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Solantic Announces Grand Opening of Orlando International Airport Walk-In Urgent Care Clinic

New Clinic Will Be First Urgent Care Facility Located Within an Airport in Florida

ORLANDO, Fla. (Dec. 10, 2008) – Solantic, a leading provider of walk-in urgent care across Florida, will host a grand opening event on Tuesday, December 16th, 2008 at its newest center located inside the Orlando International Airport (OIA). The new clinic is the first-of-its-kind located within an airport in Florida, offering services to travelers, tourists and airport staff and adding to the international airport's appeal and convenient services.

The on-site grand opening will include an open house of the new clinic from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., offering guests an opportunity to tour the airport's newest tenant. City of Orlando Mayor Buddy Dyer will also make an appearance at the event, participating in a ribbon cutting at 9:30 a.m. to celebrate the importance of the new clinic as an advantage for the airport and value-added benefit for its visitors and employees. The grand opening will also include refreshments, drawings and tours.

"There is nothing worse than traveling when you don't feel well, and with 100,000 people coming in and out of the airport every day we feel this will be a very good location for Solantic," said Solantic CEO Karen Bowling. "Many travelers are coming to Orlando for vacation, so the sooner we can treat them, the quicker they can start enjoying their trip or getting back to what they want to do."

The 1,100-square-foot clinic, located in the airport's B Terminal near the west security checkpoint, is expected to serve over 20,000 patients a year and will offer treatment for a wide range of healthcare needs, including coughs, colds and sore throats, headaches, upset stomachs, cuts and sprains.

Similar to Solantic's 22 additional locations throughout Florida, the airport clinic will offer time-conscious technologies such as lobby monitors showing remaining patient wait time, as well as cell phone pages so that visitors can leave the facility to shop or eat until they receive a call

from the clinic's staff alerting them it is their turn to be seen. Exam rooms will also be equipped with televisions.

In addition, Solantic's board-certified physicians treat minor emergencies and illnesses at a fraction of the cost of an emergency room. A study conducted by Sarasota-based research firm Healthcare Management Decisions Inc. found that Orlando-area healthcare consumers could save more than \$139 million in 2006 being treated in an urgent care facility rather than the emergency room. The average cost savings per patient would be \$517. Physician visits at Solantic start at \$89, with most prescriptions available on site at a cost of \$15. Solantic is contracted with most insurance plans.

About Solantic

Richard Scott and Karen Bowling started Solantic in 2001, with a mission of *Providing Convenient Health Care At A Fair Price With As Little Hassle As Possible*. From day one, the founders focused on attracting individuals with a passion for patients and the desire to keep costs, and thus prices, as low as possible. Solantic's centers are staffed by board-certified physicians and offer urgent care (diagnosis of broken bones, sprains, infections, other minor illnesses), wellness services (immunizations, screenings, physicals), occupational health and workers' compensation services. Solantic centers are open every day of the year with extended hours. Each center has digital X-ray and lab services on site. For more information, visit www.solantic.com.

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