He who is not courageous enough to take risks will accomplish nothing in life. Muhammad Ali, former World Champion Boxer

# WRH is the People's Choice

On Wednesday, November 10, 2010, Windsor Regional Hospital was awarded the People's Choice Award for our *Follow the Yellow Dot* Initiative at the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care and OHA Innovations Expo. **Celebrating Innovations in Health Care Expo 2010** showcases initiatives driving health care system renewal in Ontario. The event reflects the **six themes** that focus on the Government's **Excellent Care for All Act** to create a high quality, integrated health care system with better patient outcomes and improved access to care. *Follow the Yellow Dot* is an innovation created by the team at Windsor Regional Hospital that focuses on communication between caregivers in order to reduce/eliminate the transmission of community acquired based infections.

#### **November is Diabetes Awareness Month**

On November 14. 2010 the World Celebrated World Diabetes Day. The Pediatric and Adult Diabetes Clinic staff invite you to visit our display the week of November 15-19 for more information about our programs and the many strategies available for managing this chronic disease. Submit your name for one of our 'Health Smart' prize draws at the display at Met Campus. For more information contact Lynda Lambing at ext. 52451.

## **Help for Stroke Patients**

The Acute Injuries Rehabilitation and Evaluation Centre (AIREC) at the Western Campus of Windsor Regional Hospital will introduce and demonstrate a new revolutionary Saebo Dynamic Orthosis System which allows individuals with limited arm movement and no hand use, even 30 years after a stroke, the opportunity to regain arm and hand function. This will take place on November 26th from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, contact Nelly Schuurman ext. 75199.

## **Last Call—WRH Christmas Party**

The Staff Activities Committee presents a **Winter Wonderland Holiday party** on Friday, December 3, 2010 at the Caboto Club. This year's event features special entertainment from Comedy Hypnotist Robert Well with dinner and dancing to follow. For more info, call ext. 75162.

#### In Concert With Wellness

Windsor Regional Hospital presents "In Concert With Wellness" musical performances throughout the year in the 1st floor lobby at Met Campus. Join us on Friday, December 3rd at 5:30 p.m. as vocal group "Da Capo" performs in honour of Mario Cervini. On December 8th at 11:00 a.m. David and Sharon Light will play guitar, violin and sing. Also performing are the Montessori Mozarts on December 20th at 1 p.m.

#### Did you know?

Hats on For Health Care will take place on February 16, 2010.

It is an annual community event sponsored by the WRH Foundation. Stay turned for details.

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