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**OCAHU AND THE WORD & BROWN GENERAL AGENCY PARTNER FOR
'ONE HEART AT A TIME' GOLF CLASSIC, BENEFITING THE CYSTIC FIBROSIS FOUNDATION**

ORANGE, CA – March 5, 2009 – The [Orange County Association of Health Underwriters \(OCAHU\)](#) and [Word & Brown General Agency \(Word & Brown\)](#), a division of [The Word & Brown Companies](#), announce the 13th annual One Heart at a Time Golf Classic on April 22 at the award-winning Coyote Hills Golf Course in Fullerton, Calif. This widely popular fund-raising event supports the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Southern California chapter.

For the past 12 years, the tournament, presented by OCAHU and spearheaded by Word & Brown, has raised more than \$250,000 to support the foundation, which aims to improve the lives of children and young adults with cystic fibrosis. In the United States alone, at least 30,000 people battle this genetic, life-threatening disease that affects the lungs and digestive system.

“There are about 1,000 new cases of cystic fibrosis diagnosed each year,” said James Greth, senior vice president of Word & Brown General Agency. “Word & Brown is proud to build awareness of this debilitating disease and raise money to help fight it.”

As in past years, the 2009 event features a silent auction and sit-down dinner, with proceeds benefiting the foundation. The public is invited to register for this fund-raising event, which takes place at 1440 E. Bastanchury Road in Fullerton, Calif. Single golfers are \$195, which includes green fees, lunch, and dinner. Sponsorship packages are also available from \$250 to \$5,000.

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“This event raises money for such a worthwhile cause and literally helps save lives,” said Gail James, executive director of OCAHU. “Year-after-year, people return to participate because they can actually see the results of their contributions. It’s an event not to be missed.”

For more information or sponsorship opportunities, contact Anna Trooien at 714.567.4612 or atrooien@wordandbrown.com.

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