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***Local Non- Profit for People with Developmental Disabilities
Celebrates Their 45th Anniversary and It's Founding Pioneers***

CINCINNATI, September 2, 2008 — ***The Resident Home Corporation (RHC)***, founded in 1963, is excited to celebrate their 45th Anniversary. RHC is a non-profit corporation that provides residential, educational and family support and other related services to children and adults with developmental disabilities in the Greater Cincinnati area.

45 years ago RHC was founded by a group of parents of children with developmental disabilities who wanted another option for their children. During the early 1960's the only options parents had for their children with developmental disabilities was institutionalization or a life at home isolated from society. RHC was the first organization of its kind in the Greater Cincinnati region that educated and supported children with developmental disabilities.

45 years later, RHC still prides itself on the continuum of community-based, residential and school-based services it provides to children and adults with developmental disabilities and their families and the critical role it serves to empower, and advocate for individuals with developmental disabilities in our communities.

Developmental disabilities are a classification of severe and chronic disorders that lead to delays or difficulties in cognitive and/or physical development. These disorders may include Down Syndrome, Autism Spectrum Disorders, cognitive disabilities, Cerebral Palsy and Multiple Sclerosis.

RHC wants everyone who has been touched by their organization's many wonderful programs and services over all these years to celebrate their 45th Anniversary with them! **They are hosting a 45th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, September 6, 2008 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at their headquarters located at 3030 West Fork Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45211.**

For more information about RHC, please visit www.rhcorp.org.

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