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News Release

The HealthWell Foundation's breast cancer fund now accepting new applicants

Gaithersburg, MD (October 22, 2007) – The HealthWell Foundation® is pleased to announce that, through the exceptional generosity of our donors, our fund to assist breast cancer patients is able to accept new applicants.

On behalf of all who have benefited from HealthWell's breast cancer fund, we are very grateful for the support – especially during Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Unfortunately, women with breast cancer struggle with the costs of treatment year-round, not just in October.

In addition to the physical and emotional burdens of living with this serious disease, many breast cancer patients face the additional burden of how to manage the financial cost of the critical treatment they need. HealthWell works to reduce this barrier to care by providing financial assistance to underinsured patients with serious and chronic health conditions, including breast cancer, but we can't do it alone.

For more information about the HealthWell Foundation and to learn how you can help breast cancer patients access the care they need, please visit www.healthwellfoundation.org or email support@healthwellfoundation.org.

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Since 2003, the HealthWell Foundation® has helped more than 35,000 patients with serious and chronic conditions meet their cost-sharing obligations for treatment. HealthWell is an independent 501(c)(3) non-profit association that provides financial assistance to cover the cost of prescription drug coinsurance, co-payments and deductibles, health insurance premiums, and other selected out-of-pocket healthcare costs. The Foundation considers individual financial, medical and insurance situations when determining assistance eligibility. For more information, please visit www.healthwellfoundation.org.