

**2011 Jingle Bell Run/Walk® Success for
Team Kerr and the Arthritis Foundation!**
Committed to the fight against Arthritis

Kerr Health is pleased to announce the success of the 2011 Raleigh, North Carolina Jingle Bell Run/Walk®! This year's event took place on Saturday, **December 3rd** at St. Mary's School in Raleigh, North Carolina. The Jingle Bell Run/Walk® is a fun and festive way to kick off the holidays by raising money to help others! The Arthritis Foundation encourages participants to express their enthusiasm and spirit by wearing a holiday themed costume and tying jingle bells to their shoelaces during their 5 kilometer route. The event was hosted by the Arthritis Foundation in order to raise awareness and funds for further advancements in Arthritis research and development. Through the numerous donations of organizations, families, and individuals, the Arthritis Foundation raised \$81,574. The mission of the Arthritis Foundation is to improve lives through leadership in the prevention, control and cure of arthritis and related diseases and through Kerr Drug's & Kerr Health's participation in the Jingle Bell Run/Walk®, they are supporting and helping the foundation achieve its mission.

Kerr Health's President, Mike Brown, was elected as this year's Corporate Chair and expressed, "It was a privilege for Kerr Health to partner with the Arthritis Foundation in support of individuals suffering from the nation's fastest growing chronic condition and we are committed to assisting patients and raising money to help find a cure."

Kerr associates formed a large team and raised the most money among all organizations present. Through their dedication to arthritis, assisting patients, and walking for those who cannot, they were successful in winning the Jingle Bell Cup! Kerr will continue to show its support and commitment to the fight against Arthritis through participation in future events.

About The Arthritis Foundation:

The Arthritis Foundation is the largest private, not-for-profit contributor to arthritis in the world, funding more than \$380 million in research grants since 1948. Through the support of more than 600,000 volunteers, the foundation helps individuals take control of arthritis by providing public health education; pursuing public policy and legislation; and conducting evidence-based programs to improve the quality of life for those living with arthritis.

About Kerr Health:

Kerr Health is a leading regional health care services provider focused on delivering exceptional value and clinical leadership through its three primary service lines: Specialty Pharmacy, Long-Term Care Pharmacy Services, and Care Management. As a subsidiary of Kerr Drug, Inc., one of the nation's leading and most respected names in the chain drug industry (2010 Drug Topics Chain of the Year), Kerr Health provides a broad and customizable offering of value-driven products and services to medical practices, patients, employer groups, long-term care facilities, and municipalities.