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Mobile health services offered at 11 county sites in July

The Health In Motion Mobile Medical Unit staff of the Florida Department of Health in Sarasota County will provide free and low-cost health services at 11 sites around the county during July. The Suncoast Workforce-Sarasota facility at 3660 N. Washington Boulevard (U.S. 301) in Sarasota has been added to the regular schedule, starting in July.

The services offered at the established sites include diabetes education and screening, blood pressure tests, pregnancy testing, HIV testing, body mass index (BMI) measurement, 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.

***Some services, including adult immunizations, are not offered at all locations.**

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

SARASOTA

Monday, July 1, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Selby Goodwill Jobs Center
1781 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Way

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

Tuesday, July 9, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
Suncoast Workforce-Sarasota
3660 N. Washington Blvd.

Thursdays, July 18 and 25, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Wednesday, July 31, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Salvation Army
1400 10th St.

LAUREL

Wednesday, July 17, 2-5 p.m.

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program
Sandra Sims Terry Community Center Health Fair and Farmers Market
509 Collins Road

VENICE

Wednesday, July 3, 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program
Venice Community Center
326 Nokomis Ave. S.

Tuesday, July 24, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Monday, July 29, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
The Salvation Army Family Store
1160 U.S. 41 Bypass South

Wednesday, July 17, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Tuesday, July 30, 9:30 a.m.-noon
Goodwill Center - The Rialto
650 S. Tamiami Trail

Wednesday, July 30, 1-3 p.m.
Habitat for Humanity ReStore
1400 Ogden Road

NORTH PORT

Mondays, July 8 and 22, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Goodwill Manasota Center of North Port
14809 Tamiami Trail

ENGLEWOOD

Tuesday, July 2, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
Elsie Quirk Library
100 W. Dearborn St.

Health In Motion staff will not be at the Sarasota Housing Authority property on Orange Avenue or at the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) food distribution program at St. Nathaniel's Episcopal Church during July.

For more information, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000 (TTY 7-1-1 or 1-800-955-8771), or visit www.sarasotahealth.org to view the calendar. Anyone without computer access can visit a health kiosk at any Sarasota County public library or Senior Friendship Center.

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