

# WATERTOWN URBAN MISSION

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## **Walmart Foundation Grant to Help Critical Needs**

Mission awarded \$25,000 grant to help with medical & housing costs, hygiene, cleaning supplies

WATERTOWN (July 1, 2011)—The Walmart Foundation has awarded the Watertown Urban Mission a \$25,000 grant for the Mission's Critical Needs Program.

The funding will help the program to give individuals and families in need a hand up to overcome struggles in their lives. The money will be used to help cover prescription and medical transportation costs, provide for families in need of help with household expenses and to purchase personal hygiene items and cleaning supplies.

"We are just thrilled to have been chosen by the Walmart Foundation to receive this extremely generous grant," said Erika Flint, executive director of the Watertown Urban Mission. "The Foundation recognized a need in our community and stepped up as they have for so many great causes over the years. We are thankful for the generosity of the Walmart Foundation in being a good neighbor in our community."