

We are not creatures of circumstance; we are creators of circumstance. Benjamin Disraeli

Accreditation 2011

Accreditation 2011: Be a Part of it! Complete the "Worklife Pulse" and "Patient Safety Culture" surveys for a chance to win a \$100 gift card. Find the surveys on the WRH Intranet - Accreditation 2011 website. Click on the tabs on the left side to access the surveys. They only take about 10 minutes each! Once you have completed these surveys, fill out a ballot located at both Met and Western campuses. Surveys are available from February 7 - February 28th.

Diversity Training (LGBTT) Available

The Diversity Committee has made arrangements for Diversity Training to Staff on LGBTT issues. A group from Windsor Pride (the 50+ Proud group) will provide training. The focus will be on the needs of the elders in the LGBTT Community who will require care from local agencies and care facilities, however the training is applicable to all age groups. The sessions offer an opportunity to explore some of the issues that may arise in caring for patients/clients from the LGBTT community. The sessions are February 15, 2011 (Met Auditorium), March 1, 2011 (Met Auditorium) & March 15, 2011 (Malden Rehab Meeting Room). All sessions are from 1 pm to 4 pm. For more information contact Melissa Simas at ext. 72302.

Cancer Centre Foundation News

Visit the Windsor /Essex County Cancer Centre Foundation's website: www.WindsorCancerFoundation.org to read their January Newsletter, which this month shines a light on the amazing accomplishments of the MRI and CT machines; part 2 of a 4-part progress report of the 2009 Seeds4Hope grant recipients; their latest events and their current fundraising focus: an Endobronchial Ultrasound. The Foundation works to reduce the impact of cancer in our community. One hundred percent of funds raised are used in and for Windsor & Essex County.

Tunnel Etiquette

Staff are reminded to obey the 'rules of the road' in the tunnel between the Western Tower and Malden Park building. Please be careful and make way for service vehicles!

Lab Challenge—Your Opportunity to Save a Life

Staff are invited to donate blood at Canadian Blood Services—3909 Grand Marais Road East. Register for the challenge when you donate blood and WRH will receive points. It is in you to give! Great prizes are being offered to WRH employees who identify themselves when they give blood.

Did you know?

Volunteers provide families with cell phones while waiting in the OR waiting room so that they can remain in touch while their loved ones undergo surgery. Last year the OR Volunteer Liaison Cell phones were loaned out to families over 5,000 times. The Tribune is a publication of the Public Affairs Department of Windsor Regional Hospital. Submissions can be made to gisele_sullens@wrh.on.ca or by calling ext. 52008.