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LIFE WEST PROVIDES NEW BACKPACKS AS KIDS PREPARE TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL

HAYWARD, Calif. August 16, 2010 – Life Chiropractic College West held its annual backpack to benefit Family Emergency Shelter Coalition. Over the course of several weeks, Life West gathered 112 backpacks for school children living in Hayward. They will be delivered through Family Emergency Shelter Coalition, also known as FESCO.

Life West's Director of Student Services Jackie Biron said, "In spite of tough economic times, it has been heartwarming to not only meet but surpass our goal of 100 new backpacks through generous contributions from the Life West community to this annual event."

FESCO is a non-profit organization located in Hayward which provides emergency shelter, comprehensive supportive services, and transitional housing for homeless families with children.

Life West, established in 1976, is an accredited non-profit institution of higher learning. Currently over 400 students from across the United States and abroad are enrolled, and over 3,700 graduates of Life West are now providing chiropractic care worldwide. The college's Health Center, a public outpatient facility, is staffed by approximately 150 senior interns who are guided by licensed doctors of chiropractic. The Clinic provides affordable health care to more than 1,500 patients per week in the city of Hayward, California. The college and Health Center maintain a Web site at www.lifewest.edu.

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