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Brevard Navigator Project

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Health Literacy in Brevard

ADDRESSING THE HEALTH NEEDS OF INDIVIDUAL CONSUMERS AND SMALL BUSINESSES IN BREVARD.

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WICKHAM PARK COMMUNITY GARDEN

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KICK-OFF EVENT!

Wednesday, October 5th

9:00 am

For More Information, Call: 321-633-1702



Updated Oct 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Hist Baptist of Merritt Island "House of Hope" Food Pantry 340 Magnolia Ave. 32958 [no phone on file] Mondays 9:00-11:00 Walk-in Arrive early to sign in</p> <p>Daily Bread, Inc., Melbourne Rescher Outreach Center (Homeless outreach services) 815 S. Lee Ave 32901 821-739-1060 Mondays 8:15-1:00</p>	<p>Central Brevard Sharing Center, Cocoa 518 Aurora St 32922 321-450-4926 Tuesdays 9:00-2:00 Walk-in Live farm before opening</p> <p>South Brevard Sharing Center, Melbourne 17 S Hibiscus Blvd 32901 321-737-4581 Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:00-1:00 Walk-in Live farm before opening</p>	<p>Cape Canaveral Public Library 301 Polk Ave 32930 321-468-1111 Wednesdays 9:00-1:00 In study rooms Live farm before opening</p> <p>Gap Ministry at Peace Lutheran Church, Palm Bay (located behind the church) 3801 Port Melbourne Rd 32905 321-737-0280 Wednesdays 9:00-1:00 By appointment or walk-in</p>	<p>South Brevard Sharing Center, Melbourne 17 S Hibiscus Blvd 32901 321-737-4581 Tuesdays & Thursdays 9:00-1:00 Walk-in</p> <p>Sao Paulo Library, Melbourne 1521 Pineapple Ave 32905 321-255-4364 1st & 2nd Thursdays each month, in study rooms 9:00-1:00 Walk-in</p>	<p>Goodwill Job Center, West Melbourne 2345 Central Lane 32904 321-954-8188 Walk-in Fridays 9:00-1:00</p> <p>Titusville Public Library 2121 S Hopkins Ave 32780 (321) 264-5035 Fridays 9:00-1:00, in study rooms Walk-in</p>

Try to bring:

- ID for all members of the household
- Proof of ALL income covering the last 4 weeks (payroll, letters, receipts, work logs)
- Proof of a recent job loss, if applicable
- A letter of financial support if applicable
- Check stubs, if applicable

Struggling to provide for your family?
WE CAN HELP

Friendly SNAP (food stamp) application assistance
Required interview conducted at time of application

You can also apply online: www.statefla.us/ocstateforla
Because No One Should be Hungry

We recommend you call the site the day before to confirm there has not been a cancellation

Customers are assisted on a "first come first served" basis.

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Open Enrollment for 2017 health plans starts November 1, 2016. Important dates to note:

- **November 1, 2016:** Open Enrollment starts — first day you can enroll, re-enroll, or change a 2017 insurance plan through the Health Insurance Marketplace. Coverage can start as soon as January 1, 2017.
- **December 15, 2016:** Last day to enroll in or change plans for coverage to start January 1, 2017.
- **January 1, 2017:** 2017 coverage starts for those who enroll or change plans by December 15.
- **January 31, 2017:** Last day to enroll in or change a 2017 health plan. After this date, you can enroll or change plans only if you qualify for a [Special Enrollment Period](#).



Healthiest Weight Brevard
Tuesday, Oct. 11th, 8:30am
Suntree Office Tower
SCHF Third Floor Conference
6905 North Wickham Road
Melbourne, FL 32940

Sexual Assault Victim Services



SUPPORT GROUP FOR
ADULT FEMALE SEXUAL ASSAULT SURVIVORS

Tuesdays, 5:30 – 7:00 pm (beginning 10/04/16)

FREE AND CONFIDENTIAL
Meetings held at:



The Women's Center
1425 Aurora Road, Suite C Melbourne

Facilitator: Peggy Freeman, LMHC
Victim's Therapist

For further information, call (321)242-1526
Or (321) 242-3110

Can you recognize...



Warning Signs

Risk Factors

and Protective Factors



"It's Time to Talk about It" Suicide Prevention Family Workshop

This training is a 2 hour interactive skills-based workshop that provides families with the opportunity to learn:

- How to identify suicide risk factors, warning signs and protective factors
- How to interact or communicate with youth who may be thinking about suicide
- How to build a safety net around youth in order to keep them safe

A stipend will be provided for childcare and transportation (\$30) to each family.

At the end of the training, participants will be asked to take part in a 3-month follow-up survey. USF will contact participants and **will pay them** for their time (\$25).

This is a free training to all members. Each member who attends the training will receive a workbook, listing of community resources, a family guide and other educational resources for them to take home.

Learn to Save a Life!

Thursday, October 19, 2016

6:00 PM — 8:00 PM

At Brevard Family Partnership

+050 Riomar Drive, Rockledge, FL 32955

Hosted by Eckerd Kids



To RSVP for our Family Training, please email:



Florida Linking Individuals Needing Care Project
Lindsay Brown | Lindsay@fccmh.org



The Moore Cultural Complex

Healthy Living Festival



Empowering Our Community to Live Well

Saturday, October 8th, 2016

9AM – 1PM

The Harry T. & Harriette V. Moore Memorial Park & Museum
2180 Freedom Avenue Mims, FL 32754

Free
Health
Screenings

Event Chairwomen
Joyce Cole
Pat Manning, PhD
Pamela Tronetti, MD

Chance
Drawing
Prizes

Health
Information

Bring the
entire
family!

LIVE
Entertainment



Contact 321-264-6595 for more information.

Sponsorships + Health Information
Table Space Available.



Living Healthy work-
shop: Chronic Disease
Self Management Pro-
gram

Jan. 6-Feb. 10, 2017
One Senior Place

For information contact:
Paula Schroeder at
pschroeder@aging-mattersbrevard.org

VICTORY



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Do you have an interest in coaching?
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COMING SOON!

- Mayor's Fitness Challenge—January 2017
- Know Your Numbers Event—January 2017
- Health Literacy Classes—January 2017
- And so much more....

Goodwill Industries of Central Florida

Job Fair



Goodwill Industries of Central Florida will be hosting its Annual Job Fair Day on Thursday, October 6th. Job Fairs will be held at all NINE of the Goodwill Job Connection Centers, in six different counties. If you are an employer and would like to participate in our FREE Job Fair Day, please contact the appropriate office below. For a list of employers visit: <http://www.goodwillcfi.org/news.php>

Apopka: 407-720-3300 - Ask for Damaris
Clermont: 352-404-7799 - Ask for Iris
Daytona Beach: 386-258-8585 - Ask for Bonnie
East Orlando: 407-872-0770 - Ask for Fernando
Kissimmee: 407-847-0696 - Ask for Lourdes

Leesburg: 352-323-1847 - Ask for Theresa
Sanford: 407-936-0469 - Ask for Anthony
W. Melbourne: 321-953-8188 - Ask for Karen
W. Orlando: 407-745-5550 - Ask for Belinda

October 6, 2016
10:00am - 2:00pm



United Way of Brevard

Health Literacy

Health Literacy Consortium

Tuesday, Oct. 18th, 9 AM

Suntree Office Tower

SCHF Third Floor

Conference Room

6905 North Wickham Road

Melbourne, FL 32940

Who Are the Remaining Uninsured and Why Haven't They Signed Up For Coverage? The Commonwealth Fund

The number of uninsured people in the United States has declined by an estimated 20 million since the Affordable Care Act went into effect in 2010.¹ The percentage of the population without health insurance has fallen to historic lows. Yet, three years into the rollout of the law's major coverage expansions in 2014, an estimated 24 million people still lack health insurance.

The ACA insurance reforms and expansions were thus explicitly targeted at providing access to affordable coverage for adults with low and moderate incomes, young adults, owners of small businesses and their employees, and part-time workers. Racial and ethnic minorities—particularly Latinos—comprise a large share of many of these groups.

[Download the Issue Brief](#)

Salud Report Card: What Health Really Looks Like in YOUR Community!

Is it hard to find healthy food in your town? Places to play? Health care?

Is your community doing better or worse than others?

Find these answers in your free online *Salud America!* [Salud Report Card](#) with customized local data on:

Obesity, Food access, Physical activity, Health equity with comparisons of Latinos and non-Latinos and a map of people who are vulnerable to health issues, Research, policy solutions, and case studies.

Once you know the issues, use and share the Salud Report Card to build a case for healthy change among friends, colleagues, and local leaders. Still not sure what to do next?

Join our [free webinar](#) Oct. 5, 2016, that will explain what the new Report Card offers, and how you can use it to boost children's health.

[Go now to get your own free, customized Salud Report Card!](#)

WEBINAR 10/5: Explore the New Salud Report Card!

Parents, teachers, and local leaders are invited to a [webinar](#) on the Salud Report Card online tool at 1 p.m. CST Oct. 5, 2016.

TWEETCHATS: Hispanic Heritage Month for Health!

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**The month of October is
NATIONAL BULLYING PREVENTION MONTH!
JOIN CHILDREN, TEENS, ADULTS & SENIORS
WHO ORGANIZE SIMPLE ACTIVITIES TO
INCREASE KINDNESS THROUGHOUT BREVARD COUNTY!**

Melbourne, FL : The Emotional Wellness Center is encouraging the community to participate in October activities which recognize National Bullying Prevention Month, a campaign founded in 2006 by PACER's National Bullying Prevention Center. <http://www.pacer.org/bullying/>

The goal is to replace unkind behaviors with more respectful behaviors. The target populations are children, teens, adults and seniors because unkind behaviors occur every day to people of all ages, and can occur any time and any place. The community is encouraged to plan simple activities which can enhance more peaceful and kinder relationships.

According to Lorraine Edey, PhD, LCSW, AFC, "When children or adults spend time talking about themes such as peace and kindness, the energy being created provides opportunities for environments to stay or to become more positive and free of unkind behaviors or words".

Here are a few examples of activities:

1. Plan a Kindness Week in which children and adults focus on talking to and treating each other with kindness; this can be organized within our homes, our neighborhoods, work places, schools, colleges, retirement communities, recreational facilities or any other locations where people work or gather. This can be expanded to when we are driving, when using social media and when using cell phones or other electronic devices.
2. Distribute "Kindness, Pass It On..." stickers, buttons, pencils, etc. to children, teens, adults and seniors who does a random act of kindness and then asking them to pass on the symbolic item to someone else that they see showing kindness.
3. In work place or other group meetings or during class time, provide time for and then ask people to share what peace and kindness means to them.
4. Remind children/students and adults of ways to try to stay calm during conflicts so they can focus on using more peaceful and productive ways to resolve conflicts.
5. Brief kindness messages (e.g. "You are awesome!") can be written on post a notes and placed on school or office desks or anywhere unsuspecting people will find them.
6. Organize a neighborhood "Kindness, Pass It On" celebration.

Wednesday, October 19th is National Unity Day; join others across the country who will wear orange to represent unity in promoting more peaceful and kinder relationships.

More activities, including kindness quotes and facts about kindness for work places, sports, communities, schools, for families and for animals, can be found on these websites www.cityofkindness.org , www.randomactsofkindness.org and <http://www.peaceoneday.org/> .

This information was brought to you by The Emotional Wellness Center, a Healing Place of Inspiration, Motivation and Transformation, Promoting Kindness Through Actions. If you would like more information, please contact Lorraine Edey at 321-288-0692 or by email at LoriDey@aol.com or Renee' Ruffin-Price at 321-749-0060 or by email at rruffinprice@gmail.com . ADDRESS: PO Box 100319 Palm Bay, FL 32910