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**Celebrate National Children's Dental Health Month with *Give Kids A Smile Day*
at Stepping Stones Museum for Children**

Norwalk, CT, January 28, 2010 – Stepping Stones will offer free dental screenings on Friday, February 5 from 1 to 5 pm. Hosted by All About Kids Pediatric Dentistry, children will learn the importance of good dental hygiene and that brushing their can be fun. Each child will leave the event with a free toothbrush and a form stating their complete dental needs based on the screening.

Children's health is the focus of Stepping Stones *Healthy Children, Healthy Communities* initiative. The project is based on the premise that early intervention and prevention are critical for establishing a healthy lifestyle, and that even small changes can have a positive impact on both short-term and long-term health. Included in the initiative are *Healthyville*, the museum's interactive exhibit; educational programs; community outreach and health vignettes broadcast on Connecticut Public Television.

Stepping Stones Museum for Children, a 501(c)(3) private non-profit organization, is an award-winning children's museum committed to broadening and enriching the lives of children. Museum exhibits, educational programs and special events complement efforts in schools, childcare centers and homes. With four main galleries, a toddlers-only gallery, a new outdoor play space and more than 100 hands-on activities, Stepping Stones offers children ten and under plenty to explore and discover. Stepping Stones is located at 303 West Avenue in Norwalk, CT, just off exit 14 North and 15 South off I-95. The museum hours are Tuesday 1 – 5 pm and Wednesday – Sunday 10 am – 5 pm. Admission is \$9 and children under 1 are free. To learn more visit steppingstonesmuseum.org or call 203 899 0606.