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ABC Healthy Families, Inc. Receives \$1,000 Plum Creek Foundation Grant for Family Resource Center

HAYWARD, Wis. – ABC Healthy Families, Inc., (ABCHF) recently received a \$1,000 Plum Creek Foundation grant to help fund renovations to an existing building that is now the ABC Family Resource Center, located at 210 MacArthur in Ashland, Wis.

ABCHF is a proactive, research-based, prevention program. Founded in 1996, ABCHF makes home visits to provide support services and access to much-needed resources to new families in Bayfield and Ashland counties on a free and voluntary basis. ABCHF has recently opened the ABC Family Resource Center to provide families with parent education, support groups, drop-in services, play groups, outdoor green space, workforce development and more.

“We are thankful to the Plum Creek Foundation for this generous grant,” said Barbara Christensen, executive director of ABCHF. “It will help us provide additional resources to area families in Bayfield and Ashland counties at the center.”

The mission of the Plum Creek Foundation is to provide philanthropic contributions to support and improve the general welfare of life in the communities that Plum Creek serves. The Foundation board meets quarterly to review applications submitted from organizations in the company’s operating communities. Visit the Community Involvement page on Plum Creek’s Web site at www.plumcreek.com to download an application.

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