Health Bulletins

KATY HEALTH EVENTS

Don't miss these upcoming health-related events

MEDICAL WEIGHT MANAGEMENT ORIENTATION

April 25

Houston Methodist West Hospital 18500 Katy Fwy.

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Attend a free information session where you will learn about treatment options offered at the Houston Methodist Weight Management Center.
Call 832-522-5522 to RSVP.

TEDDY BEAR CLINIC

April 26 ER Katy

25765 Katy Fwy.

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Your child and their teddy bear or stuffed animal can learn how medical tests and procedures are performed. Register at erkaty.com.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS SEMINAR

May 3 and June 7 Chiro Dynamics 20501 Katy Fwy.

7 p.m.

Join Dr. Craig Nemow at the monthly health and wellness seminar on the first Tuesday of every month. Call 281-578-0606 to register.

BREASTFEEDING CLASS

June 1

Memorial Hermann Katy Hospital 23900 Katy Fwy.

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

You will learn about positioning, latch-on, early feedings, and importance of assessing your baby's intake. Breast pumping, storage, and maintaining a healthy milk supply is discussed for moms who plan to return to work or school. Cost is \$30. Register online at memorialhermann.org.

This is only a sampling of the events offered in Katy. For more, please visit KatyMagazine.com.

Texas Children's Hospital West Campus Activates Helipad

The helipad at Texas Children's Hospital West Campus is now activated and has a staff fully trained to receive patients via air transport. The activation of this helipad allows for faster transport and subsequently quicker treatment. Previously, patients coming to West Campus via helicopter would land at an adjoining facility and then be brought to Texas Children's via ambulance. With this activation, all helicopter services in southeast Texas are now able to bring patients directly to Texas Children's Hospital West Campus.

Memorial Hermann Named Region's Most Outstanding Care Provider

Three Memorial Hermann Health System hospitals as well as Memorial Hermann Life Flight were recently honored at the SouthEast Texas Regional Advisory Council (SETRAC) Awards Banquet 2016. Memorial Hermann received awards in four of the top categories, including: Cardiac Award (hospital less than 250 beds): Memorial Hermann Greater Heights Hospital, Cardiac Award (hospital with more than 250 beds): Memorial Hermann Southwest Hospital, Pediatric System of Care Award: Children's Memorial Hermann Hospital, and EMS/Air Medical Partner of the Year Award: Memorial Hermann Life Flight.

MD Anderson Endorses HPV Vaccination for Cancer Prevention

In response to low national vaccination rates for the human papillomavirus (HPV), The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center has joined with the 68 other National Cancer Institute (NCI)-designated cancer centers in issuing a statement calling for increased HPV vaccination for the prevention of cancer. These institutions collectively recognize insufficient vaccination as a public health threat and call upon the nation's healthcare providers, parents, and young adults to take advantage of this rare opportunity to prevent many types of cancer.

Girl Scouts Visit Houston Methodist Cinco Ranch Emergency Care Center

Houston Methodist Cinco Ranch Emergency Care Center hosted 12 girl scouts from junior level troops 152015 and 152011, and nine parent chaperones. The young women had the opportunity to tour the facility and receive hands-on lessons regarding blood pressure testing, various pediatric treatments, stroke, radiology, and other emergency services. Baystar EMS welcomed the girls to view the back of an ambulance, with one scout pretending to be a patient on a gurney. For more information on the emergency services offered, call 832-522-6070. In the case of chest pain or stroke, immediately call an ambulance.



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