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Plainfield Family Welcomes Day Kimball Hospital's First Baby of 2013

PUTNAM, CONN. – Day Kimball Hospital announces that the first baby of the year was born on Tuesday, January 1, 2013 at 1:35 a.m. A baby girl, Emily Elizabeth Hall, was delivered by Anne Amberg, CNM, weighing 7 lbs. 6 oz. and 20-1/2 inches long, to parents Mary Ellen and Derek Hall of Plainfield. Emily joins proud big brother Blake in the Hall family.

Being the first born baby in 2013, Hall's parents were presented with gifts from Day Kimball Healthcare and items donated from local businesses. Contributions included gift cards, gift certificates, clothing and a stuffed bear with a shirt that read, "Special Delivery, Born at Day Kimball Hospital." Generous donors included the Day Kimball Hospital Maternal Child Health Team, the Day Kimball Hospital Woman's Board, the Ladies of Penelope, Medical Pharmacy & Putnam Home Medical, Midtown Fitness, Portraits by Nan and Putnam Bank.

The Halls were excited to learn that their daughter was the first baby born at Day Kimball in 2013, and expressed their appreciation to the hospital staff and area businesses for putting together such a thoughtful package of gifts.

Day Kimball Healthcare is a non-profit, integrated medical services provider comprised of Day Kimball Hospital, healthcare centers in Danielson, Dayville, Plainfield and Putnam, Day Kimball HomeCare, Hospice & Palliative Care of Northeastern CT, Day Kimball HomeMakers, Day Kimball Medical Group and Franklin Home Health. Its service area includes Northeast Connecticut as well as nearby Massachusetts and Rhode Island communities. Day Kimball Healthcare's comprehensive network offers more than 1,400 employees including nearly 300 highly-skilled physicians, surgeons and specialists. Its website is daykimball.org.