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When we're seriously ill or injured, we turn to hospitals to make us well. But did you know Monmouth's hospitals also provide lots of resources to help us *stay* well, raise our kids, deal with chronic conditions and lead healthier, more fulfilling lives? *Monmouth Health & Life* looked into five local hospitals to find out what community outreach services they offer. Here is a sampling of our favorite offerings.



MERIDIAN HEALTH

Bayshore Community Hospital 727 N. Beers St. Holmdel 732.739.5900 bayshorehospital.org

Jersey Shore University Medical Center 1945 Route 33 Neptune 732.775.5500 jerseyshoreuniversity medicalcenter.com

Riverview Medical Center
1 Riverview Plz.
Red Bank
732.741.2700
riverviewmedicalcenter.com

For more information about these programs, call 800.560.9990. Registration may be required.

Are You Getting a Good Night's Sleep? Learn about sleep disorders and ways to get a better night's sleep.

Baby Talk: This single session 3-hour class presents an introduction to the particular needs of newborns and how to meet them. Classes are held on Tuesdays, twice a month. Beautiful Beginnings: Medical professionals take the guess-work out of childbirth with this comprehensive program covering labor, delivery and everything in between. Participants will take a tour of the maternity unit too.

Caring for the Caregiver: Join William Power, M.D., and Meridian At Home to gain a better understanding of aging and memory disorders. A light dinner will be served. Registration is required.

Family and Friends CPR: In addition to CPR, participants will learn how to prevent the most common fatal injuries in children and how to handle a choking infant or child.

Feeling Fabulous from Within: Learn ways to get tuned in to your health. You'll also enjoy activities deisgned by the experts at Girls on the Run that aim to increase young women's self esteem.

Food for Thought: Learn the basics of proper nutrition, including the foods that your body and brain need to function properly. **Genealogy:** This class is designed for those who have already started a family tree and have basic computer skills.

Just for Women: Did you know that heart attack symptoms are different for women and men? Join Monica Bais, M.D., as she discusses these symptoms and provides prevention tips for women.

Self-Defense Exercises:

Learn how to use balance and leverage over strength to help defend yourself.

Shoulder Injury: There are several common shoulder dysfunctions; get educated on how they can be prevented, diagnosed and treated.

Solutions to Balance Problems: Learn some of the causes of balance problems and what you can do about them. Balance screenings to follow lecture.

Spine Health: Learn about the common causes of back pain as well as prevention, diagnosis and treatment options.

Take Control of Your Health:This six-week program teaches practical skills and strategies

for managing all of your symptoms. Registration required.

Varicose Veins: Get filled in on the causes and available treatment options for varicose veins.

Weight-Loss Surgery: In this program, several licensed professionals will provide information on the positive aspects of weight-loss surgery.

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901 W. Main St. Freehold 732.431.2000 centrastate.com

For assistance with these and other events from CentraState, call 732.308.0570. Pre-registration may be required.

Baby and Me: This three-class series is designed especially for moms and their babies (1–6 months old). Show off your new baby, meet other moms and forge new friendships. Classes include discussions on important infant care topics.

Girls Grow Up: Ease your daughter through the process of puberty. Together, you'll meet with a health educator to discuss the physical, so-

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cial, chemical and emotional changes that women experience as they grow. Age range: 9–12.

KEEP (Kidney Early Evaluation Program) Screening:

Includes a risk survey, urinalysis for at-risk participants, height and weight measurement and more. Anyone over 18 is welcome.

Little Professors: Give your kids the edge they need in preschool; 3–5-year-olds will learn social and communication skills.

Peripheral Vascular Disease (PVD) Screening: A simple, painless screening is used to identify your health risks for this disease. Includes blood pressure measurement of your ankle and arm.

Pre-Diabetes Class: This curriculum covers basic meal planning ideas, the importance of exercise and the relation to hyperlipidemia and hypertension.

Qigong for Weight Loss:

Explore the ancient Chinese practice of Qigong, a meditative practice to promote balance, healing and a mindful state. Quigong for Weight Loss is comprised of alignment of breathing, gentle exercise and meditation.

Totally Toddlers: This class, for parents and children 12–25 months old, encourages

optimum growth and development at the primary learning stage, as well as the development of social skills.

Women's Colorectal Lecture and Screening:

Colorectal cancer is preventable when detected early, yet it remains a leading cause of cancer deaths in the U.S. Forty percent of those who should get screened don't. If you're 50 or older, or you have a family history of colorectal cancer, sign up for a screening today.

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300 Second Ave. Long Branch 732.222.5200 barnabashealth.org

Pre-register by calling 866.675.3226 or visiting

barnabashealth.org.

Baby Care Basics: This program focuses on infant care including growth, development and safety issues. Hands-on time with infant-sized models is included.

Bereavement Counseling:

We understand that grief is a process that is difficult to experience alone. Everyone mourns differently and at different rates.

Breast Cancer Awareness:

Early detection can drastically increase the chance for successful treatment. Learn the importance of mammograms, screening guidelines for early detection and more.

Habits of Happy People:

Find out about the new science of happiness and how

it improves the quality of our lives. Discover ways to develop the new habits that help happy people maintain positive thoughts, emotions and actions.

Healthy Eating: The health coaches from the Center for Healthy Aging will teach you basic nutritional tips for healthy eating. The recommendations of the USDA will be reviewed, as well as some strategies for making healthy food choices.

Stress and Relaxation: Feeling stressed? Join the health coaches from the Center for Healthy Aging for a discussion of the causes of stress, the impact that it can have on your health and ways to combat it with practical and proven relaxation techniques.



