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JCS Canada Charity Fund Donates \$39,500 to Local Charities in Third Quarter 2012

Toronto, Ontario (CANADA) – October 30, 2012 – **Jarden Consumer Solutions (JCS)** announced today that its employee-funded **JCS Canada Charity Fund** approved \$39,500 in grants to aid charities across the Greater Toronto area for the third quarter of 2012, as part of its ongoing efforts to give back to the communities where its employees live and work. Jarden Consumer Solutions (JCS), a local manufacturer of consumer products, established its first Canada-based charity fund in Brampton, Ontario in May 2012. The employee-funded entity also has seven U.S. locations.

“It is both a priority and privilege for our organization to serve the needs of citizens in the communities in which we operate,” stated Rocki Rockingham, JCS vice president of community relations and communications. “Through ongoing contributions to the JCS Canada Charity Fund, our employees demonstrate compassion for those who are less fortunate, while making a measureable impact on their lives. As individuals and as an organization, it is very fulfilling to be able to provide fundamental services and opportunities to at-risk youth, women and families.”

The JCS Canada Charity Fund approved grants for the following local organizations:

- **Child Development Resource Connection Peel** received \$5,000 to provide access to resource kits and educational opportunities in the areas of child development, education, school readiness, diversity, inclusion and multi-sensory materials. With support from the Fund, the CDRC will be able to meet the needs of families, educators and other practitioners working with individuals who have developmental disabilities.
- **Girls on the Run, Greater Toronto Area** received \$5,000 to provide financial assistance to young girls participating in a 10-week 10K run program which helps build self-esteem and promotes healthy living through exercise.
- **Jennifer Ashleigh Children’s Charity** received \$5,000 to fund sick-care costs for seriously ill, financially disadvantaged children living in the Brampton and Mississauga communities.
- **Brampton 9235 Outreach Corporation o/a Knight’s Table** received \$5,000 to provide operational support and enhancements to the agency’s meal program and services.
- **Nexus Youth Services** received \$5,000 in support of the agency’s Groups Programs. Specifically, funds will ensure the organization has the necessary resources to provide high-quality, non-traditional support to empower youth in the community.



- **Regeneration Outreach Community** received \$5,000 to help extend the agency's breakfast program to seven (7) days a week. Funds granted will ensure that members of the community will be able to enjoy a nutritious meal at least once a day.
- **The Women's Information and Support Centre of Halton** received \$4,500 to aid the agency's Abuse Support Program, specifically subsidizing the costs of necessary materials and resources that are essential to the maintenance of the program's success and effectiveness, such as planning and development, marketing outreach, rent, utilities, insurance and facilitators.
- **United Achievers' Community Services, Inc.** received \$5,000 to enhance its overall operations. The donation will allow the organization to hire a child and youth worker, improve its facility by incorporating technology and other youth-friendly equipment into a safe space for enjoyment, and provide nutritional snacks for participants.

The Jarden Consumer Solutions Canada Charity Fund d/b/a JCS Canada Fund is the Company's employee-funded charitable giving entity. As a 149(1)(f) organization, the JCS Canada Charity Fund provides monetary grants to qualified charitable organizations that engage in community development initiatives (focusing on at-risk women, families and youth, and food programs) that serve the communities where JCS employees live and work. More information about the Company and the JCS Canada Charity Fund can be found on the Web at www.jardencs.com.

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