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OUR VISION: Outstanding care—no Exceptions!

Nobody really cares if you are miserable, so you might as well be happy. **Cynthia Nelms**

News in WRH's ICU

Windsor Regional Hospital is proud to announce that our Critical Care Reduction of VAP (Ventilator Associated Pneumonia) and Reduction of CLI (Central Line Infection) successes will be shared this September at the Canadian Association of Critical Care Nurses Conference in Fredericton, New Brunswick. A special reception is being hosted by the Canadian ICU Collaborative to showcase the work of teams from across the country in these initiatives. Congratulations to the staff of Critical Care for your hard work and diligence in improving Patient Safety.

Cornerstone of Caring

Perna Chandak, a local entrepreneur, is launching a line of jewellery to support the *Cornerstone of Caring* campaign for Western Redevelopment. Thirty per cent of sales from each piece will go towards the campaign. **An official launch is scheduled for Tuesday, August 11 at 11 a.m. in the Lobby of the Tower Building at Western.** Everyone is invited to attend to celebrate the launch and purchase the jewellery which includes a necklace, bracelet and unisex king ring. Purchases can also be made by visiting www.inspiredbyjewellery.com/wrh.html. More information is available by contacting Kim at ext. 52458.

Outpatient Lab Services

Effective August 1st, 2009, Windsor Regional Hospital, Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital and Leamington District Memorial Hospital will follow other Ontario Hospitals direction by transitioning out-patient services which are not funded by the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care ("MOHLTC") to more accessible, convenient community services. This change will allow an opportunity to re-focus our resources on meeting the needs of hospitalized, emergency and registered hospital clinic patients. More details will be available by visiting www.wrh.on.ca.

Walk With Your Doc!

Transition to Betterness (T2B) presents "Walk with Your Doc" on Sunday, August 30th, 2009. Local physicians, their patients and friends are invited to walk in support of T2B initiatives. The event takes place on the Ganatchio Trail. A minimum pledge of \$20 per person is required. For more info call 519-944-5143.

PERT

Please remember to activate the Paediatric Emergency Response Team (PERT) for any child who meets the criteria which can be found on the PERT website. We have extended our Trial period through the summer and will begin 24 hour coverage in the fall. If you have any questions please contact Deb Charron at ext. 53207 or Christa James at ext. 53230.

Did you know?

Windsor Regional Hospital's Health Science Library is open from 7 am to 4 pm Monday through Friday.
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OUR MISSION: We provide outstanding care with compassion.