANKENY, IA – October 30, 2008 - Delta Dental of Iowa employees, along with the company's matching gift program, contributed more than \$49,400 to the United Way of Central Iowa. Delta Dental and its employees have a history of supporting the United Way. 2008 giving increased seven percent from last year.

Throughout the month of September, employees participated in many fundraising events such as a bake sale, silent auction and raffle to raise money for the United Way. Employees also had the opportunity to participate in the United Way's Day of Caring at the Aliber Child Development Center located at the YWCA. During this event, employees presented Delta Dental's "Teeth on the Go" program that helps children develop good dental habits.

"Delta Dental of Iowa and its employees are committed to making a difference in the communities we serve and are proud to support the United Way of Central Iowa." said Donn Hutchins, President and CEO of Delta Dental of Iowa.



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Pictured from L to R: Donn Hutchins, President and CEO of Delta Dental; Judy Hines, United Way of Central Iowa; and Heather Hughes, Delta Dental United Way Chair.

Delta Dental of Iowa, the largest and most experienced provider of dental benefits in the state, is a member of the Delta Dental Plans Association, a national organization of not-for-profit Delta Dental member companies. The national association is the largest dental benefits carrier in the nation, providing coverage to more than 51 million people in nearly 93,000 employer groups.

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