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EVENT CALENDAR

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Mobile health services offered at 14 county sites in June

MEDIA NOTE: Services at Arizona Multi-Purpose Center have been discontinued due to a change in ownership and low levels of client participation at that location.

The Sarasota County Health Department's Health In Motion Mobile Medical Unit staff will provide free and low-cost health services at 14 sites around the county during June.

The services offered at the established sites include diabetes education and screening, blood pressure tests, pregnancy testing, HIV and tuberculosis testing, adult immunizations and health education. The staff also assists individuals who lack medical insurance and do not have a health care provider to find a medical home for ongoing health care.

No appointment is needed. Some services are free, including HIV rapid testing with results in 20 minutes. Other services are provided on a sliding-fee scale based on income. A registered nurse is available at all sites.

While these services are most often provided in a 40-foot-long bus, there are times when services are provided inside the facilities visited.

The following is a schedule of dates and locations for the mobile unit:

SARASOTA

Monday, June 4, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Selby Goodwill Jobs Center
1781 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Monday, June 4, 1-3 p.m.
Newtown Estates Park
2800 Newtown Blvd.

Thursdays, June 7, 14, 21 and 28, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Salvation Army
1400 10th St.

Monday, June 11, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
McCown Tower
1300 Boulevard of the Arts

Monday, June 25, 9:30 a.m.- 3 p.m.
Sarasota Housing Authority
1912 N. Orange Ave.

NOKOMIS

Wednesday, June 20, 9:30 a.m.-noon
The Community Pharmacy
225 Tamiami Trail S.

LAUREL

Wednesday, June 20, 2-5 p.m.
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program
Sandra Sims Terry Community Center
509 Collins Road

VENICE

Wednesday, June 6, 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program
Venice Community Center
326 Nokomis Ave. S.

Tuesdays, June 12 and 26, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Goodwill Center - The Rialto
650 S. Tamiami Trail

Tuesdays, June 12 and 26, 1-3 p.m.
Habitat for Humanity ReStore
1400 Ogden Road

Wednesday, June 13, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Wednesday, June 27, 9:30 a.m.-noon
The Salvation Army Family Store
1160 U.S. 41 Bypass south

NORTH PORT

Friday, June 1, 9:30 a.m.-noon
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program
St. Nathaniel's Episcopal Church
4200 S. Biscayne Drive

Tuesday, June 5, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Tuesday, June 19, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Goodwill Manasota Center
14809 Tamiami Trail (U.S. Highway 41 near Sumter Boulevard)

Tuesday, June 19, 1-3 p.m.
Wednesday, June 27, 1-3 p.m.
Grande Court Apartments of North Port
5203 Greenwood Ave.

For more information, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000, or visit www.sarasotahealth.org to view the calendar. Anyone without computer access can visit a health kiosk at any Sarasota County library or Senior Friendship Center.

