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**DONATIONS SOUGHT FOR NEW UMC CANCER CLINIC**

***Realty Executives Southern Arizona works to bring comfort to patients and families***

Tucson, AZ (February 20, 2007)— Realty Executives Southern Arizona has announced an area-wide effort to collect new and gently used books, current magazines, CDs, DVDs, games and other diversions for patients undergoing treatment at the University Medical Center's new Fasseas Cancer Clinic. Their intent is to provide a revolving library of materials to help ease the anxiety of those undergoing testing or therapy and the family members who accompany them. Hand held video games, jigsaw puzzles, stuffed animals, craft materials, children's blankets, shawls and lap blankets in excellent condition will also be welcomed at the drop off centers, which are located in every Realty Executives Southern Arizona office. Realty Executives' partners, Pinnacle Mortgage, Title Security, Lawyer's Title and Premiere Title will also accept donations. Please visit <http://www.gotucson.com/umcdonationdropoff.aspx> for addresses and office hours, which may include weekends.

Realty Executives also expects to fund the purchase of additional items such as big screen TVs and computers for patient use, outdoor furnishings for Healing Gardens and coffee and snacks through gifts from agents and their associates. Community members who wish to participate in this effort may mail checks payable to UMC Foundation/Realty Executives Fund to Susie Wong, Realty Executives Southern Arizona, 6872 East Sunrise Drive, Suite 150, Tucson, AZ 85750. Donations are tax deductible to extent allowed by law. All donors of goods or money will receive a receipt upon request.

**About Realty Executives:** Realty Executives Southern Arizona is the largest locally-owned real estate brokerage in southern Arizona and ranks in the top 125 out of nearly 90,000 real estate brokerages nationwide. An industry leader in agent training and use of technology to better serve clients, the company reached a milestone \$1,323,755,137 in sales volume in 2005. Realty Executives Southern Arizona is a member of an international network with offices and service partners across the US and in eight foreign countries.

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