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If you have questions, need technical support, or help navigating your PDA product, please visit the PDA FAQ page on the PDA Products Store or send an e-mail to pdafeedback@lww.com.

Greetings LWW.com Subscribers!
Welcome to the special PDA edition of LWW.com Insider. Inside you will find tips, information, and products that will help you build just the right handheld computer for your practice or your class!
Don't miss What's New on LWW.com this month: FREE PDA Trial Downloads. After you've downloaded your free trials, take a moment to complete our PDA Survey, which will help us develop and maintain better products for you! We've also included a list of online resources related to PDAs in health care. For products other than PDA downloads, make sure you take advantage of our ongoing FREE SHIPPING offer, now applicable to any non-subscription purchase you make over \$99!

For those of you new to Insider, welcome. Check out many features in this month's issue, including Special Report: Handheld Health Care: Technology We Can't Ignore, Top 10 PDA Sellers, and Short News: PDAs in Medicine and Nursing. New subscribers, you will also want to take a moment to customize your preferences for receiving e-mail and viewing LWW.com. Visit LWW.com during the month of October, and you will find four new specialty stores including Radiology & Nuclear Medicine, Cardiology, Internal Medicine, and Psychiatry.

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Product Spotlight: Physician's Drug Handbook 10th Edition for PDA
Powered by Skyscape
Physicians, Nurses, and Residents: Keep accurate and unbiased prescribing data right in your pocket with the very first PDA version of Physician's Drug Handbook, just released in August! Find on-the-spot guidance for every commonly prescribed drug. Based on the 10th Edition of Physician's Drug Handbook, published in February, this must-have program for your PDA is conveniently organized from A to Z, giving you access to vital facts on more than 900 generic and 1000 trade-name drugs with a tap of your stylus. You'll properly choose and compare drugs, monitor therapy, and educate your patients.

Each entry includes:
• generic name • US and Canadian trade names • pharmacological & therapeutic classifications • pregnancy risk category • controlled substance schedule • dosage forms and strengths • indications and dosages • pharmacodynamics • pharmacokinetics • contraindications • precautions • interactions and adverse reactions and • patient education
Platform: Palm OS and Windows CE/Pocket PC handheld devices
Memory Requirements: Palm OS - 4 MB; Windows CE/Pocket PC - 8 MB

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LWW.com Top 10 PDA Sellers

- 1. Nursing Drug Handbook for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc., Online Deliverable
2. Lippincott Manual of Nursing Practice: Procedures PDA Powered by Skyscape, Inc., Online Deliverable, Sandra M Nettina RN, C, MSN, ANP
3. Clinical Anesthesia for the PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc. Online Deliverable, Paul G Barash MD, Bruce F Cullen MD, and Robert K Stoelting MD
4. The 5-Minute Clinical Consult 2003 PDA
Online Powered by Skyscape, Inc. Online Deliverable, Mark R Dambro MD, FAAPF
5. The 5-Minute Veterinary Consult: Canine and Feline PDA
Online Deliverable, Larry P Tilley DVM and Francis W Smith, Jr. DVM
6. The Wills Eye Manual and Drug Guide for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc. Online Deliverable, Single Seal Online Deliverable, Wills Eye Hospital, Douglas J Rhee MD
7. Radiology Review Manual, Fifth Edition, for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc. CD-ROM Wolfgang F Dahmert MD
8. The 5-Minute Emergency Medicine Consult for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc. Online Deliverable, Peter Rosen MD, et al
9. The Washington Manual™ of Medical Therapeutics, Thirtieth Edition, for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc., Online Deliverable, Washington University School of Medicine Department of Medicine, Shubhada N Ahya MD, et al
10. The Massachusetts General Hospital Handbook of Neurology for PDA
Powered by Skyscape, Inc. CD-ROM, Alice W Flaherty MD, PhD

What's New: FREE PDA Trial Downloads!

FREE trial downloads of PDA products using the Skyscape technology are now available for you on LWW.com. Anyone can download trial versions of the published online deliverable PDAs directly on LWW.com. For those who need just a little more info, try out LWW PDA products - functionality and content - before you buy them!
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If you buy a PDA product and the new edition of that product publishes within 30 days of your purchase, you will automatically get the download of the new edition FREE! Contact the sales representative in your area for details.

Online Resources Related to PDAs & Health Care

LWW.com's Med Student Store - The Science of Online Review. Offers you personalized educational tools for your success through professional schooling and beyond.
LWW.com's PDA Products Store - Lippincott Williams & Wilkins is proud to be one of the leading publishers of handheld software. At the PDA Products Store you will find new titles, demos, related links, technical support and much more!

Nursing PDA Software - Find all the nursing resources to optimize your PDA at LWW.com's Nursing Store, including demos!
www.patientkeeper.com - We Make Healthcare Mobile™. Finally, there's a mobile solution that can keep up with you - improving patient care and making your day better.
www.pdacortex.com - The Journal of Mobile Informatics. Contains resources for doctors and nurses, news, survey results, e-newsletters, communities, and more!

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Clicks & Tricks: For LWW PDA products using Skyscape Technology

Q: How do I backup personal notes and databases associated with Skyscape products?
A: If you are using a Windows PC, the personal databases and notes files are two PDB files in your "C:\Palm\YOUR\_NAME\Backup" directory (where YOUR\_NAME is a combination of your first and last names). For example, the notes database for the product SMCC is called notesSMCC.pdb and the personal DB is called SMCCPersonalDOB.pdb. When you perform a HotSync, your handheld device overwrites these files with its current personal notes and databases on your Palm device. You can backup these files at any time by copying them to your own backup folder on your PC.
Q: How do I run Skyscape products from a memory card?
A: Please click the appropriate link below.

- Palm m50x Card Support
Sony Clie Card Support
Handspring Visor Card Support
HandEra and TRGPro Card Support
Using a Card Reader/Writer
Windows CE or Pocket PC Card Support

Note that all instructions are written for users of Microsoft Windows. Macintosh users should perform the same steps, invoking programs from the appropriate Macintosh folder or alias, rather than the Windows Start menu.
Q: How do I compare medical references?
A: Medical references can be compared by using the product in Trial mode and viewing the indices and Table of Contents. The unlocked topics available for viewing in Trial mode show how the information is organized and presented. Descriptions, provided by the publisher, and full Table of Contents are also available.

These tips were provided by Skyscape. Get more answers to your frequently asked questions at LWW's PDA Products Store.
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Coming Soon to LWW.com!

Coming this fall from the respected Washington University School of Medicine, authors of the Washington Manual of Medical Therapeutics... two new series for medical students, interns and residents that will be available in print or for PDA!
Washington Manual™ Survival Guide Series (available for PDA)
Prepared by residents and chief residents with senior faculty advisors at the Washington University School of Medicine, these pocket-sized "survival guides" in 8 specialty areas, outline "basics" that every intern must know from day 1 on the wards.

JUST PUBLISHED!
The Washington Manual™ Subspecialty Consult Series (available for PDA)
The new series of LWW.com Subspecialty Consult books are quick-reference guides to difficult patient management problems in eleven subspecialties of internal medicine. Prepared by residents and chief residents with senior faculty advisors, The Washington Manual™ Subspecialty Consult Series covers both inpatient and outpatient approaches to commonly encountered problems on a consult service. Plus, this volume maintains the same front-line practicality as the world-famous The Washington Manual™ of Medical Therapeutics. Each series focuses on one subspecialty, has particularly strong symptom oriented and disease-oriented sections, and covers both acute and chronic problems.

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Short News: PDAs in Medicine & Nursing

PDAs in Nursing Practice (by Ken McGowan). Every day Cindy Bechtel, MS, RN, CEN, EMT-1, a professor, who teaches in both the Nursing and Paramedicine programs at the MassBay Community College, in Framingham, MA carries a PDA (Personal Digital Assistant) loaded with Healthcare reference materials. "I don't know about you, but my PDA never leaves my side and the application I use most frequently is my drug guide. Whether I am in the hospital, in the field, answering student's questions, or getting phone calls from neighbors and relatives, an up-to-date drug guide is an invaluable tool for any healthcare professional." Said Cindy in a recent review of the RnNDH for PDA cortex. RnNDH is a PDA program based on the print version of the Nursing2003 Drug Handbook from LWW. Gone are the days when newly graduated nurses are armed with most of the information they need for a lifetime of practice. Healthcare is the most information-intensive of industries, and it is evolving rapidly as new information supplants old. Nurses are increasingly turning to PDAs to extend the human mind's limited capacity to recall and process large numbers of relevant variables and to support information management, general administration, and clinical practice. In fact, in a recent survey of the members of the Nursing PDAs Listserv, 60% of respondents reported having 3 or more healthcare specific programs on their PDAs. With Drug Reference materials being the viewed as the most important use of a PDA, followed by Specialty Reference (e.g. ICU, Home Care), General Reference, Scheduling, "To Do list", and Education. Nurses are using PDAs in a variety of ways and settings to enhance patient care and safety. To learn more on PDAs in Nursing visit PDA cortex.

It's here! The Nursing2004 Drug Handbook PDA and the CD-ROM publish this month.
The CD-ROM version is available to pre-order on LWW.com. The latest version contains all the information from the 2003 edition and also includes 30 entries on newly approved drugs, plus newly approved off-label indications.
Reserve your copy today! Look for the online version and demo later this month!

Medical students and residents rely on PDAs. "As a physician-in-training, there are only a few things that I depend upon: my stethoscope, my white coat, and my PDA. Of these three, there is only one that I cannot live without - and it's not a stethoscope or a white coat. The economy of modern medicine is based upon knowledge and peer-reviewed articles are the currency of that economy. With so many institutions of preaching and practicing evidence-based medicine, the ability to access peer-reviewed information has become the single most important skill to be mastered by physicians in all stages of medical training. In the outpatient clinic, the 5 Minute Clinical Consult and iFacts are extremely useful, while DrDugs is essential in the hospital, and the 5 Minute Emergency Consult is the best setting in the ER. The wealth of information contained within these applications is - literally - at my fingertips no matter what setting or time of day I am in. My institution recently purchased a subscription to a well-regarded online evidence-based medicine site; while the value of this resource is indisputable, the amazing utility, ease of use and portability of [PDA] applications easily trump the online sites." Read more on Skyscape.

The #1 radiology board review -- the Green Book -- is coming soon in PDA format! The Radiology Review Manual has helped thousands of readers prepare for--and successfully complete--their written boards. Radiology Review Manual for PDA CD-ROM version publishes in January and is currently one of LWW.com's top 10 PDA sellers. Reserve your copy now!

Top 5 PDA Drug Reference Software Developers
53.04% of respondents report having an ePocrates drug reference currently loaded on their PDAs
28.66% have Skyscape products
15.21% have Lexi-Comp drug guides
25.47% have PEPID nursing references
14.63% have Tarascon's Pharmacopoeia
reported by PDAcortex.com in July 2003
(Note: Total percentages exceed 100% due to the loading of multiple drug references on each user device)

Pump up your PDA (by Jane Benner, nursing magazine editor). Adding a drug program to your PDA will make it worth its weight in gold. You'll have instant access to current information on administering drugs, their dosages, adverse effects, potential interactions, and more. For example, the Nursing Drug Handbook for PDA includes guidelines for many drugs you can search by generic or trade name, drug class, or keyword. You'll find actions, indications and dosages ... effects on lab test results, contraindications, intravenous administration (where applicable), nursing considerations, and patient teaching. So, when you're in the unit trying to figure out whether one drug might interact with another or you are responding to a patient's question about taking an ordered drug with the herbal medicines he takes each day, you can tap into your PDA for quick, reliable answers. Besides these applications that offer helpful information about herbal medicines, infusion rates, therapeutic drug monitoring guidelines, local and topical anesthetics, diagnostic skin tests, drugs used for conscious sedation, inhaled drug treatments, and more. Several drug programs are available.

Professionals can recognize signs and symptoms, put them in context with associated findings, and link them to their most probable cause--on the spot in the office, on rounds, and on student rotations with Signs & Symptoms for PDA, just published in March 2003. Download the trial version here! Also, the popular desk reference Drugs in Pregnancy and Lactation, Sixth Edition is now available electronically for handheld computers.

PDAs become useful among doctors (Dr. Wani). When a woman in her 30s turned up at a hospital, east of Tokyo, having overdosed with the painkiller Tylenol. Dr. Grant Mikasa turned for help to his personal digital assistant, or PDA. When he found that the prescribed antidote wasn't available in Japan, he had to find another medicine that could be used for the same purpose. "I had the information in my pocket so I was able to retrieve it really quickly," he says. PDAs have moved beyond e-mail, addresses and appointments. They've become tools that help save lives. Increasingly, doctors are using them to retrieve medical information on the spot about how to treat an illness or disease and administer the right medication, the correct dose, check for side effects and the way that drug interacts with other medicines. In the United States, one in four doctors uses a PDA. Forrester Research, a U.S.-based market-research firm, forecasts that sales of hand-held devices and applications used by doctors in the U.S. alone will triple to \$181.4 million this year from \$60.1 million in 2002. And doctors of Asia are watching. Companies like U.S.-based Skyscape put medical information into a PDA-friendly format. About 30,000 of Skyscape's 170,000 customers live in Asia -- from Taiwan, Singapore, China, and Japan to Hong Kong, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, South Korea and the Philippines. -- Read more here.

Up-to-the-minute information on all current diagnostic procedures is just a click away now that Handbook of Diagnostic Tests, Third Edition is available for PDAs! Reserve your copy of this PDA CD-ROM today!

PDAs Help Topic at National Physicians Assistant Conference (by Chris Helopoulos for pdaMD.com). PDAs were once again the subject of great interest at a recent national conference involving the medical community. The American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA) held the annual national conference in New Orleans, May 23rd through 27th. This was in conjunction with the Semi-annual Conference of the Association of Physician Assistant Programs (APAP) May 21st through 24th, representing all 134 accredited PA programs in the United States. Evidence of the mainstream enthusiasm for PDA's in medicine was seen in the Exhibit Hall. Several pharmaceutical companies distributed PDA related premiums that were in great demand. Glaxo-Smith-Kline gave out innumerable PDA holster containing with their product Trizivir imprinted on them. The company representing Celebrex/Bextra gave out pens that contained a PDA stylus. Several medical publishers' booths featured medical PDA eBooks that were sought out. Their booths featured PDA content including PEPID emergency medicine programs and those by STAT!-Ref. There Thompson Publishing showcased their PDRmobile edition for the PDA. The Prescriber's Key featuring several new PDA products available for download, by which means that pharmaceutical companies face increasing restrictions, government imposed and self imposed, we expect that more of them will turn to PDA downloads as being affordable premiums of an educational nature. ... All in all, PDAs were "the buzz" at this national conference attended by nearly 9,000 medical professionals across the country. Read more on pdaMD.com.

The PDA-based version of Stedman's Medical Dictionary, 27th Edition provides quick access to definitions for over 102,000 medical terms. Download a copy onto your PDA now! Looking for the concise version? Find it here! Stedman's Concise Medical Dictionary for the Health Professions 4th Edition is now on PDA. This concise downloadable dictionary gives you quick access to thousands of medical terms, drug names, eponyms, procedures and protocols--all at the touch of your stylus!

Point-of-care data use of a PDA for patient consultation management. The development and integration of a PDA-based point-of-care database into an intravenous resource nurse (IVRN) consultation service for the purposes of consultation management and service effectiveness are described. The IVRN team provides a PDA service 7 days a week in this 1000-bed tertiary adult care teaching hospital. No simple, reliable method for documenting IVRN patient care activity and facilitating IVRN-initiated patient follow-up evaluation was available. Implementation of a PDA database with exportability of data to statistical analysis software was undertaken in July 2001. A Palm iRx PDA was purchased and the three-table, 13-field database was developed using HandBase software. During the 10-month period of data collection, a 1376-team, record-based 4868 consultations for 40 patient care areas. Full analysis of service characteristics was conducted using SPSS 10.0 software. Team members adopted the new technology with few problems, and the authors now can efficiently track and analyze the services provided by their IVRN team.

Abstract from a recent issue of CIN: Computers Informatics & Nursing, a bimonthly journal that covers the application of computer technology to contemporary nursing practice, while explaining the how-to and why at each step of the way. Request a trial issue or visit the journal's web site.

PDA purchasing guide for Veterinarians & Vet students (Dr. Larry Booth and Dan Sloan of IA State). PDAs are a hot item in medicine and they are becoming increasingly popular in veterinary medicine. There are hundreds of programs available in the medical field and not surprisingly, a much more limited choice for veterinarians at this time. Nevertheless, the list of valuable programs in veterinary medicine grows on a monthly basis and there is plenty out there to warrant purchasing a PDA and simplifying your life. There are programs for tracking patients, medical reference resources (...5 Minute Veterinary Consult), lots of drug formularies including exotic and wigh birds and lots of other goodies. The main thing to remember before purchasing a PDA is to select the software you wish to run first, and then purchase the PDA with the appropriate operating system and means to run it. The Pocket PC will probably overtake the Palm over time, but as far as veterinary applications go, the Palm is currently king in general, while looking at the Palm platform, you need the most RAM and the fastest processor you can find, with the emphasis on RAM. Expansion memory is nice, but only for storage of programs that aren't currently being used... The Palm units with gray scale displays will last much longer on battery, but are limited as far as picture viewing capability. The big advantage of PDAs to students and vets is a lot of useful information on demand at your fingertips. Calculators, formularies, dictionaries and databases can make your life much easier. In addition, there are programs for you to keep records on your patients, which is a real advantage in an ambulatory practice.

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The 5-Minute Veterinary Consult: Canine & Feline for PDA
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Special Report: Handheld Health Care - Technology We Can't Ignore

by Sandeep Shah, founder and CEO of Skyscape
If knowledge is power, then one of medicine's most powerful tools is handheld devices, or personal digital assistants (PDAs). This new technology is saving lives, improving care and lowering costs. Today's health care practitioners are increasingly mobile yet inundated with critical medical data, reports and research. Amid this flow of important medical information, doctors are forced to make time critical decisions at the point of care without the information they require.

At hospitals, institutions and medical schools across the country, health care practitioners are using technology from companies like Skyscape, MedAplus and PatientKeeper to provide medical content and applications on the go. These PDAs, which include Palms, Compaq iPAqs, Sony Clies and other devices, enable doctors and nurses to diagnose illnesses, determine treatment, prescribe medication, determine drug interactions, calculate dosages, and perform all necessary steps involved with quality patient care right on location, be it at bedside, at home, in an ambulance or in remote locations.

Today's new generation of PDAs contain critical medical references that are "smartlinked" to provide instant access to context-sensitive data with the speed of thought, intuitively following the think-ref-act methodology of the medic. Hundreds of well-known references are available, including the Physicians' Desk Reference (PDR), Griffith's 5-Minute Clinical Consult (SMCC), 5-Minute Emergency Medicine™ (5mEmerg), 5-Minute Pediatrics™, A to Z Drug Facts, Davis' Drug Guide, Drug Interaction Facts, Special Operations Forces Medical Handbook, The Washington Manual of Medical Therapeutics and many more.

CareGroup, comprising Beth Israel and Deaconess Hospitals, gives its doctors PDAs to ensure that adequate reference works are available anytime, anywhere. Dr. John Halamka, an associate dean of Harvard Medical School who has overseen the creation of CareGroup's information technology (IT) infrastructure, is a big proponent of mobile medical technology. He adopted mobile applications from Skyscape Inc., that enable health care professionals to access critical diagnostic and drug information in-context on their hand-held devices. This improves doctors' efficiency as it provides the right information when and where it is needed.

Dr. Halamka says his doctors can place billing codes on their Palm PDAs and send them directly to the billing system, so CareGroup's time to bill has gone from 40 days to half a day. Halamka adds that they try to be device-neutral, so whatever applications they get can run on any platform, though most of their physicians use Palm.

At MassBay Community College's licensed practical nursing program in Framingham, MA, nurse and instructor Cindy Bechtel, MS, RN, RMT-1, has come to rely heavily on PDAs. She says they improve the quality of care and reduce administrative time. Bechtel regularly uses such titles as the Physicians' Desk Reference (PDR), Griffith's 5-Minute Clinical Consult (SMCC), A to Z Drugs, and others in her job and in her teaching. She has turned her nursing and EMT students into converts. Bechtel's Palm contains the same reference information as her students 10 required textbooks thanks to the software from such companies.

Content is important, says Bechtel, but one other factor is key to the success behind PDAs. This is having PDA content in context, and with the ability to instantaneously link different sources and diagnosis, that makes the PDA experience match a doctor's thought process.

Emergency medical responders at MedFlight are truly mobile, soaring the skies in helicopters to save lives and bring health care to truly inaccessible places. MedFlight rescues and treats patients in all manner of catastrophic circumstances, from car crashes and sinking boats to fires and natural disasters. Time is of the essence, gear must be lightweight, and medical knowledge and data lightning quick.

MedFlight takes PDAs seriously and issues PDA devices to their medics. PDAs can mean the difference between life and death in the extreme situations MedFlight must address. For example, a multi-car pile up on a highway results in multiple traumatic injuries, snarls traffic, cuts off the road for ambulances, and requires rapid patient transport to nearby hospitals. MedFlight is called. They launch out a helicopter and on the way access critical medical data on procedures, medications and drug interactions.

While instant access to data is key in such medical emergencies as auto accidents and in airplanes, it becomes even more critical when treating non-emergency diseases. Cases in point: SARS, the West Nile virus, Norwalk virus, Lyme disease, Anthrax, smallox and others. West Nile fever and others are rare for most physicians. The PDAs provide symptoms, details and procedures not easily remembered by doctors who haven't treated the illness.

Afford to the ability to help doctors and nurses save lives, portable handheld technology is a health care advance that we cannot afford to ignore.

Start building your handheld library by visiting LWW's PDA Products Store!
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Upcoming Events Featuring PDA Topics
In the month of October, the following meetings are being held with specific focus on PDAs, handheld technology, and the professional medical setting. For more meetings related to PDAs, visit www.eiseminars.com and doctorsgadgets.com.

22nd Annual Meeting of the National Assn. for Home Care & Hospice/3rd World Congress on Home Care Hospice
October 11 - 15, 2003
Gaylord Palms Resort and Convention Center
Orlando, Florida, USA
Contact: meetings@nahc.org

Medical Group Management Association Annual Conference
October 12 - 15, 2003
Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA

Helina 2003: Communication and Information Technology in the Global Fight Against HIV/AIDS
October 12 - 15, 2003
Sandton Convention Center
Johannesburg, South Africa
Contact: csafnan@cslink.com

4th Annual International Affiliates Meeting
October 16 - 17, 2003
Inter-Burgo and Park Hotel
Daegu, South Korea
Contact: meetinginfo@hi7.org

eHealth2003: Implementing Technology in Healthcare, International Health Association
October 16 - 17, 2003
Olympia 2, London
Contact: l.stidhu@hermning-group.co.uk

American Health Information Management Association Convention and Exhibit
October 18 - 23, 2003
Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA

BioSecurity 2003 Conference
October 20 - 22, 2003
Omni Shoreham Hotel
Harvard Medical International
Washington, D.C., USA
Contact: jennifer.ruten@key3me-clia.com

IMICH 2003
International Mobile Informatics Conference in Healthcare
November 1, 2003
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

CTIA Wireless I.T. & Entertainment 2003
October 22 - 24, 2003
Sands Expo
Las Vegas, Nevada, USA
Visit: www.ctashow.com

AMERICAN ACCREDITATION HEALTH CARE COMMISSION/URAC
October 22 - 24, 2003
San Diego, California, USA

FALL CIO FORUM
College of Healthcare Information Management Executives Fall CIO Forum
October 20 - 24, 2003
Westin Kierland Resort
Scottsdale, Arizona, USA

FALL CIO FORUM
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