

*****MEDIA ALERT***MEDIA ALERT*****

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***SENATOR CHERYL GRAY EVANS URGES PUBLIC TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF
MEDICAL SCREENINGS***

State Senator Cheryl Gray Evans is encouraging the public to take advantage of medical screenings taking place across the New Orleans area on SATURDAY, JUNE 13th, 2009. The event is being supported by the New Orleans area members of the Louisiana Legislative Black Caucus and some clinics are offering free services for the day. Senator Gray says this is a great opportunity for people to take care of their health and find a medical home.

NEW ORLEANS AREA MEDICAL SCREENINGS
SATURDAY, JUNE 13th

City of New Orleans Health Dept.

2020 Jackson Avenue

9am-1pm

Pediatric visits, diabetic and cholesterol screening.

(504) 658-2825

Lower 9th Ward Health Clinic

5228 St. Claude Avenue

9am - 1pm

Screenings: Blood pressure, glucose, and wellness education.

(504) 309-0918

Daughters of Charity

3201 S. Carrollton Ave.

9am - 1pm

Free screenings: blood pressure, glucose and cholesterol. Children accepted.

(504) 207-3080

Martin Behrman

LSU HSC Community Clinic

725 Valette Street, West Bank

8am - 12noon

Free screenings: Depression, Hypertension and BMI.

(504) 361-6440

EXCELth and the NOLA Health Dept.

111 Newton Street, Algiers

9am - 12noon

Free screenings: dental, blood pressure, diabetes, cholesterol, HIV testing.

(504) 524-1210

Metropolitan Human Services District

St. Thomas Health Clinic

9am - 12 noon

1020 St. Andrews

Depression and Substance Abuse Screening; Behavioral Health Information.

www.mhsdla.org

(504) 568-3130 ext. 110

New Orleans East Family Health Center

5640 Read Blvd., Suite 540

9am - 1pm

Services: Primary Care, GYN services and dental screenings.

(504) 658-2750

New Orleans Medical Association

3600 Prytania Street, Suite 50

9am - 1pm

Free Screenings: Blood Pressure, glucose, hearing.

(504) 891-1800

Rebuilding Our Community

1823 Washington Avenue

11am - 2pm

Offering tobacco cessation and wellness and fitness education

(504) 208-8566

St. John #5/Camp ACE

3829 Hamburg Street

11am - 2pm

Free Screenings: HIV testing and HIV/STD literature and prevention materials.

(504) 283-7376

St. Thomas Health Clinic

1020 St. Andrews

9am - 2pm

Services: Mammography screening; Vision Screening; Blood Pressure; Diabetes. No charge for services on this day.

(504) 529-5558

Tulane Community Health Center On the Road

4600 Chef Menteur Hwy

11am - 4pm

Free Screenings: Diabetes, Depression, Hypertension, BMI.

(504) 994-0054