

Scripps Mercy Hospital Well Being Center
 237 Church Avenue, Chula Vista, CA 91910

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AUGUST 2009
Calendar of Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	1 Saturday
<p>Color Code: *Support Group = Green *Chronic Disease = Red *Health Lectures = Purple *General Education =Blue</p>					<p>10-11:30 AM Weight Loss Support Group</p>
<p>3 1-2 PM Breastfeeding Support Group 7-9 PM Al-Anon Support Grp SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>4 11am-12noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise Group 5-6 PM Child Ready.School Ready 7-8 PM SPAN Overeaters Anonymous (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Redirecting Children's Behavior Series</p>	<p>5 2-4 PM Diabetes Class SPAN 6:30-9 PM Childbirth ClassSPAN 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>6 9:30 - 10:30 AM Toddler Play 11AM-12 noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise class 6-8 PM TOPS (SMHCV 495 Bldg) 6-9 PM Food Handlers Class ENG 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>7 9-11 AM NEAT at 2 11 - 12 Noon STAR Communication Enhancement Group 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Alateen Support Group</p>	<p>8 8:30 AM - 5 PM AARP Driver Safety Class</p>
<p>10 10 AM - 12 Noon Widow Support Grp 10 - 11 AM Aging & Ears (Norman Park Cntr) 1-2 PM Breastfeeding Support Group 7-9 PM Al-Anon Support Grp SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>11 11am-12noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise Group 12:15 - 1:15 PM Men's Group (Norman Park Cntr) 5-6 PM Child Ready.School Ready 7-8 PM Overeaters Anonymous SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Parenting Workshop</p>	<p>12 11AM & 12:30 PM Hospital Tour Expectant Parents (ENG) SMHCV 2-4 PM Diabetes Class SPAN 6:30-9 PM Childbirth ClassSPAN 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>13 9:30 - 10:30 AM Toddler Play 11AM-12 noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise class 6-8 PM TOPS (SMHCV 495 Bldg) 6-9 PM Food Handlers Class SPAN 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>14 9-11 AM NEAT at 2 11 - 12 Noon STAR Communication Enhancement Group 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Alateen Support Group</p>	<p>15 10-11:30 AM Weight Loss Support Group 9AM - 2PM Heartsaver CPR, AED and First Aid Course (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>
<p>17 1-2 PM Breastfeeding Support Group 7-9 PM Al-Anon Support Grp SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>18 11am-12noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise Group 5-6 PM Child Ready.School Ready 7-8 PM SPAN Overeaters Anonymous (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>19 9 - 11 AM Parenting Club 2-4 PM Diabetes Class SPAN 6:30-9 PM Childbirth ClassSPAN 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>20 9AM-12 PM BLS Providers Renewal Course (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 9:30 - 10:30 AM Toddler Play 11AM-12 noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise class 6-8 PM TOPS (SMHCV 495 Bldg) 6-9 PM Food Handlers Class ENG 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>21 9-11 AM NEAT at 2 11 - 12 Noon STAR Communication Enhancement Group 7-9 PM Al-Anon Support Grp SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Alateen Support Group</p>	<p>22 9AM - 1PM BLS for Providers Initial Course (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>
<p>24 10 AM - 12 Noon Widow Support Grp 1-2 PM Breastfeeding Support Group 7-9 PM Al-Anon Support Grp SPAN (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>25 11am-12noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise Group 5-6 PM Child Ready.School Ready 5-9 PM BLS for Providers Renewal Course (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-8 PM SPAN Overeaters Anonymous (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Parenting Series</p>	<p>26 11AM & 12:30 PM Hospital Tour Expectant Parents (SPAN) SMHCV 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>27 9:30 - 10:30 AM Toddler Play 11AM-12 noon Stroke/ Parkinson's Exercise class Total Joint Replacement Class 2-3 PM Spanish 3-4 PM English 6-8 PM TOPS (SMHCV 495 Bldg) 6-9 PM Food Handlers Class SPAN 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg)</p>	<p>28 9-11 AM NEAT at 2 11 - 12 Noon STAR Communication Enhancement Group 5:15-6:30PM Laughter Yoga 7-9 PM SPAN Al-Anon Support Grp (SMHCV 499 Bldg) 7-9 PM Alateen Support Group</p>	<p>29 </p>
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SUPPORT GROUPS

AUGUST 2009

Alateen Support Group Held Fridays, 7:00-9:00 PM FREE

Twelve Step Program of young people whose lives have been affected by alcoholism in a family member or close friend. They share experiences, learn effective ways to cope with their problems, strength, and hope with each other. Held at Scripps Mercy Well Being Center. For more info (619)862-6600.

Spanish Al-Anon Support Group Held Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 7:00-9:00 PM FREE

Children of alcoholics, parents, partners, spouses, co-workers can all find help in Al-Anon. Held at 499 H Street, Chula Vista. Call (619) 862-6600.

Breastfeeding Support Groups Held Mondays 1:00 – 2:00 PM FREE

Support groups for new mothers and their babies focusing on breastfeeding and other women's health issues. Call (619) 862-6600 for more information.

Men's Support Group Held 2nd Tuesday of each month 12:15-1:15 PM FREE

Learn more about health and social well-being issues affecting your life. Held at Norman Park Center, 270 F Street. For more info call (619) 862-6600.

Spanish Overeaters Anonymous Support Group Held Tuesdays, 7:00-8:00 PM FREE

This is Twelve-Step recovery program. Overeaters Anonymous is a fellowship of individuals who, through shared experience, strength and hope, are recovering from compulsive overeating. For more information, call (619) 862-6600. Held at 499 H Street, Chula Vista.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Held Thursdays, 6:00-8:00 PM Annual membership: \$24

TOPS is the oldest international, non-profit, non-commercial weight-loss support group. Change takes time. TOPS supports you – no matter how long-even after you've reached your goal! For More information, please call (619) 862-6600.

Weight Loss Management Support Group Held 1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month 10-11:30 AM FREE

For more information, please call (619) 862-6600.

Widowed Support Group Held 2nd & 4th Mondays 10:00 AM - 12:00 Noon FREE

Ongoing group support for people who have lost a spouse.

CHRONIC DISEASE MANAGEMENT CLASSES

Diabetes Classes (SPANISH) Held every Wednesday 2:00 – 4:00 PM FREE

For information regarding classes call Norma Mendoza at (619) 446-8922.

Stroke/Parkinson's Exercise Group Held Every Tuesday & Thursday 11:00 AM - 12:00 Noon FREE

Offers support groups, exercise classes, communication enhancement and skills to cope with lifestyle changes for adults who have suffered a stroke. Facilitated by a Scripps Mercy Hospital Occupational Therapist. For information call (619) 862-6600. Physician Consent is required.

S.T.A.R. Communication Enhancement Group Held every Friday 11:00 AM-12:00 Noon FREE

A support and practice group led by a Speech Therapist helps adults with communications difficulties resulting from stroke. For more information, please call (619) 862-6600. Sponsored by Scripps Mercy Hospital Chula Vista Rehabilitation Department.

HEALTH PROFESSIONAL LECTURES

Aging and our Ears – “Senior Health Chat” Monday, August 10, 2009 10-11:00 AM FREE

Your foot health can be a clue to your overall health. Joint stiffness could mean arthritis. Tingling or numbness could be a sign of diabetes. Swelling might indicate kidney disease, heart disease or high blood pressure. Early detection is important because a problem can quickly turn serious. Join us and learn how to keep your feet healthy and how to recognize the signs of foot trouble. Held at the Norman Park Center. For information, call (619) 862-6600 or 1-800-SCRIPPS.

GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Expectant Parents Hospital Tour Held 2nd Wednesday of Each Month (English) 4th Wednesday of Each Month (Spanish) 11 AM & 12:30 PM

Learn where to go and what to do and expect when it is time for you to welcome your baby into the world. For more info and registration call 1 800-727-4777

BLS and Heart Saver Courses See schedule for specific dates, times and fees

Upon successful completion of the course a 2 year card will be issued. For more info and registration call (619) 260-7118 option 1. Held at 499 H Street.

Neat at 2 Held Every Friday 9:00 – 11:00 AM FREE

Learning healthy habits is important for you and your family. Join us for a free 10-week series where you will learn how to prepare healthy meals & snacks and how to participate in physical activity with your children. Classes are being presented by South Bay Community Services (SBCS), UC San Diego and the First Five Commission. For more information, please call Marisol Avila at (619) 587-2300. Childcare provided.

Parenting Classes Held 3rd Wednesday of each month 9:00 – 11:00 AM FREE

Classes for parents interested in learning more about how to have and raise healthy children. Topics include self esteem, communication, nutrition, discipline and much more. Certificate of completion provided. For more information and registration please call Escolastica Zepeda, Perinatal Educator (619) 862-6609.

Total Joint Replacement Class Thursday, August 27, 2009 2:00 - 3:00 PM (Spanish) 3:00 – 4:00 PM (English) FREE

Are you considering Total Hip Replacement or Total Knee Replacement? Attend the Total Joint Replacement Class. We will discuss what to expect prior to and following total joint replacement. Held at Scripps Mercy Well Being Center. **Registration Required.** Please call (619) 862-6600.

Food Handlers Class Thursday, August 6 & 20 (English) Thursday, August 13 & 27 (Spanish) 6:00-9:00 PM Fee: \$25 per person

Three-hour course provides certification for food handlers and meets the requirements of the San Diego County Food Handlers Ordinance. For information, call (858) 550-9086. Latecomers will not be permitted to attend. Held at Scripps Mercy Well Being Center.

Child Ready, School Ready Held Every Tuesday 5:00-6:00 PM FREE

Many parents are concerned about their children's behavior and attention skills. Learn new ways of understanding, redirecting and coping with challenging behaviors. Parent-Only. **Registration is required.** Please call to sign-up at (619) 681-0655 or (619) 681-0525.

Toddler Play! Held Every Thursday 9:30 -10:30 AM FREE

Fun interactive class where your child will be exposed to new play ideas while interacting with other children. Ages: 15 months and walking – 35 months. Learn the importance of movement and play in your child's development and learning. Classes are taught by Physical and Occupational Therapists. Call to sign up at (619) 681-0655 or (619) 681-0525.

Laughter Yoga Held the 4th Friday of Each Month 5:15-6:30 PM FREE Offered in English and Spanish

Laughter exercise with yoga breathing makes one feel energetic and healthy. Laughter comes straight from the heart as pure joy. It is a gym for the soul. Please call (619) 862-6600 for more information. Sponsored by San Diego Laughter Club (Club de la Risa San Diego).