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AGE WELL. BE WELL. EVENTS Jan - March, 2019

If you are not a member of the free AGE WELL BE WELL CLUB and would like to join and receive these event calendars, please call or visit the website to register.

1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

UH Locations

UH CLEVELAND MEDICAL CENTER

11100 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44106 216-844-1000

UH AHUJA MEDICAL CENTER

3999 Richmond Road Beachwood, Ohio 44122 216-593-5500

UH BEDFORD MEDICAL CENTER

44 Blaine Avenue Bedford, Ohio 44146 440-735-3900

UH CONNEAUT MEDICAL CENTER

158 West Main Road Conneaut, Ohio 44030 440-593-1131

UH ELYRIA MEDICAL CENTER

630 East River Street Elyria, Ohio 44035 440-329-7500

UH GEAUGA MEDICAL CENTER

13207 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024 440-285-6000

UH GENEVA MEDICAL CENTER

870 West Main Street Geneva, Ohio 44041 440-466-1141

UH PARMA MEDICAL CENTER

7007 Powers Boulevard Cleveland, Ohio 44129 440-743-3000

UH PORTAGE MEDICAL CENTER

6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266 330-297-0811

UH RICHMOND MEDICAL CENTER

27100 Chardon Road Cleveland, Ohio 44143 440-585-6500

UH ST. JOHN MEDICAL CENTER, A CATHOLIC HOSPITAL

29000 Center Ridge Road Westlake, Ohio 44145 440-835-8000

UH SAMARITAN MEDICAL CENTER

1025 Center Street Ashland, Ohio 44805 419-289-0491

UH Ahuja Medical Center

DIABETES MANAGEMENT CLASSES

Four classes provide a diabetes overview: Pathophysiology; Blood Glucose Monitoring; Nutrition; Pharmacology and Complications. Specialists in each area will be on hand to answer auestions.

Pam Brys, RN, CDE WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9, 16, 23, 30 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

UH Ahuja Medical Center Rosenberg Suite C 3999 Richmond Road Beachwood, Ohio 44122

No fee. Class size is limited. Registration is required: 216-593-1767

UH WELLNESS SEMINARS

Digestive System, Common GI Symptoms TUESDAY, JANUARY 8 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Heart Health Presenter: Don Neu RN, BSN Quality and Chest Pain Coordinator TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 6 – 7:30 p.m.

Healthy Lungs TUESDAY, MARCH 12 6 – 7:30 p.m.

UH Ahuja Medical Center Rosenberg Suite A/B 3999 Richmond Road

Beachwood, Ohio 44122

Please call to register: 216-593-1768

AGE WELL BE WELL **GATHERINGS**

New Beginnings WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16 4 – 6 p.m. Dinner provided.

Loving your Heart WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20 4 - 6 p.m.Dinner provided.

Welcoming Spring – Learning CPR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20 4 - 6 p.m.Dinner provided.

Warrensville Heights Civic and Senior Center 4567 Green Road Warrensville Heights, Ohio 44128

For information, call: 216-587-1250

SOLON RECREATION CENTER SCREENING

Blood Pressure, Cholesterol, Blood Glucose SATURDAY, JANUARY 12 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Solon Recreation Center 35000 Portz Parkway Solon, Ohio 44139

No fee, no fasting necessary

HEART HEALTH EXPO

FREE VASCULAR SCREENING SATURDAY, MARCH 30 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

UH Ahuja Medical Center Main Lobby Registration Desk 3999 Richmond Road Beachwood, Ohio 44122

Please call 216-415-6570 to register No fasting necessary

WOMEN'S HEALTH DAY

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

La Malfa 5783 Heisley Road Mentor, Ohio 44060

Breakfast will be served. Educational speakers Please call 216-415-6570 to register

DIABETIC SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAY- JANUARY 15. FEBRUARY 19, MARCH 19 6 - 7 p.m.

UH Ahuja Medical Center 3999 Richmond Road Beachwood, Ohio 44122

To register please call: 216-593-1767, Ext. 1210

MONTHLY BLOOD PRESSURE **SCREENINGS**

Solon Recreation Center MONDAYS - JANUARY 21, FEBRUARY 18, MARCH 18 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Solon Recreation Center 35000 Portz Parkway Solon, Ohio 44139

Warrensville Heights YMCA MONDAYS - JANUARY 14, FEBRUARY 11, MARCH 11 10:30 p.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Warrensville Heights YMCA 4433 Northfield Road Warrensville Heights, Ohio 44128

PREVENTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

University Hospitals Center for Lifelong Health is making it their mission to have every patient screened on time, every time. We are implementing comprehensive, convenient, and effective programs to screen our patients who meet recommended guidelines. Our team follows established protocols and advocates for regular screenings to help to prevent or detect diseases and treat patients early and save lives. In upcoming issues, we will provide a schedule of events and discuss in detail these services.

UH Avon Health Center

THE FITNESS CENTER AT UH AVON HEALTH CENTER: SPECIALTY CLASSES

All specialty group exercise classes below are free and open to the community, though pre-registration is required by calling 440-988-6801. Photo ID is required upon check-in to the facility. Ages 15 and over. Those under the age of 18 must have a legal guardian with them to sign liability waiver.

For specific questions, please contact: Renee Barrett, Program Manager 440-988-6822

Renee.Barrett@UHhospitals.org

UH Avon Health Center 1997 Healthway Drive Avon, Ohio 44011 UHhospitals.org/Fitness

AOUA PILATES

This Pilates approach is easier on your joints as the water increases the resistance of the moves as well as the benefits for your muscles. Unlike traditional Pilates, these exercises are performed standing.

SECOND MONDAY OF EACH MONTH 10 – 10:55 a.m.

BEGINNER YOGA CLASS

This class is designed for those who are new to yoga, and for participants who have learned the basic poses and breathing techniques. It is ideal for beginning flexibility and breathing conditioning.

SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH 11:30 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.

BEGINNER SPINNING CLASS

Learn the proper way for bike setup in this beginner's level Spinning (Group Cycling) exercise class. Your instructor will go through basic class formats including hill and race training, and train teaching watts (power generated from your cycling).

LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH 10:15 - 11:05 a.m.

RACE DAY

This advanced Spinning class is a 90-minute session in which your instructor leads you through a road race course on a Spin bike. The race includes hill training.

LAST SUNDAY OF JANUARY AND APRIL 10:15 – 11:05 a.m.

POUND® FITNESS

Using Ripstix – lightly weighted drumsticks engineered specifically for exercising – POUND transforms drumming into an incredibly effective way of working out. Instead of listening to music, you become the music in this exhilarating full-body workout that combines cardio, conditioning and strength training with yoga and Pilates-inspired movements.

SATURDAYS - JANUARY 12, FEBRUARY 9, MARCH 9

11:30 a.m. – 12:25 p.m.

INTRO TO TAI CHI

Learn the practice of Tai Chi and how our evidence-based program can benefit you. Set aside quality time for yourself to relax, breathe deeply, have fun and learn basic Tai Chi movements.

SATURDAYS - JANUARY 19, FEBRUARY 23

11:30 a.m. - 12:25 p.m.

BEYOND CANCER

This pro-active talk is for individuals with cancer, cancer survivors and family and friends to learn about how exercise can help improve quality of life, help your body fight the demands of cancer treatment, and how exercise can help speed up your recovery. This also provides an opportunity to learn about our on-site cancer exercise program led by Certified Clinical Cancer Exercise Specialists.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8 6 - 7 p.m.

BALANCE WELLNESS PRESENTATION

Ashlee Ladikos, Personal Trainer, will discuss the importance of balance and lead participants through examples using a variety of modalities. Participants will receive an exercise sheet to continue the exercises on their own. This workshop is for anyone wanting to improve their balance.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25

11:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

DIABETES ALERT DAY

Glucose Screening (fasting is not required) and post-screening nutrition presentation, "Preventing Chronic Disease with Nutrition," with Kim Horvath, Registered Dietitian and Certified Diabetes Educator. Fasting is not required.

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

10:30 - 11:30 a.m. | Screening 11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. | Nutrition Presentation

UH Avon Health Center cont.

CLASSES AND MEMBERSHIPS REQUIRING A FEE

Thinking about becoming a member of our award-winning 60,000 square foot state-of-the-art fitness center? To learn more about our current promotions, call 440-988-6801 and ask for membership services

HOPE: CANCER EXERCISE PROGRAM

HOPE is an exercise program for cancer patients at any stage of treatment who currently have a cancer diagnosis or have been in remission up to six months. The eight-week program is tailored to individual goals and needs and led by specially-trained and certified fitness professionals. It includes smallgroup workouts on:

TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

For details and schedule, contact Christopher.Ross@UHhospitals.org or call 440-988-6815.

Fee: \$50

Scholarships are available for those with a financial hardship.

HEALTHY HABITS FOR A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE

Join dietitian Kim Horvath, MEd, RDN, CDE for an eight-week weight management program that explores macronutrients, meal planning, portion control, behavior modification, label reading and physical activity. A healthy meal plan guide is provided. The program is designated for individuals with a Body Mass Index (BMI) of 27 or more and who are interested in losing weight. Pre- and post- program body composition measurements will be scheduled with each participant.

TUESDAYS: JANUARY 22, 29 | FEBRUARY 5, 12, 19, 26 | MARCH 5, 12 6 - 7 p.m.

Please call 440-988-6801 to pre-register. Fee: \$60 for this eight-week program

FOAM ROLLER WORKSHOP

Discover why foam rolling is good for you and the best ways do it in this hands-on workshop with Margo Gemperline, Licensed Massage Therapist. The benefits include injury prevention, reduction of muscle soreness, improved posture and flexibility and increased muscle relaxation following exertion. All participants will receive an exercise instruction booklet and 36 x 6 inch medium-density foam roller. .

MONDAYS: **JANUARY 7**

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. OR 6 - 7 p.m. MARCH 8

11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. OR 6 – 7 p.m.

Fee: \$40 fitness center member; \$45 guests. Please pre-register at least one week prior.

TAI CHI IMMERSION

Instructed by Leslie Noss, Tai Chi Instructor, this five-week program is open to everyone, even those who have never tried Tai Chi. A gentle program that, over the weeks, will strengthen both body and mind, utilizing breathing techniques, meditation and sun style Tai Chi. Tai Chi reduces stress, is beneficial for many medical conditions, and helps participants feel more confident in everyday movements. Chair may be used if a modified experience is needed.

SATURDAYS: MARCH 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Fee: \$60 fitness center member; \$70 guest. Please pre-register at least one week prior.

PERSONAL TRAINING CLASS

Over 55 and looking for the guidance of a personal trainer to improve balance, core strength and muscle tone? Join Certified Personal Trainer Beth Bastien for small group training sessions with 2-5 participants.

THURSDAYS

2 - 3 p.m.

Fee for six-week session: \$72 fitness center member; \$90 quest.

REGISTER TO BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

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UH Bedford Medical Center

YOGA WITH A TWIST

MONDAYS -JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 FEBRUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 MARCH 4, 11, 18, 25

FRIDAYS -JANUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 FEBRUARY 1, 8, 15, 22 MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 11 – 12 p.m.

Oakwood Village Community Center 23035 Broadway Avenue Oakwood Village, Ohio 44146 440-735-4739

BALANCE EXERCISE

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

The Mandel Jewish Community Center

Warrensville Community Apartments 1500 Warrensville Center Road Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44121

Please call 216-831-0700, Ext. 1210

COMMUNITY MUSIC EXPLORATION

Join Paul T. Ousley, MT-BC, UH Bedford Medical Center and Connor Integrative Health Network, for singing and socializing! You will enjoy meeting with other Age Well Be Well members while you sing and play instruments to your favorite songs.

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 16, FEBRUARY 20, MARCH 20 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Light of Hearts Villa 283 Union Street Bedford, Ohio 44146 440-735-4739

AFTERNOON BOOK DISCUSSION

JANUARY TITLE: "White Like Her" by Gail Lukasik

FEBRUARY TITLE: "Educated: A Memoir" by Tara Westover MARCH TITLE: "Camino Island" by John Grisham Copies of the book are available one month prior to the discussion date.

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9, FEBRUARY 6, MARCH 6 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Library Southeast Branch (Meeting Room 70) 70 Columbus Street Bedford, Ohio 44146

AFRICAN AMERICAN **AUTHORS BOOK GROUP**

Join us to explore all genres of African American writing. We will read African American classics, historical fiction, science fiction, mysteries, autobiographies, nonfiction and urban fiction.

JANUARY TITLE: "Beneath the Darkest Sky" by Jason Overstreet FEBRUARY TITLE: "The Sun Does Shine: How I Found Life and Freedom on Death Row" by Anthony Ray Hinton Copies of the book are available one month prior to the discussion date.

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 29. FEBRUARY 26

7 - 8:30 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Library Southeast Branch (Small Meeting Room) 70 Columbus Street Bedford, Ohio 44146

DINNER AND A MOVIE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 3 - 5 p.m.

UH Bedford Medical Center Cafeteria 44 Blaine Avenue Bedford, Ohio 44146

Reservations are ONLY accepted during the week prior to each event. 440-735-4739

COMPUTER CLASS

Individual computer help for seniors. Not a group class.

TUESDAYS -JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 FEBRUARY 5, 12, 19, 26 MARCH 5, 12, 19, 26 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

The Mandel Jewish **Community Center**

Warrensville Community Apartments 1500 Warrensville Center Road Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44121

Please call: 216-831-0700, Ext. 1210

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

Staying Motivated and Setting Goals

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31 10 – 11 a.m.

Finding Support in your Community THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28 10 – 11 a.m.

Carbohydrates, a Review THURSDAY, MARCH 28 10 - 11 a.m.

UH Bedford Medical Center 44 Blaine Avenue **Nutrition Office** Bedford, Ohio 44146

Call to register: 440-735-4700

DIABETES **SELF-MANAGEMENT EDUCATION**

Four-week class series held each Wednesday. The Diabetes Center at UH Bedford Medical Center offers comprehensive care for people with a medical history of diabetes or those recently diagnosed with the disease in a convenient outpatient setting.

UH Bedford Medical Center cont.

WEDNESDAYS -FEBRUARY 6, 13, 20, 27 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS - APRIL 3, 10, 17, 27 5:30 - 7 p.m.

UH Bedford Medical Center

44 Blaine Avenue **Nutrition Office** Bedford, Ohio 44146

Please note:

Diabetes Self-Management Classes are billable to your insurance provider, and a physician referral is required. For more information or assistance in obtaining a referral, please call 440-735-4700

ADULT COLORING CLASS

Coloring isn't just for kids. Coloring offers grown-ups a chance to relax, escape from life's stress and improve fine motor skills. Come learn about the color wheel, techniques of shading and blending as well as how to choose colors schemes that will ensure a masterpiece worthy of hanging on the fridge or even framing on your wall. All levels of artistic ability are welcome to join us as we explore our inner artist.

Coloring books and pencils will be provided. Feel free to attend as many classes as you would like.

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9, 23 FEBRUARY 13, 27 MARCH 13, 27

10 – 11 a.m.

UH Bedford Medical Center

Medical Office Building Conference Room 1 (Lower Level) 88 Center Road Bedford, Ohio 44146

Class size is limited. Please call: 440-735-4739

WALKING CLUB (INSIDE)

During the winter months the Walking Club will walk in the basement of Hope United Methodist Church. New walkers will receive a complimentary T-shirt upon sign-up.

MONDAYS -JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 FEBRUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 MARCH 4, 11, 18, 25 9:30 - 10 a.m.

Hope United Methodist Church

79 Center Road Bedford, Ohio 44146

Call to register: 440-735-4739 (Please use side entrance)

CHAIR EXERCISE

TUESDAYS-JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 FEBRUARY 5, 12, 19, 26 MARCH 5, 12, 19, 26 (No class on January 1) 10:30 - 11:15 a.m.

Light of Hearts Villa 283 Union Street Bedford, Ohio 44146

Call to register: 440-735-4739

MANAGE YOUR DIABETES

The Diabetes Center at UH Bedford Medical Center offers comprehensive diabetes care in an outpatient setting. A dietitian from the Diabetes Center will provide an overview of the disease process, discuss how to interpret blood glucose results, and teach participants about how a healthy diet and lifestyle can help manage diabetes.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Public Library Southeast Branch (Meeting Room 70) 70 Columbus Street Bedford, Ohio 44146

UH Conneaut Medical Center

FFATURED EVENTS

ALBION SENIOR CENTER PRESENTATIONS

Join us the second Tuesday of each month for a new health topic presentation.

JANUARY 8: Sustainable Food Systems FEBRUARY 12: : Heart Healthy Bingo MARCH 12: Living Well With Your Lungs

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 8, FEBRUARY 12, MARCH 12 10:30 - 11 a.m.

Albion Senior Center

9 Academy Street Albion, Pennsylvania 16401

Please call: 440-998-0107

ORWELL COUNTRY NEIGHBOR PRESENTATIONS

JANUARY 7: Sustainable Food Systems FEBRUARY 7: Heart Healthy Bingo MARCH 7: Living Well With Your Lungs

MONDAY - JANUARY 7 MONDAYS - FEBRUARY 7, MARCH 7 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Orwell Country Neighbor 39 South Maple Street Orwell, Ohio 44076

Please call: 440-593-0364

UH Conneaut Medical Center cont.

FFATURED EVENTS

ANDOVER COMMUNITY **CENTER PRESENTATIONS**

JANUARY 8: Sustainable Food Systems FEBRUARY 6: Heart Healthy Bingo MARCH 6: Living Well With Your Lungs

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 8 WEDNESDAYS - FEBRUARY 6, MARCH 6

11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Andover Community Center 181 South Main Street Andover, Ohio 44003

Please call: 440-593-0364

HEALTH SMART

JANUARY 9: Sustainable Food Systems FEBRUARY 13: Heart Healthy Bingo MARCH 13: Living Well With Your Lungs

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9, FEBRUARY 13, MARCH 13 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Conneaut Human Resource Center 327 Mill Street

Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-593-0364

DIABETIC SUPPORT GROUP CONNEAUT

Join us each month for new topics and ideas to encourage you with your diabetic health.

THURSDAYS - JANUARY 17, FEBRUARY 21, MARCH 21 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Conneaut Human Resource Center 327 Mill Street

Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-593-0364

DIABETIC SUPPORT GROUP **ANDOVER**

Join us each month for new topics and ideas to encourage you with your diabetic health.

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 8, WEDNESDAYS - FEBRUARY 6, MARCH 6

1 - 2 p.m.

Andover Community Center 181 South Main Street

Andover, Ohio 44003

Please call: 440-593-0364

DIABETIC SUPPORT GROUP **ORWELL**

Join us each month for new topics and ideas to encourage you with your diabetic health.

MONDAYS - JANUARY 7 THURSDAY - MARCH 7

10 - 11:30 a.m.

Orwell Country Neighbor

39 South Maple Orwell, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-593-0364

CONNEAUT HUMAN RESOURCE CENTER SCREENINGS

Blood Pressure, Glucose and Cholesterol Screening

TUESDAY, MARCH 19

8:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Conneaut Human Resource Center

327 Mills Street

Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-593-0364

ORWELL COUNTRY NEIGHBOR SCREENINGS

Blood Pressure, Glucose and Cholesterol Screening

THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 7 8:30 – 11 a.m.

Orwell Country Neighbor 39 South Maple Street

Orwell, Ohio 44076

Please call: 440-992-3639

SILVER SNEAKER CONNEAUT

JANUARY 9: Sustainable Food Systems

FEBRUARY 13: Heart Health

MARCH 13: Living Well With Your Lungs

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9. FEBRUARY 13, MARCH 13

9:30 – 10 a.m.

New Leaf Church

110 Gateway Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-998-0107

SCREENINGS AT NEW LEAF CHURCH IN CONNEAUT

Screening: Blood Pressure, Glucose and Cholesterol

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

8:30 – 9 a.m.

New Leaf Church

110 Gateway Avenue Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-998-0107

WEIGHT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP

Join us each Monday morning at Snap Fitness, where we will have new topics and speakers each month to encourage you on your weight loss journey and share new ideas.

MONDAYS -JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 FEBRUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 MARCH 4, 11, 18, 25 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Snap Fitness Conneaut 236 Main Avenue

Conneaut, Ohio 44030

Please call: 440-998-0107

UH Elyria Medical Center

SEMINARS AND EXPOS

These events will be held at:

UH Elyria Medical Center Gates Auditorium 125 Broad Street

Elyria, Ohio 44035

Space is Limited Please call 844-312-5433 to register.

HEART HEALTH EXPO

Presented by Marwan Ghazoul, MD Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgeon

FREE Health Screenings

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7 6 - 8 p.m.

COLON CANCER AND WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Presented by Craig Harris, MD **Board Certified Gastroenterologist**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21 6 - 8 p.m.

NEW & INNOVATIVE TREATMENTS IN **CORONARY CARE**

Presented by Marwan Ghazoul, MD Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgeon

THURSDAY, MARCH 14 6 - 8 p.m.

WOMEN'S HEALTH EXPO

Panel discussions by clinical experts. Hear the latest health information related to heart disease, joint pain, weight loss and more

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Free health screenings light refreshments and giveaways.

Registration for Expo required by March 13 Doors open at 8 a.m.

SCREENINGS

For more information about any of our programs, contact the UH Elyria Medical Center Outreach Department at 440-284-5709.

GLUCOSE SCREENING

JANUARY 22 FEBRUARY 19 MARCH 26

7 - 9 a.m.

UH Elyria Medical Center Lobby 630 East River Street

Elyria, Ohio 44035

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

Closed on all holidays or inclement weather.

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH 8:30 – 10 a.m.

UH Avon Health Center 1997 Healthway Drive Avon, Ohio 44011

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF **EACH MONTH** 9:30 – 11 a.m.

Avon Senior Center

Community Meeting Room 36786 Detroit Road Avon, Ohio 44011

THIRD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH 12:30 - 2 p.m.

Avon Lake Senior Center

Old Firehouse Community Center 100 Avon Belden Road Avon Lake, Ohio 44012

BLOOD PRESSURE, GLUCOSE, CHOLESTEROL AND BONE **DENSITY SCREENINGS**

No fasting is required and no reservations are necessary. Screenings may be canceled due to inclement weather.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Avon Lake Senior Center Old Firehouse Community Center 100 Avon Belden Road Avon, Ohio 44012

FREE LOWER EXTREMITY SCREENING TO RISK ASSESS **FOR PAD**

SATURDAY, MARCH 23 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

UH Elyria Medical Center Gates Medical Building Room 101

Space is Limited Registration is needed call 800-883-3674

REGISTER TO BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

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FEBRUARY IS HEART MONTH DID YOU KNOW HEART DISEASE CAN HAPPEN AT ANY AGE?

Heart disease is the leading cause of death for men and women in the United States. Every year, 1 in 4 deaths are caused by heart disease.

More frequently the conditions and behaviors that put people at risk and lead to heart disease are affecting younger people (ages 35-64). Half of all Americans have at least one of the top risk factors for heart disease. Are you at risk?

- High blood pressure
- High blood cholesterol
- Smoking

University Hospitals Center for Lifelong Health made it our mission to have every patient screened on time, every time. We have implemented comprehensive, convenient and effective programs to screen our patients who meet nationally recognized guidelines. Our team follows established protocols and advocates for regular screenings to help to prevent or detect and treat patients early and save lives.

Register for our health and wellness seminars, risk assessments and free screenings and learn how to be heart healthy at any age.

DO YOU HAVE PAIN AND/OR CRAMPING IN YOUR LEGS? IT MIGHT BE PAD.

Peripheral artery disease (PAD) is a serious condition that occurs when blood flow through the legs and feet is restricted by the build-up of fatty deposits in the blood vessels of the legs. More than 50 percent of those with peripheral artery disease (PAD) have no symptoms.

PAD is a serious condition that occurs when blood flow through the legs and feet is restricted by the build-up of fatty deposits in the blood vessels of the legs. It can cause pain and cramping that can make walking – and life – miserable. In extreme cases, PAD can result in the loss of a leg or foot to amputation. If you answer yes to any of these questions, find out your risk at our free screening event:

- Are you 50 years of age or older?
- Do you have diabetes?
- Have you ever smoked?
- Do you have high blood pressure and/or high cholesterol?

Check event details to schedule your free extremity screening to assess your risk for PAD:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26 - UH Parma Medical Center - Call 800-883-3674 to register SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16 – UH Parma Health Education Center – Call 440-743-4878 to register SATURDAY, MARCH 16 - UH Parma Health Education Center - Call 440-743-2651 to register SATURDAY, MARCH 23 – UH Elyria Gates Medical Building – Call 800-883-3674 to register

UH Elyria Medical Center cont.

CLASSES & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS: DIABETES EDUCATION

The Diabetes Education Program at UH Elyria Medical Center and UH Avon Health Center provides information and support for anyone living with the disease. Whether diabetes is a new diagnosis or improved blood sugar is needed, we are here to help. A physician referral is required to participate.

Many insurance plans cover diabetes education. Contact your insurance provider to verify coverage. This program is recognized by the American Diabetes Association.

INDIVIDUAL DIABETES **EDUCATION**

Offered Monday through Friday. Late afternoon and evening hours are available on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Individual and Group Sessions

UH Elyria Medical Center 630 East River Street Elyria, Ohio 44035

Individual Sessions only:

UH Avon Health Center 1997 Healthway Drive Avon, Ohio 4401

DIABETES EDUCATION GROUP CLASSES

You must attend an individual session before attending group classes.

WEDNESDAYS, MARCH 6, 13, 20 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

For more information and schedule details about Diabetes Education, call Kim Horvath, MEd, RDN, LD, CDE at 440-284-5709

DIABETES COMMUNITY MEETING

You must attend an individual session before attending group classes.

WEDNESDAYS -**JANUARY 9** FEBRUARY 13 MARCH 13

UH Elyria Medical Center

Fast River Street Elyria, Ohio 44035

Please call: 440-284-5709

HEALTHY LIFESTYLE MEDICAL **NUTRITION THERAPY**

Offered Monday through Friday. Late afternoon and evening hours are available on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. The Healthy Lifestyle program offers nutrition counseling with a registered dietitian/nutritionist. If you need to lose weight, gain weight, or have been diagnosed with high cholesterol, pre-diabetes, food intolerances or other conditions which may be better managed by diet, let us help to get you on track.

MONDAY - FRIDAYS

For more information and schedule details about Diabetes Education, call Kim Horvath, MEd, RDN, LD, CDE at 440-284-5709

UH Geauga Medical Center

DINNER AND A MOVIE

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 23, **TUESDAY-FEBRUARY 19** WEDNESDAY - MARCH 27 3 - 6 p.m.

UH Geauga Medical Center Conference Room

13207 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3180 Reservations are only accepted 2 weeks prior to each event.

GARDENING FOR LIFELONG HEALTH

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13 3 - 4 p.m.

UH Geauga Medical Center

Conference Room 13207 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3180

ELDERBERRIES: SENIORS RIPE FOR ADVENTURE

Down on the Farm / Blood Pressure screenings

Return to 1958 in a bit of historical fiction portraying family life in Geauga County 60 years ago as winter, dairy farming, maple sugaring, wildlife, entertainment and other elements of rural living are experienced.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17

1 - 2:30 p.m.Coffee & desserts provided

The West Woods 9464 Kinsman Road

Novelty, Ohio 44072

Please call: 440-214-3180

UH Geauga Medical Center cont.

Mystery Mammals of Geauga County / UH Wellness Program

Bobcats and otters and bears oh my! Flying squirrels and fishers and porcupines, oh deer! An overview of seldom seen wildlife in Geauga County.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28

1 - 2:30 p.m.Dessert/Coffee provided

The West Woods

9464 Kinsman Road Novelty, Ohio 44072

Please call: 440-214-3180

Geauga County's Maple Sugaring Heritage / UH Wellness Program

THURSDAY, MARCH 21

11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Lunch provided

Century Village – Bond Building 14653 Park Street

Burton, Ohio 44021

Please call: 440-214-3180

FIGHTING AGAINST **PARKINSON'S**

Non-contact Boxing & Fitness Class Class is for seniors diagnosed with Parkinson's disease. Goal of this

program is to delay the progression of Parkinson symptoms through a variety of exercises and core conditioning.

MONDAYS -JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28

FEBRUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 MARCH 4, 11, 18, 25

WEDNESDAYS -JANUARY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

FEBRUARY 6, 13, 20, 27 MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27

FRIDAYS -

JANUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 FEBRUARY 1, 8, 15, 22

MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 9:30 – 11 a.m.

Taekwondo Center

209 Center Street Chardon Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-279-2137

Monthly fee: \$45

STRENGTHS AND WEIGHTS

TUESDAYS -JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 FEBRUARY 5, 12, 19, 26 MARCH 5, 12, 19, 26

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28 10 – 11 a.m.

West Geauga Senior Center 12646 West Geauga Plaza Chesterland, Ohio 44026

Please call: 440-214-3180

BOXING

TUESDAYS -JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 FEBRUARY 5, 12, 19, 26 MARCH 5, 12, 19, 26 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

West Geauga Senior Center 12646 West Geauga Plaza Chesterland, Ohio 44026

Please call: 440-214-3180

LINE DANCING

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Chardon Senior Center 12555 Ravenwood Drive

Chardon, Ohio 44024 Please call: 440-214-3180

Fee: \$3

MATTER OF BALANCE

Are you concerned about falling? Interested in improving balance, flexibility and strength? Falls are preventable and this class can make a difference. (Class is a 4-week session, 2 days per week.)

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 THURSDAYS - JANUARY 10, 17, 24, 31 1 - 3 p.m.

Hamlet Village

200 Hamlet Hill Drive Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023

Please call: 440-214-3180

LUNCH AND LEARN

Your Trip to the Hospital

TUESDAY, MARCH 12 12 – 1 p.m.

Mapleview Country Villa 775 South Street Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-286-8176

CHAIR YOGA

THURSDAY, MARCH 7 11 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Geauga County Public Library Geauga West Branch 13455 Chillicothe Road Chesterland, Ohio 44026

Please call: 440-214-3180

HEART TO HEART DANCE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21

9 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch provided

Park Elementary Auditorium 111 Goodrich Court

Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-279-2130 Cost: \$10 In collaboration with Geauga Department on Aging.

UH Geauga Medical Center cont.

NORMA N. CHAPMAN SENIOR ASSESSMENT PROGRAM OVERVIEW

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7 2 - 3 p.m.

Maplewood at Chardon A Senior Living Community 12350 Bass Lake Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3180

UNDERSTANDING YOUR HOSPITAL ADMISSION **STATUS**

MONDAY, MARCH 25 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Chardon Senior Center 12555 Ravenwood Drive Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3180

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

THURSDAYS: JANUARY 3, FEBRUARY 7, MARCH 7 2 - 3 p.m.

Maplewood at Chardon A Senior Living Community 12350 Bass Lake Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-285-3300

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19 THURSDAY, MARCH 21

10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Geauga YMCA 12460 Bass Lake Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3180

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

MONDAYS: JANUARY 7, FEBRUARY 4, MARCH 4

8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

West Farmington Senior Center 150 College Street West Farmington, Ohio 44491

Please call: 440-214-3180

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

THURSDAYS - JANUARY 3, FEBRUARY 7, MARCH 7

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

West Geauga Senior Center 12646 West Geauga Plaza Chesterland, Ohio 44062

Please call: 440-214-3180

BALANCE SCREENINGS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 15 1 - 4:30 p.m.

Outpatient Rehabilitation Center at Geauga YMCA 12360 Bass Lake Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3101

LIBRARY OUTREACH **PROGRAMS**

Early Heart Attack Care WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13 2 - 3 p.m.

Overview Geauga Department on Aging Services / Programs & UH Age Well Be Well Program

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21

2 - 3 p.m

SPRING INTO ACTION THURSDAY, MARCH 21 2 - 3 p.mBainbridge Public Library 17222 Snyder Road Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023

Please call: 440-214-3180

HEART HEALTH EXPO

Health Screenings provided

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

UH Geauga Medical Center Main Lobby 13207 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

APHASIA SUPPORT GROUP

MONDAYS - JANUARY 7, FEBRUARY 4, MARCH 4 6 – 8 p.m.

Outpatient Rehabilitation Center at Geauga YMCA 12360 Bass Lake Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-214-3101

STROKE SUPPORT GROUP

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 9, FEBRUARY 13, MARCH 13 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

West Geauga Senior Center 12646 West Geauga Plaza Chesterland, Ohio 44024

Please call: 440-285-6724

LIVING WITH LYMPHEDEMA SUPPORT GROUP

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 16, FEBRUARY 20, MARCH 20 6 - 8 p.m.

UH Concord Health Center Community Room 7500 Auburn Road Concord, Ohio 44024

No registration required Refreshments will be served

UH Geauga Medical Center cont.

MIND, BODY & SPIRIT

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11

1:30 p.m. – Refreshments will be served 2 – 3 p.m. – Program

The Federated Church

76 Bell Street

Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023

Please call: 440-214-3180

WOMEN'S HEALTH EXPO

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

La Malfa

5783 Heisley Road Mentor, Ohio 44060

Please call: 216-415-6570

GEAUGA WELLNESS SERIES

Digestive Health TUESDAY, JANUARY 10 6 - 8 p.m.

Diabetes Awareness

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

6 - 8 p.m.

Early Heart Attack Care

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

6 - 8 p.m.

Healthy Lungs

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

6 - 8 p.m.

UH Geauga Medical Center

Conference Room 13207 Ravenna Road Chardon, Ohio 44024

Please call: 216-415-6570

ASK A PHARMACIST

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Middlefield Senior Center 15820 Ridgewood Drive

Middlefield, Ohio 44062

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

10 – 11:30 a.m.

Chardon Senior Center

12555 Ravenwood Drive Chardon, Ohio 44024

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

West Geauga Senior Center

12646 West Geauga Plaza Chesterland, Ohio 44026

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

12 – 1 p.m.

West Farmington Senior Center

150 College Street

West Farmington, Ohio 44491

Please call: 440-214-3180

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1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

UH Geneva Medical Center

FEATURED EVENTS

THE ASHTABULA AND EASTERN LAKE COUNTY **RURAL UNDERSERVED** WOMEN'S PROJECT

This is an important initiative offering a variety of breast health-related services to women in the communities we serve.

Underserved Women's Project Offers:

- Clinical breast examinations and screening mammograms for Uninsured and underinsured women ages 40 - 64
- Breast health education sessions that cover topic like breast Self-awareness and breast self-examination.

Preregistration is required

Free Mammogram screening: To see if you qualify call 440-998-0695

UH Conneaut Medical Center 158 West Main Road Conneaut, Ohio 44030

UH Geneva Medical Center 870 West Main Street Geneva, Ohio 44041

Free transportation available. To see if you qualify for this program, call: 440-998-0695

SILVER SNEAKERS ASHTABULA

JANUARY 8: A New Year, A New You screenings for a life time.

FEBRUARY 12: A Matter of Heart

MARCH 12: Living Well With Your Lungs

TUESDAYS -JANUARY 8. FEBRUARY 12, MARCH 12

11:15 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Ashtabula YMCA - Silver Sneakers 263 West Prospect Road Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Please call: 440-998-0680

MADISON SENIOR **CENTER PRESENTATIONS**

JANUARY 15: A New Year, A New You, screenings for a life time FEBRUARY 19: A Matter of Heart MARCH 19: Living Well With Your Lungs

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 15. FEBRUARY 19, MARCH 19

11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Madison Senior Center 2938 Hubbard Road Madison, Ohio 44057

Please call: 440-428-6664

GENEVA HEALTH FORUM AND LUNCHEON

JANUARY 16: A New Year, A New You, screenings for a life time FEBRUARY 20: A Matter of Heart MARCH 20: Advanced Directive Workshop

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 16, FEBRUARY 20, MARCH 20 11:15 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Geneva Community Center 72 West Main Street Geneva, Ohio 44041

Please RSVP: 440-998-0680

SCREENINGS AT ASHTABULA YMCA

Screenings: Blood Pressure, Glucose and Cholesterol

TUESDAY, MARCH 12 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. YMCA Ashtabula 263 West Prospect Road Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Please call: 440-998-0680

SILVER SNEAKERS MADISON

JANUARY 28: Sustainable Food Systems FEBRUARY 25: Heart Healthy Bingo MARCH 25: Living Well With Your Lungs

MONDAYS - JANUARY 28, FEBRUARY 25, MARCH 25 11:15 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Lake County YMCA 730 North Lake Street Madison, Ohio 44057

Please call: 440-998-0608

SCREENINGS AT MADISON YMCA

Free Screenings: Blood Pressure, Glucose and Cholesterol

MONDAYS - JANUARY 28. FEBRUARY 25, MARCH 25 8:30 – 10 a.m.

Madison YMCA 730 North Lake Street Madison, Ohio 44057

Please call: 440-998-0608

WALK WITH AN EXPERT

Join us for a walk inside the Ashtabula Towne Square. An expert will be at the Towne Square each month to walk with you and be available to answer guestions related to their area of expertise.

THURSDAYS - JANUARY 3, FEBRUARY 7, MARCH 3 8 – 10 a.m.

Ashtabula Towne Square 3315 North Ridge East Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Please call: 440-998-0107

UH Parma Medical Center

FEATURED EVENTS

HOW'S YOUR SLEEP?

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17 6 – 8 p.m.

Presentation by John Andrefsky, MD, UH Neurological Institute and Mujjahid Abbas, MD, General Surgeon

UH Parma Medical Center

Auditorium 7007 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Light Refreshments

Free. Space is limited. Call to register: 440-743-4932

HOW TO KNOW WHEN REHABILITATION IS RIGHT FOR YOU OR A LOVED ONE

"Many people think their only option for continued recovery after being in the hospital is at a skilled nursing facility (SNF) or Nursing Home (NH). But at UH Parma Medical Center, we offer a unique setting for recovering from falls, strokes, head injury, spinal cord injuries, trauma and many other medical issues that lead to hospitalization. At our Acute Rehabilitation Unit patients are provided with 24 hour a day nursing care, medical oversight and intensive Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapies. Join us as we provide valuable information on the rehabilitation process and how to ensure you or your loved one has the opportunity to receive care that will ensure a safe and independent return home."

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25 10 a.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

KEEPING YOUR HEART HEALTHY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Presentation by Dr. Farshad Forouzandeh, MD, PhD, Interventional Cardiologist.

Free health screenings, including lower extremity to assess risk of PAD, cooking demos and more.

Must register for PAD screening. Light Refreshments

Doors open at 8:00 a.m. – presentation at 10:30 a.m. Space is limited. Free

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4878

WOMEN'S HEALTH EXPO

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

All ages are welcome. Panel discussions by clinical experts from UH Parma Medical Center. Hear the latest health information related to heart disease, joint pain, weight loss and more. Free health screenings, including lower extremity to assess risk of PAD. Must register for PAD screening. Light Refreshment and Giveaways. Doors open at 8am. Free. Registration required by March 13. Space is limited.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-2651

INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE - IBD

Dany Raad, MD, Gastroenterologist, Medical Director for the UH Parma Digestive Institute will discuss the two most common types of inflammatory bowel diseases which are ulcerated colitis and Crohn's disease. Learn about the symptoms and management options both medical and surgical. This free session takes place at UH Parma Medical Center, Auditorium, 7007 Powers Blvd., Parma. A light refreshment will be provided.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19 5 p.m.

UH Parma Medical Center

Auditorium 7007 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Call to register: 440-743-4932 Space is limited so register early.

TOUR OUR NEW DIGESTIVE **HEALTH INSTITUTE**

After the presentation located at:

6707 Powers Boulevard, Suite 304 Parma, Ohio 44129

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1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

HEALTH EDUCATION

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION: DINING FOR ONE

In this session you will learn how to meal plan, use batch cooking at the beginning of the week, and take care of yourself during meal times. There will be a cooking demo and sample of a dish that can be frozen and reheated easily. Recipe will be included. Space is limited so register early.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8 4:30 p.m.

UH Parma Medical Center Cafeteria 7007 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Call to register: 440-743-4932

IMMUNITY HEALTH

Have you been wondering about the health benefits of essential oils? Come learn how daily use can boost your immunity and simplify and empower your life. Increase energy and vitality through wholefood supplements and oils.

MONDAY, JANUARY 28 10 a.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

MEDICATION MANAGEMENT

Learn about the importance of medication management. Discuss potential tips and practices that could be used to help ensure medication safety. Come with questions about how to improve your understanding of appropriate medication use.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28 10 a.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

PREVENT DIABETES WITH LIFESTYLE CHANGES

Join lifestyle coach Elicia Polacek as she discusses evidence-based ways to prevent diabetes through lifestyle changes. Topics that will be covered include healthy eating, increasing activity and dealing with life challenges.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6 10 a.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 11 6 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

UNDERSTANDING THE BASICS OF THE ANTI-INFLAMMATORY DIET

We will discuss foods that may help reduce chronic inflammation and foods that may fuel the inflammatory process. Discussion on some of the research into diseases that may be affected by chronic inflammation, like cancer, arthritis and depression.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12 4:30 p.m.

UH Parma Medical Center Cafeteria 7007 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Call to register: 440-743-4932

BARIATRIC SURGERY INFORMATIONAL SESSION

If you're interested in weight loss surgery at UH Parma Medical Center, register for one of our free, new patient information sessions. Learn about the surgical weight loss program from a UH Parma Medical Center bariatric surgeon.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

UH Parma Metabolic Clinic

Medical Arts Center Building 2 6707 Powers Boulevard, Suite 303 Parma, Ohio 44129

Call 216-844-5274 for more information and to register.

You may also watch online at www.uhhospitals.org/weightloss

MEDICAL WEIGHT LOSS INFORMATIONAL SESSION

Learn about the New Directions Medically Supervised Weight Loss Program.

For complete information about the program and session dates and times.

Call: 440-743-2995

JOINT REPLACEMENT SESSION

One-time informational session for patients scheduled for or contemplating total joint replacement surgery at UH Parma Medical Center.

Call: 440-743-4024 for dates and times.

YMCA'S DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAM

Did you know that losing a modest amount of weight and increasing your physical activity could help you prevent or delay type 2 diabetes? The YMCA's Diabetes Prevention Program can help you reach your healthy living goals. The program has been shown to reduce the number of new cases of diabetes by 58%. The reduction was even greater for adults over 60. This year-long small group program is for people who are at high risk for becoming diabetic. Generous financial scholarships are available. You do not have to be a YMCA member to join this program.

440-574-0580 healthyliving@cleveland.org

HEALTH EDUCATION

CHAIR YOGA

For people with physical limitations and people who don't think they can keep up in a regular yoga class. Focus will be on body awareness, breath and relaxation.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. 6 sessions | \$48

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

Walk-Ins: \$8

YOGA (NEW TIME)

Dress comfortably; bring a small blanket or towel and a water bottle to all yoga classes. Yoga mats provided. Attain body awareness, relaxation, flexibility and body/mind balance through a system of exercises and breathing.

BEGINNERS/GENTLE

MONDAY, JANUARY 7

6:30 - 8 p.m.6 sessions | \$60

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9

6:30 – 8 p.m. 6 sessions | \$60

MODERATE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10 7 – 8:30 p.m. 6 sessions | \$60

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Call to register: 440-743-4932

Walk-Ins: \$10

Two Days a Week: \$5 discount

FREE SCREENINGS

BALANCE SCREENING

The Berg Balance Test is used to assess balance and identify and predict fall risks. Screening takes approximately 15 minutes to complete.

THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 21

12 - 3 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Appointments required. Please call: 440-743-4932

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Walk-In

EVERY WEDNESDAY

1 - 2 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

9 – 10 a.m.

Broadview Heights Community Center

9543 Broadview Road Broadview Heights, Ohio 44147

FIRST THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH

10 – 11 a.m.

Brooklyn Senior Center

7727 Memphis Road Brooklyn, Ohio 44144

SECOND FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Independence Senior Center

6363 Selig Drive

Independence, Ohio 44131

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

9 – 10:30 a.m.

North Royalton Senior Center

Office on Aging 13500 Ridge Road

North Royalton, Ohio 44133

SECOND FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Parma Senior Center

Office on Aging

7001 W. Ridgewood Avenue Parma, Ohio 44129

THIRD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Parma Heights Senior Center

9275 North Church Drive Parma Heights, Ohio 44130

SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH

8 – 10 a.m.

Seven Hills Recreation Center

7777 Summitview Road Seven Hills, Ohio 44131

Questions: 440-743-4932

GLUCOSE SCREENING

Walk-In

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 2, JANUARY 16, FEBRUARY 6, FEBRUARY 20, MARCH 6, MARCH 20

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Questions: 440-743-4932

FREE SCREENINGS

BONE DENSITY SCREENING FOR WOMEN

Testing is done on the heel without socks or pantyhose.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, MARCH 20

9 – 11 a.m.

5 – 6:30 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Appointments required. Please call: 440-743-4932

FREE LOWER EXTREMITY SCREENING FOR YOUR RISK OF PERIPHERAL ARTERY DISEASE (PAD)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

By Appointment Only

UH Parma Medical Center, 1st Floor, Cardiovascular Service

7007 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Call 1-800-883-3674 to register - space is limited

REGISTER TO BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

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1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

CALCIUM SCORING: THE NO-COST TEST THAT CAN HELP PREDICT HEART ATTACKS

Have you made a resolution to take better care of your health in 2019? If so, University Hospitals Harrington Heart & Vascular Institute offers a simple X-ray test that can help predict your future risk for heart attack. CT coronary calcium scoring is performed without the use of an intravenous line or the use of X-ray contrast material, and takes just 5 to 10 minutes to complete.

Fast, easy and painless, the test measures the amount of calcium that has accumulated in the walls of your coronary arteries and provides physicians with a coronary artery calcium score. The higher your score is, the greater your risk of experiencing a cardiovascular event within the next decade.

Cardiac CT imaging is recommended for men 45 years of age and older and women 55 and older who do not have a history of coronary artery disease. Additionally, patients should have one or more risk factors for heart disease, such as high blood cholesterol, low HDL cholesterol, high blood pressure, cigarette smoking, type 2 diabetes, a family history of heart disease, or are age 40 and older diagnosed with a chronic inflammatory condition.

This technology has been available for many years, but few people have had the test due to its relatively high cost – it is not typically covered by insurance. UH is offering CT coronary calcium scoring at no cost due to its significant potential to positively impact the health of the patients we serve.

Depending upon your score, you may be referred to a UH Harrington Heart and Vascular Institute physician to discuss prevention strategies that can help reduce your risk for a cardiac event.

A doctor's order is required to schedule a no-cost calcium score test, so talk to your doctor and see if this test is right for you. Once you have an order, then call 216-844-1700 to schedule the test.

HEALTH SCREENINGS WITH A FEE

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

Includes total cholesterol, HDL, LDL, triglycerides and blood sugar. A 12-hour fast is recommended for best results.

WEDNESDAYS -JANUARY 16, MARCH 20 9 – 11 a.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Appointments required. Please call: 440-743-4932

Fee: \$30

NON-FASTING CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

Includes total cholesterol, HDL and blood sugar. No fasting necessary.

WEDNESDAYS, JANUARY 16, MARCH 20

5 - 6:30 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Please call: 440-743-4932

Fee: \$15

Appointments required.

SUPPORT GROUPS

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT

FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH 7 - 8:30 p.m.

SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH 1:30 - 3 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center

7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

For caregivers only. Please call: 1-800-272-3900

FOOD ADDICTS ANONYMOUS

Having trouble staying on a diet or eating plan? Do you crave sugar and high-carb foods? Are you shaky, angry or moody when you skip a meal? Do you think about food all the time? This group can help.

EVERY FRIDAY

10 – 11 a.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road

Parma, Ohio 44134

Please call: 440-237-3967

LOOK GOOD...FEEL BETTER® PROGRAM

For women undergoing cancer treatment to help with appearancerelated side effects.

UH Parma Medical Center

6525 Powers Boulevard Parma, Ohio 44129

Call to register: 1-800-227-2345

PARKINSON'S **DISEASE SUPPORT**

SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

1 - 2:30 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road

Parma, Ohio 44134

Please call: 216-524-6354

POST-LSVT SPEECH THERAPY

This support group is for those living with Parkinson's disease and who have completed the Lee Silverman Voice Treatment Program.

SECOND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road

Parma, Ohio 44134

Please call: 440-743-4160

SHARED GRIEF SUPPORT

This program is a seven-week grief support group offered by bereavement care providers. Evening groups available four times a year.

Please Call:

Amy Quinlan at 440-743-4944

STROKE AND ARTHRITIS INFORMATION AND SUPPORT

THIRD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH 1 - 2:30 p.m.

UH Parma Health Education Center 7300 State Road Parma, Ohio 44134

Please call: 440-743-4041

COMMUNITY NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Westshore Primary Care dietitian Julie Wise, MS, RDN, LD, CDE holds monthly community nutrition programs at local Community Senior Centers. Topics range from one-dish dinners to immune health, and even healthy eating on a budget.

Current program locations include: North Royalton, Parma and Brooklyn Senior Centers

Please call: 440-250-8660

SUPPORT GROUPS

NEW PERSPECTIVES: WEIGHT MANAGEMENT SUPPORT

Education and support for bariatric surgery patients and others interested in weight-loss surgery.

FOURTH WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH

6 - 7 p.m.

UH Parma Medical Center

Medical Arts Center 2 6707 Powers Boulevard Suite 303 Parma, Ohio 44129

Must register.

Please call: 216-743-2995

UH Portage Medical Center

CHAIR YOGA

MONDAYS -JANUARY 7, 14, 21

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center

Mangin Fitness Room 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

WEDNESDAYS - JANUARY 23, FEBRUARY 27, MARCH 27

9:15 - 9:45 a.m.

Portage County Senior Center

705 Oakwood Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Please call: 330-297-2576

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WEDNESDAYS -JANUARY 9, 16, 23, 30 FEBRUARY 6, 13, 27 MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27 4 - 5 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center

Mangin Fitness Room 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Call for information: 330-297-2576

Fee: \$5 per session

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES

THURSDAYS - JANUARY 3, FEBRUARY 7 1 - 7 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building Room 150 6847 North Chestnut Street

THURSDAY - MARCH 7

Ravenna, Ohio 44266

UH Portage Medical Center

Community Room 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

MONDAY, JANUARY 21

12 – 6 p.m.

1 - 7 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center

Community Room 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

MONDAYS - FEBRUARY 25, MARCH 25 12 - 6 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building

Room 150 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAYS - FEBRUARY 25, MARCH 25 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center Meeting Room A 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

DIABETES SELF MANAGEMENT EDUCATION

THURSDAYS - JANUARY 3, 10, 17 3 - 5 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Registration required. Please call: 330-297-2576

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

TUESDAYS - FEBRUARY 19, MARCH 19 12:30 - 1 p.m.

Streetsboro Senior Center McMichael Professional Building 9307 State Route 43 Streetsboro, OH 44241

Call for information: 330-626-2398

UH Portage Medical Center cont.

PARKINSON SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAYS - MARCH 19 1 - 3 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building Room 150 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

STROKE SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAY - MARCH 12 4 - 5 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building Room 150 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP

MONDAYS - FEBRUARY 4, MARCH 4 7 - 9 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center Room 150 6847 N Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

SMOKING CESSATION CLASSES

Become tobacco free

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Please Call: 330-297-2576 Registration required.

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 5 5 - 6 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building Room 150 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

WATER EXERCISE CLASSES

Including senior wellness, water aerobics and open swim time in our therapeutic pool.

ADVANCED SENIOR WELLNESS

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY 11 - 11:45 a.m.

BASIC SENIOR WELLNESS

MONDAY AND FRIDAY 12 - 12:45 p.m.

TUESDAY AND THURSDAY 11 - 11:45 a.m.

10 visit punch pass: \$30.00

OPEN SWIM

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY 12 - 12:45 p.m.

MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY 6:30 – 7:15 p.m.

FRIDAY

5:30 - 6:15 p.m.

SATURDAY

10 - 10:45 a.m.

One visit: \$3.00 10 visit punch pass: \$30.00 Children age 2 and under are free. Children under age 14 welcome Monday, Friday and Saturday.

WATER AEROBICS

TUESDAY AND THURSDAY

7 – 7:45 a.m. 5:30 - 6:15 p.m. 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.

MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY

4:30 - 5:15 p.m. 5:30 - 6:15 p.m.

FRIDAY

4:30 - 5:15 p.m.

SATURDAY

9 – 9:45 a.m.

Once a week: \$12.00 per month Once a week: \$24.00 per month

UH Portage Medical Center

6847 N Chestnut Street Ravenna, OH 44266

Call for information: 330-297-2770 All the classes require pre-registration. Space is limited.

LUNCHTIME GENTLE **MAT YOGA**

THURSDAYS — JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7,14, 21

12:05 - 12:35 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Center

Mangin Fitness Room 6847 North Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Please contact: 330-297-2590 or Stephanie.Mongomery@UHHospitals.org

Fee: \$25 for 5 class punch card or \$6 to drop in

LUNCH AND LEARN WITH THE PHARMACIST - OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATIONS: THE RIGHT DRUG FOR THE **RIGHT AGE**

Light lunch provided. Come and talk to the pharmacist.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

UH Portage Medical Arts Building

Room 150 6847 N Chestnut Street Ravenna, Ohio 44266

Please contact: 330-297-2576 Registration is required.

UH Richmond Medical Center

DINNER AND A MOVIE

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 22, MARCH 26

3 - 5 p.m.

UH Richmond Medical Center 4th Floor Auditorium 27100 Chardon Road

Richmond Heights, Ohio 44143

Reservations are ONLY accepted during the week prior to each event.

Please call: 440-735-4739

COMMUNITY MUSIC EXPLORATION

Join Daniel Rose, MT-BC, UH Richmond Medical Center and Connor Integrative Network, for singing and socializing! You will enjoy meeting with other Age Well Be Well members while you sing and play instruments to your favorite songs.

TUESDAYS - JANUARY 15, FEBRUARY 19, MARCH 19 2:30 - 3 p.m.

Governor's Village 280 North Commons Boulevard Mayfield Village, Ohio 44143

HEALTH AND WELLNESS TALKS

Screenings Only WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2 No Talk

A Little Bit of Help Can Go a Long Way! WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6 Nancy Papa, Home Watch Caregivers

Elder Law/Estate Planning – Last Will and Testament, Trusts/LLC, Durable Power of Attorney, Health Care Power of Attorney, Living Will, Deeds

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6 Solomon, Steiner and Peck Talk 10 – 10:30 a.m.

Blood Pressure, Glucose & **Cholesterol Screenings** 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Ross DeJohn Community Center 6306 Marsol Road Mayfield Heights, Ohio 44124

Please call: 440-735-4739 or Lori.Robinson@uhhospitals.org

SENIOR EXERCISE

A light workout to music!

WEDNESDAYS -JANUARY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 FEBRUARY 6, 13, 20, 27 MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28

10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Community Partnership on Aging South Euclid Community Center 1370 Victory Drive South Euclid, Ohio 44121

Fees vary based on the class. Please call: 216-650-4029

INTERMEDIATE LINE DANCING

Remember oldies like the Bossa Nova or learn new dances such as Cupid Shuffle and Cha Cha Slide! There is a fee for this class that is based on a 10-week session. Flexible options are available and drop-ins are welcome for a fee of \$4 per person, per class. This is not a beginner class.

FRIDAYS -JANUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 FEBRUARY 1, 8, 15, 22 MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Community Partnership on Aging DeJohn Community Center 6306 Marsol Road Mayfield Heights, Ohio 44124

Please call: 216-650-4029 Fee: \$4 per person

EASY DOES IT WALKING CLUB

During the winter months, we will walk inside of Governor's Village. New walkers will receive a complimentary T-shirt. This walking club is appropriate for a slower-paced walker.

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28 9:30 - 10 a.m.

Governor's Village 280 North Commons Blvd. Mayfield Village, Ohio 44143

Please call: Lori Robison at 440-735-4739 Stephanie Parker at 440-449-8788

GENTLE YOGA

Our instructor can work with ANY ability level!

FRIDAYS -JANUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 FEBRUARY 1, 8, 15, 22 MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 12 - 1 p.m.

Community Partnership on Aging DeJohn Community Center 6306 Marsol Road Mayfield Heights, Ohio 44124

Fees vary based on the class. Please call: 216-650-4029

ADULT COLORING CLASS

Coloring isn't just for kids. Coloring offers grown-ups a chance to relax, escape from life's stress and improve fine motor skills. Come learn about the color wheel, techniques of shading and blending as well as how to choose color schemes that will ensure a masterpiece worthy of hanging on the fridge or even framing on your wall. All levels of artistic ability are welcome to join us as we explore our inner artist. Coloring books and pencils will be provided. Feel free to attend as many classes as you would like.

UH Richmond Medical Center cont.

TUESDAYS -JANUARY 8, 22 FEBRUARY 12, 26 MARCH 12, 26 10 - 11 a.m.

UH Richmond Medical Center (Boardroom) 27100 Chardon Road Richmond Heights, Ohio 44143

Class size is limited. Please call: 440-735-4739

WITNESS THE FITNESS ADVANCED WALKING CLUB

This advanced walking club will meet every Thursday. During the winter months we will walk inside of Governor's Village. New walkers will receive a complimentary T-shirt.

THURSDAYS -JANUARY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 FEBRUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 MARCH 7, 14, 21, 28 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Governor's Village

280 North Commons Boulevard Mayfield Village, Ohio 44143

Please call:

Lori Robinson at 440-735-4739 Stephanie Parker at 440-449-8788

TAI CHI

Tai Chi has been called 'Meditation in Motion' and can improve flexibility, muscle tone, joint function, aerobic conditioning and can reduce stress and lower blood pressure.

MONDAYS-JANUARY 7, 14, 21, 28 FEBRUARY 4, 11, 18, 25 MARCH 4, 11, 18, 25 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Community Partnership on Aging Lyndhurst Community Center

1341 Parkview Drive Lyndhurst, Ohio 44124

Fees vary based on class. Please call: 216-650-4029 to register

DEMENTIA EDUCATION SERIES

Presented by: Arden Courts Memory Care Assisted Living Bath – Chagrin Falls – Parma – Westlake

Umbrella of Dementia

Not all dementias are the same. Learn background information regarding the different forms of dementia and how each dementia affects the brain, along with caregiving tips for the challenging behaviors that may occur.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19

6 - 7:30 p.m.

Walking the Path of Dementia

This "hands on" program will give participants the opportunity to learn about the many changes people with dementia experience as their disease progresses.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Why they do what they do?

What is the best way to communicate with a person with memory impairment? This presentation will demonstrate what works and doesn't work when communicating with someone with dementia. Techniques to communicate and avoid behavior issues are covered during this seminar.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9 6 - 7:30 p.m.

UH Richmond Medical Center

4th Floor Auditorium 27100 Chardon Road Richmond Heights, Ohio 44143

Please call to register: 440-735-4739 Space is limited.

MONDAY AFTERNOON BOOK **DISCUSSION**

JANUARY TITLE: A Gentleman in Moscow FEBRUARY TITLE: Girls Burn Brighter MARCH TITLE: Deep Down Dark

Copies of the book are available one month prior to the discussion date.

MONDAYS - JANUARY 14, FEBRUARY 11, MARCH 11 2 - 3 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Library Large Meeting Room 100 Mayfield Branch 500 SOM Center Road Mayfield Village, Ohio 44143

FINANCIAL FATIGUE OF **CAREGIVERS**

Rachael from ESOP and the Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging will discuss the financial impact of caregiving and provide some tips to prevent the financial drain.

MONDAY, JANUARY 28 7 - 8 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Library Meeting Room A (97) South Euclid-Lyndhurst Branch 4645 Mayfield Road South Euclid, Ohio 44121

REGISTER TO BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

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1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

UH St. John Medical Center, A Catholic Hospital

SCREENINGS

For more information about our programs, contact the Outreach Department at UH St. John Medical Center at 440-827-5440. No screenings on all holidays. Screenings may be canceled on days with inclement weather.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

(Closed on all holidays or inclement weather)

FIRST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

North Olmsted Senior Center Community Meeting Room 28114 Lorain Road North Olmsted, Ohio 44070

THIRD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH 1 - 2 p.m.

UH St John Medical Center Main Lobby 29000 Center Ridge Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

FOURTH MONDAY OF EACH MONTH 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Westlake Recreation Center 28955 Hilliard Boulevard Westlake, Ohio 44145

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH 9 – 10:30 a.m.

Westshore Family YMCA 1575 Columbia Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

9:30 - 11 a.m.

Lakewood Senior Center 16024 Madison Avenue Lakewood, Ohio 44107

BLOOD PRESSURE, GLUCOSE, CHOLESTEROL AND BONE **DENSITY SCREENINGS**

No fasting is required for this screening and no reservations are necessary.

10 a.m. – 12 p.m. **Dwyer Memorial Center** 300 Bryson Lane

MONDAY, JANUARY 28

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Bay Village Ohio 44140

Westlake Center for **Community Services** 29694 Center Ridge Road, Westlake Ohio 44145

AUDIOLOGY SCREENINGS

Screenings, testing, and complete evaluations for hearing loss and tinnitus are available at UH St. John Medical Center Speech and Audiology Dept.

Please call: 440-835-6160

BALANCE SCREENINGS

Please call to schedule an appointment. Space is limited.

Please call: 440-414-6050

WALK FOR WELLNESS!

Brisk walking has been linked to many health benefits, including a reduced risk of diabetes, heart disease, stroke and some cancers. In a collaborative effort, Great Northern Mall and UH St. John Medical Center provide an ongoing mall walking program.

A free health talk by a UH St. John Medical Center health care professional will be offered, along with blood pressure screenings by a Community Outreach nurse.

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

9 – 10 a.m. Health Talk 9 - 10:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Screenings

Great Northern Mall

Food Court 4954 Great Northern Boulevard North Olmsted, Ohio 44070

Walkers meet near the Food Court.

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UH St. John Medical Center, A Catholic Hospital cont.

CLASSES & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

DIABETES EDUCATION CLASSES

This four-week series offers education on diabetes self-management, including what diabetes is and how it is diagnosed. Participants will learn how to make healthy food choices and achieve healthy meal planning. Ways to safely incorporate physical activity to improve blood sugar control and monitoring will be discussed, as well as what causes blood sugar to rise and how to handle fluctuations. Finally, we will cover ways to protect your eyes, heart, blood vessels, nerves, kidneys and feet One-on-one education (Suite 100) is for instruction on individualized meal planning, blood glucose monitoring and insulin administration. Counseling for weight loss and lifestyle modification is also available.

Group classes are held on the third floor; one-on-one education takes place on the first floor. A physician referral is required to participate.

JANUARY 8, 15, 22, 29 MARCH 5, 12, 19, 26 6 - 7:30 p.m.

UH St. John Medical Center Westlake Family Health Center 26908 Detroit Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

For scheduling and pre-access call: 440-827-5668

OUTPATIENT NUTRITION COUNSELING

With extensive nutrition counseling experience throughout each person's life cycle, Marge Robison, MPH, RDN, LD offers individual outpatient medical nutrition therapy (MNT) counseling to help improve your health. Participants must obtain a physician's referral prior to their visit.

UH St. John Medical Center Westlake Family Health Center 26908 Detroit Road, Suite 100 Westlake, Ohio 44145

Please call: 440-835-4426, ext 3

COMMUNITY YOGA

This is a general class that focuses on posture, breathing, meditation and relaxation. This class is taught by Colleen Brezine, CNM, and Certified Yoga Trainer. Please bring a yoga mat, towel and water.

WEDNESDAYS

5 - 6 p.m.

SATURDAYS

8 - 9 a.m.

UH St John Medical Center (Auditorium A or B) 29000 Center Ridge Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

Fee: \$5 – \$10 donation suggested

ROUNDTABLE HEALTH TALK SERIES

Information on Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS). A light dinner will be provided and reservations are required. Sponsored by Pleasant Lake Villa.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

6 p.m. | Doors open at 5:30 p.m.

UH St John Medical Center Westlake Building 2, Auditorium B 29000 Center Ridge Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

Call to register: 877-597-6348

COMMUNITY NUTRITION PROGRAMS

Westshore Primary Care dietitian Julie Wise, MS, RDN, LD, CDE holds monthly community nutrition programs at local Community Senior Centers. Topics range from one-dish dinners to immune health, and even healthy eating on a budget.

Current program locations include: North Royalton, Parma and Brooklyn Senior Centers

Please call: 440-250-8660

AMERICAN HEART **ASSOCIATION HEARTSAVER CPR/AED**

This program includes instruction on adult, child and infant CPR and AED use. This program is not intended for healthcare providers.

This is a free class, but you must register at www.ehems.org. Please call: 216-849-5013

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION CPR/AED AND FIRST AID

We will be offering CPR and First Aid classes throughout the year on an as-needed basis. The classes include a completion card with a two-year expiration date. The program requires a minimum of six participants.

Please call: 216-827-5440

Fee: \$30

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UH St. John Medical Center, A Catholic Hospital cont.

CLASSES & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

STOP THE BLEED

Massive bleeding from any cause, but particularly as a result of an active shooter or explosive event where a response is delayed, can result in death. Similar to learning and performing CPR, the public must learn proper bleeding control techniques, including how to use their hands, dressings and tourniquets. Victims can die from

uncontrolled bleeding within five to ten minutes. However, anyone at the scene can act as an immediate responder and save a life if they know what to do BleedingControl.org is an initiative of the American College of Surgeons and the Hartford Consensus. It offers diagrams, news, videos and other resources contributed by a variety of private and nonprofit partners to help

prepare you in case you are involved in a catastrophic event and are able to help in an emergency.

Our shared goal is to provide you with a one-stop, online resource of credible, up-to-date information on bleeding control.

For details call: Matt Sheehan, EMS Coordinator, at 440-221-6835

SUPPORT GROUPS

Unless otherwise stated, all group meetings are held at 29160 Center Ridge Road, Suite R, Westlake, Ohio 44145.

A SECOND CHANCE: **LUNG TRANSPLANT** SUPPORT GROUP

This group is for anyone who is considering or has received a lung transplant. Family and friends are welcome.

MONDAY - FEBRUARY 11 6 – 8 p.m.

UH St John Medical Center Westlake Family Health Center 26908 Detroit Road, Suite 300 Westlake, Ohio 44145

Call: 440-250-2042

Email: Evelyn.Gorton@UHhospitals.org

MOOD DISORDER SUPPORT GROUP

We offer support for those with depression and bi-polar disorders. Our vision is one of hope. Together we strive for wellness and recovery.

EVERY TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Information:

Bobby Klinko: 440-539-9415 Laura Vanni: 216-267-5923

BETTER BREATHERS CLUB

This is a support group designed for people living with lung disease.

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 4 1 - 2:30 p.m.

UH St John Medical Center Westlake Family Health Center 26908 Detroit Road, Suite 300 Westlake, Ohio 44145

Call: 440-250-2042

Email: Evelyn.Gorton@UHhospitals.org

CAREGIVERS CLUB

This group will focus on those individuals who are faced with the challenges of overseeing a parent or spouse through their senior years.

TUESDAYS – JANUARY 15, FEBRUARY 19, MARCH 19

11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Westlake Center for Community Services (note new location) 29694 Center Ridge Road. Westlake Ohio 44145

RSVP: 877-597-6348

HOPE GROUP

A support group for newly diagnosed breast cancer individuals and for breast cancer survivors.

FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Please call: 440-827-5440

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS

You can contact Gamblers Anonymous at 626-960-3500 for a meeting in your area or go to gamblersanonymous.com.

EVERY SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH 10 - 11 a.m.

Please call: 440-752-3315

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

EVERY SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH 10 – 11 a.m.

UH St John Medical Center Building 2 (Auditorium B) 29000 Center Ridge Road Westlake, Ohio 44145

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SUPPORT GROUPS

COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE INFORMATION (2-1-1)

This is a free and confidential information and referral line run by the United Way. Call 211 for help to find resources for health care and social services in your area. This information may include listings of local support groups as well as resources for food, housing, employment, counseling and volunteer opportunities.

LOW-COST IMMUNIZATIONS

Affordable immunizations are offered by the Cuyahoga County Board of Health

An appointment is required. Please call: 216-201-2041 Visit: ccbh.net/immunization-clinic

SENIOR SUPPER CLUB

Men and women over the age 60 may apply for a Supper Club card. Seniors can pick up their card up from the Westlake Center for Community Services or the North Olmsted Senior Center. Once they have the card, they may come to the cafeteria at UH St John Medical Center and receive a 40% discount on all food except bottled beverages and "Simply to Go" items. There is a \$10 limit per customer for the discount: after that, the items are full price.

For more information, call the North Olmsted Senior Center at 440-777-8100 or the Westlake Center for Community Services at 440-899-3544. Supper times are seven days a week from 4 - 7 p.m. You must present your card to receive the discount.

REGISTER TO BECOME A MEMBER TODAY

If you are not a member of the free AGE WELL BE WELL CLUB and would like to join and receive these event calendars, please call number or visit the website to register.

1-844-312-5433 or UHhospitals.org/AgeWell

UH Samaritan Medical Center

NEW NON SMOKERS SUPPORT GROUP

Anyone who recently quit smoking or chewing tobacco is welcome to attend these free meetings. The informal group setting provides a relaxed environment to share concerns and experiences for ongoing help, advice and support.

SECOND TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH JANUARY 8, FEBRUARY 12, MARCH 12 6 - 8 p.m.

UH Samaritan Medical Center East Tower Conference Room 1025 Center Street Ashland, Ohio 44805

Please call: 419-207-2303

THE COPD COFFEE CLUB

The informal group setting provides a relaxed environment to share concerns and experiences for ongoing help, advice and support. Family members and caregivers are welcome to join us as well.

JANUARY 8: Community resources at your fingertips.

FEBRUARY 12: Palliative care and what it means.

MARCH 12: Answers to questions you've never asked.

SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH 1 p.m.

UH Samaritan Medical Center Fast Main Street Auditorium 663 East Main Street Ashland, Ohio 44805

For guestions and registration call: 419-207-2453

HARMONICA CHOIR

Can I strengthen my lungs to avoid future problems? Can I control my breathing? Is there any way to do breathing exercises that is not boring? Harmonica Choir is open to the public for those with COPD and interest in playing the harmonica.

JANUARY 2, 16, 30 FEBRUARY 13, 27 MARCH 13, 27 3 p.m.

UH Samaritan Medical Center Pulmonary Rehab Room 1025 Center Street Ashland, Ohio 44805

FREEDOM FROM SMOKING

This 7-week Freedom from Smoking program's first few weeks prepare you to guit on week four. Participants regroup 48 hours later for support and discussion. The remaining time focuses on life skills to maintain a smoke-free lifestyle while preventing weight gain. To further encourage success, a nicotine replacement such as a patch or gum is recommended. This helps ease the anxiety of quitting while you relearn the daily routine of being a non-smoker.

SESSION 1-JANUARY 2, 9, 16, 23, 25, 30 FEBRUARY 6, 13 6 - 8 p.m.

SESSION 2-MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27, 29 APRIL 3, 10, 17 6 - 8 p.m.

UH Samaritan Medical Center East Tower Conference Room 1025 Center Street Ashland, Ohio 44805

Call to register: 419-207-2303

S.H.O.W. (SAMARITAN **HOSPITAL ORANGE** WALKERS)

Participants receive a pedometer and walk with Respiratory Therapist supervision. Therapists monitor heart rate and SPO2 before and after walking as well as keep record of steps accomplished each time for goal setting and monthly progress report. Open to anyone in the community that has COPD and would like to participate.

EVERY TUESDAY AND THURSDAY 10 a.m.

Kroc Center East Main Street, Ashland, OH 44805

Participants meet at the Children's home white barn parking lot.

Time and place subject to change! Please call for update before you join us. For questions and registration call: 419-207-2453

CARDIAC SUPPORT GROUP

SECOND WEDNESDAY EVERY MONTH

6:30 p.m.

UH Samaritan Medical Center 1025 Center Street Ashland, OH 44805

Contact facilitator Pat Butcher at 419-289-0491, ext. 3435 for more information.

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