# Telcome to the 2016 SENIOR HEALTH EXPO "Connecting Communities"

Presented by Spectrum Generations and People Plus



TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016 • 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Cook's Corner Mall • 172 Bath Road, Brunswick

# **EXPO EVENTS**

# ONGOING EVENTS (9 A.M. - 1 P.M)

~ FREE Swag bag for the first 200 attendees ~

~ FREE COFFEE AND TREATS! ~

~ Chance to win Amtrak Downeaster train tickets ~

~ FREE massages and Reiki treatments ~

~ FREE flu shots ~

~ FREE Presidential Button display ~

~ FREE Hearing video-scope screenings ~

~ FREE Technology help ~

~ FREE Yellow Dot registration ~

~ FREE Good Morning Call program registration ~

~ FREE Volunteer Transportation Network registration ~

~ Write On Writers: book signings & sales ~

# www.peopleplusmaine.org

Telcome to the fifth annual People Plus Senior Health Expo presented by **Spectrum Generations!** 

We are so thrilled to bring you access to over 70 vendors, organizations and businesses who service the ever-increasing senior population of the Midcoast.

At this event, you will find something for everyone including healthcare, housing options, transportation options like the train, how to winterize your car, information on hospice, information about end-of-life procedures, exercise opportunities, how to improve your hearing, how to make talking on the telephone easier, what insurance program is best as you age, how you can stay longer in your home as you age, and answers to all your questions on where to live, what to eat, and more!

There are also a number of free scheduled activities including free flu shots, free massages, free technology help, yellow dot program registration, free hearing videoscope screenings and more!

There's also a raffle with the chance to win two free tickets on the Amtrak Downeaster.

So if you are getting a little older, and who isn't, then this is the place for you to learn everything you need to know to have the best years of your life!

As People Plus is winding down its 40th anniversary, the leaves are turning colors, there's a nip in the air, and we can't wait to see you here at the Senior Health Expo; with People Plus, the Center that Builds Community.

> Stacy Simpson Frizzle Executive Director, People Plus



Senator Angus S. King was keynote speaker at the People Plus 40th Anniversary celebration in March. Joined by Brunswick Town Manager, John Eldridge; People Plus Board Chair, Don Kniseley; People Plus staff and nearly 200 members.

People Plus supports an engaged, healthy, and independent life for older adults, while joining others to build community for all ages.

The center that builds community

35 Union Street, Brunswick (207) 729-0757 www.peopleplusmaine.org



Join us today!



# When you are contemplating a move...

to a Retirement Community, enjoy a visit to the new COASTAL LANDING in Brunswick to see all we offer in independent retirement living. (Assisted Living available on the same campus.)

# Included in your monthly rent:

- \* Choice of two meals daily
- Activities and Social Events
- \* Light Housekeeping
- \* Private Bathroom and Kitchenette

- \* Scheduled Local Transportation
- \* Heat and Electricity
- \* Maintenance Service
- \* Free Laundry Room
- \* Other services available for a reasonable monthly fee.

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142 Neptune Drive Brunswick, ME

www.coastallanding.com



In 2014, Mitch and Janet Rousseau of Rousseau Management saw an opportunity to redevelop a piece of property located at Brunswick Landing into quality, affordable housing for seniors. Their vision came to fruition almost one year later as Coastal Landing Retirement Community and Coastal Shores Residential Care which opened in the beginning of October this year. Coastal Landing Retirement Community and Coastal Shores Residential Care is located at 142 Neptune Drive on the site of the former Gateway Inn and Suites.

Coastal Landing Retirement Community has 82 independent-living apartments. They offer a selection of apartments ranging from studio, 1 bedroom, and 2 bedroom options. Coastal Landing is a residence for those who do not require benefit from seniorfriendly surroundings, convenient services. and increased social opportunities. Coastal Landing Retirement Community allows

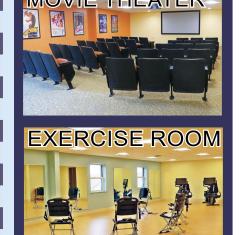
and enables those who wish to maintain an independent lifestyle to do so. Further assistance from Rousseau Management's home care agency is available as well if

Coastal Shores Residential Care has 40 assisted living based apartments. This residence consists of furnished private rooms and is mainly for older adults. Coastal Shores is designed for those who require assistance with personal care support, home making chores, and most daily activities such as meals, medication management, bathing, dressing and transportation. Coastal Shores offers individualized care and encouragement for each resident to live life to their fullest.

As providers of healthcare in the midcoast Maine region since 1982, Rousseau

assistance with most Management's hope and vision aims daily activities, but may at providing amenities and the comforts of home to their residents who will truly embrace and enjoy them throughout the years. Life at Coastal Landing Retirement Community and Coastal Shores Residential Care will consist of a plethora of wonderful amenities and comforts to those who live there. These include delicious home cooked meals, various exercise programs, beauty parlor, spa, a cozy café bistro, a state-of-the-art movie theater, an ice cream parlor, an outdoor patio area, community-based events, transportation, housekeeping, and a variety of other services. The front porch lends itself as the ideal spot to spend an afternoon or evening catching up with family or making new friends. All residents are encouraged to take part in a full activity program that promotes socialization, volunteerism, and community spirit.

> Brunswick Landing offers an idyllic setting for Coastal Landing Retirement Community and Coastal Shores Residential Care. The surrounding area is rich with history and offers an abundance of recreational based activities such









as walking trails, picnic areas, bird watching, wildlife viewing, golfing, and the area altogether promotes a great sense of community. For those living at the facility who wish to stay active, there are all the advantages to do so just waiting, literally at the front door.

For more information or to schedule a tour, please contact Susan Cary at 837-6560 or the admission's director, Michael Hernandez 522-1438.

We invite you to learn more about Rousseau Management and what they have to offer.

# Building Community for 40 years!



The People Plus "Write On Writers" celebrated 20 years as a writing group last fall. The group meets weekly at the Center to share their own works, have guest authors, critique works in progress, discuss the process of writing and support each other's creativity. Members of the group have published over 20 individual works and over 6 books as a group, their most recent being a collection of poetry, prose and photographs featuring the works of 21 local writers and artists. They welcome members of all writing levels and skills and are always looking for new participants.

"The Center" at Forty

# "We're just getting started..."

At People Plus, we proudly point at our forty year record of In February of 1977, the 55 Plus Center officially opened for achievement and tell our friends, "We're just getting started!" Executive Director Stacy Simpson Frizzle, with a confident eye on the future, is quick to suggest, "It's always about our and one person at a time."

The Brunswick Area Community Center for Senior Citizens can trace its beginnings from the late 1960s, when retired folks would gather in local church basements and storefronts on Maine Street, playing cards, telling stories, reading books and papers, sharing snacks and pictures of grandchildren. That all changed in June of 1976, when the Town of Brunswick purchased the former St. Charles Church at Noble and Maine for use that property "for the betterment of local senior citizens."

business in the little brown church on Noble Street, and since that date, the People Plus Center has never looked back.

That site on Noble Street, with its formidable parking and people...we're here working for our people – our seniors and assorted storied buildings, served the Center well for more teens – and it's all about making those lives better, one day than 30 years, as the Center evolved into a service-based local agency, providing programs and activities with ever-widening goals and audiences.

Today, People Plus is a thriving Center with more than a thousand members from Brunswick, Topsham, Harpswell and a dozen other area towns. We're the one stop source for what's social, what's educational, what's healthy, and what's fun in our area. Based in the recently renovated Union Street School, you need to find us on-line, check out our newspaper, \$79,000, and established "committees" to decide how best to or drop in and ask questions, but come find us, you won't be



The center that builds community

# Everything Presidential...

# "I Like Ike"

The presidential campaign button collection of Bowdoin's Corley Anne Byras will be on display during the People Plus Senior Health Expo, at the Cook's Corner Mall on October 18th.

"My mother started the collection," Byras explained, "when she was a kid." There are over 400 buttons in the collection, all focusing on American presidential elections, beginning with the Garfield presidency in 1880, and continuing to the coming election. Byras said she has only a few Clinton or Trump buttons, "It's easier



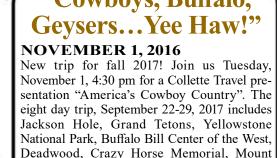
to find them after an election," she explained. Byras said her favorite campaign button is called, "the Jimmy Carter peanut... you just need to come see," she challenged.

# People Plus is on TV!



People Plus Executive Director Stacy Simpson Frizzle and Membership Coordinator Frank Connors tape two monthly TV shows: People Plus News & Views which discusses our monthly activities, and our new monthly cooking show, People Plus Cooks! featuring historical recipes from our senior community. Episodes of our shows are taped at Harpswell TV14 each month with volunteer cameramen Ed Harris and Gordon Brigham and Director, Bernie Breitbart. The shows air on TV14 and Channel 3 in Brunswick and can be viewed any time on our website, www.peopleplusmaine.org or on the People Plus video page https://vimeo. com/peopleplusmaine.





way to visit, to stay focused and become more social, more fit and more engaged. Imagine if you or several of your best friends.

> All you need to do is encourage a friend to join, cost is still only \$35 if you live in Brunswick, \$45 at the Senior Health Expo if you live anywhere else. Your

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visitor to People Plus?

event you use regularly?

often as you like?

that you just don't seem to see as

Encouraging friends' mem-

Are you already a regular friends will start getting our great little newspaper, and before Is there one special program or you know it, they'll be calling you about meeting at programs Do you have a friend, or two, and events.

Remember, People Plus is one of the reasons the Brunswick area is one of the very best places berships at People Plus is a great for seniors to live in our great State of Maine!

Do show your membership card proudly at area businesses, started to share what YOU like and you'll have the opportunity best about People Plus with one to save every day!

> Sign up for a NEW **People Plus Membership** and save \$5.



The Lunch & Connection kitchen crew was singled out last year and provided with warming mitts, "for providing amazing meals, month after month." You can sample their talent each third Thursday of the month, join us at noon.

# **Membership Benefits**

The following businesses offer discounts for People Plus members.

# **AUTO SERVICE/SALES**

Autometrics, 10% off parts, anytime 21 Bath Road, Brunswick, 729-0842

Bill Dodge Auto Group, 10% off parts and

262 Bath Rd., Brunswick, 800-652-6118 118 Pleasant St., Brunswick, 729-6653 www.billdodgeautogroup.com

Brunswick Ford, 10% off parts and service 157 Pleasant St., Brunswick, 725-1228

Lee's Tire & Service, 10% off parts (excludes 35 Gurnet Road, Brunswick, 729-4131

27 Monument Place, Topsham, 729-1676 Tire Warehouse, 20% off labor Topsham Fair Mall, Topsham, 725-7020 www.tirewarehouse.net

## **BEAUTY/HAIR SALON**

Reflections (Salon), 10% off, Mon and Fri 12 Center St., Brunswick, 729-8028 www.reflectionsbylucie.com

Studio 119 Hair & Nail Design, FREE haircut with color or perm; services by Missy Stockford 119 Bath Road, Brunswick, 729-6119

# Wilbur's of Maine, 10% off, anytime

43 Maine St., Brunswick, 729-4462 CHIROPRACTOR

# Augat Chiropractic, Free consultation and

cursory exam 9 Pleasant St., Brunswick, 725-7177

## **DRY CLEANER**

J&J Cleaners, 10% off pickups: Wednesdays (customers over 55) Maine Street, Brunswick, 729-0176

People PEOPLE PLUS MEMBERSHIP

Date \_\_\_\_\_\_

# **FLORIST**

Pauline's Bloomers, 10% off, anytime (within normal 153 Park Row, Brunswick, 725-5952

www.paulinesbloomers.com

Cash/Check (Payable to People Plus)

Membership Dues: \$

(\*Donations above Membership Fees are tax deductible)

Additional Donation\*: \$

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# **HEARING AND OPTICAL** Berrie's Opticians, 20% off complete pair of glasses,

10% off retail price for hearing aides 6 Maine St., Brunswick, 725-5111 www.berriesopticians.com

Maine Optometry, \$30 off complete pair of glasses 82 Maine St., Brunswick, 729-8474 www.maineoptometry.com

## **LEGAL**

Attorney N. Seth Levy. Discounted legal services/ documents including wills, living wills and estates 14 Maine St., Brunswick, 319-4431 www.sethlevvlaw.com

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at evening shows (\$1 small.\$1.50 medium) 149 Maine St., Brunswick, 729-5486 www.eveningstarcinema.com

Maine State Music Theatre, Senior discount (60+) on matinee tickets 22 Elm Street, Brunswick, 725-8769 www.msmt.org

Thomas Point Beach, \$1 weekday admission 29 Meadow Road, Brunswick, 725-6009 www.thomaspointbeach.com

Yankee Lanes, \$1.85 per string (7 days, 9-5) 276 Bath Road, Brunswick, 725-2963 www.vankeelanes.com

#### RESTAURANT

Arby's. 10% off. excluding combos/coupons Topsham Fair Mall, Topsham, 729-8244 www.arbys.com

Big Top Deli, 10% off, anytime 70 Maine St., Brunswick, 721-8900 www.bigtopdeli.com

Fairground Café, 10% off, anytime Topsham Fair Mall, Topsham, 729-5366

McDonald's, Free dessert with purchase Cook's Corner, Brunswick, 729-4416

Sam's Italian Foods, 10% off, excluding specials (patrons over 60) Cook's Corner, Brunswick, 725-4444

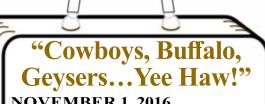
Tavern at Brunswick Hotel. Buy one entrée.

get one half off 4 Noble St., Brunswick, 837-6556 www.thebrunswickhotelandtavern.com/ tavern\_dining/

The Great Impasta, 15% off Wednesday lunch (food only) 42 Maine St., Brunswick, 729-5858 www.thegreatimpasta.com

Indrani's. 10% off non-sale items. Mondays Tontine Mall, Brunswick, 729-6448

Portland Glass. 10% off materials (\$50 max) 61 Bath Road, Brunswick, 729-9971 www.portlandglass.com



Deadwood, Crazy Horse Memorial, Moun

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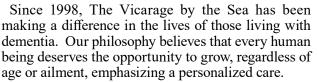
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Phone Birthdate Female Male Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_ I heard about People Plus via \_\_\_\_\_ Yearly Membership Fee: \$35 per person (Brunswick residents) □New Member □Renewal □ \$45 per person (all other towns) □New Member □Renewal □ \$250 for **Lifetime Membership** (65 or over) Rushmore, Badlands National Park and a Chuckwagon dinner! OFFICE USE: Accounting Data Membership Card Sent









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Our family setting embraces and respects the individual reality of each resident. This normalization of dementia defines The Vicarage culture. Our environment lessens social stigmas about dementing illnesses. Such normalization allows for continued growth and preservation of residents' dignity and the continued development of relationships among family, peers and

lovely flower & bird gardens. The

Vicarage mission recognizes the human need and desire Vicarage By The Sea for connection with the beauty of nature and its healing properties. Our Freedom Trail, a handicapped accessible path meandering through woods and ending at a sitting area overlooking Casco Bay, gives residents a safe, serene & private place to reflect

and enjoy the stunning natural beauty. Safety and security of residents are ensured using technology, such as motion detectors, and an exceptional staff to resident ratio of 1 to 4. Residents, accompanied by staff, are encouraged to engage with the outdoors and walk along the beautiful lane and ocean-side nerable population in American society. sitting areas. Our superior staff to resident ratio creates the highest level of personalized care for your loved one and ensures individuals' needs are understood and

Staff prepare three home-cooked meals daily with local foods and ingredients grown in our bountiful,

vegetable gardens. In addition, we haul and serve fresh lobsters and crabs from our traps. Menus incorporate residents' preferences and favorite recipes. Residents being deserves the opportunity to grow, regardless of may help with the meal preparation. It is not uncommon to visit The Vicarage and find staff and residents cooking together. We respect each resident's personality and interests, designing activities to meet these needs. We are a multi-generational home, including babies, children & adults. Each generation provides love and care in their special way.

The Vicarage is an aging in place home. Residents stay throughout the entire life process and are not required to move to another location as the disease Our home, perched on the shores of beautiful, private progresses. This is vital to our philosophy and the Curtis Cove in Harpswell, sits on a wooded lot with well-being of our residents. It creates stability in residence, relationships and routine, reduc-

ing stress for our residents and their families. Residents

are welcome to decorate and furnish their rooms with their own belongings. In addition, pets are welcome at The Vicarage.

After almost 20 years, The Vicarage continues to offer a holistic environment that encompasses

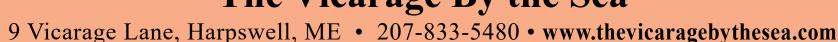
elders, their families, the community,

and the natural world around us. Our philosophy in dementia care provides higher quality of life to its residents than a traditional, "locked facility." Those living with memory loss can be cared for in a more humane manner. We are advocates for better care of this vul-

Johanna Wigg, Ph.D., along with Dementia Care Specialist Cheryl Golek, provide dementia education through regular events and on their website. Johanna also provides professional counseling to families who are coping with the challenges of dementia and meet with residents' families and loved ones regularly.



# The Vicarage By the Sea



# **Aging Excellence**

Our mission: Keep adults active and independent in their own home/community. We are committed to the delivery of services and products that provide physical, social, or personal value to maximize functional independence and socialization. Our vision: Provide the best approach, products and non-medical services to assist individuals and communities in aging successfully.

113 Pleasant St. Brunswick, ME 729-0991

www.seniorsonthego.com

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# Alzheimer's Association, ME Chapter

Serves the entire state of Maine. Our mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain

383 US Route One, Ste 2C, Scarborough, ME 772-0115 alz.org/maine

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89 Admiral Fitch Ave, Brunswick, ME 729-6222

http://avitaofbrunswick.com/

### **Bath Area Family YMCA**

Active older adults are our largest growing member group. From aquatics programs through our yoga, tai chi, and Muscle Time classes, we encourage strengthening spirit, mind and body for all ages and abilities. We always strive to provide our services without regard for one's ability to pay for such services. 303 Centre Street, Bath, ME 443-4112 www.bathymca.org

#### **Bath Housing**

Stable housing is at the core of health and wellness. Bath Housing is a mission driven organization that works to enhance housing stability for seniors, those with disabilities, and families in the greater Bath, Maine area in order to have a safe, vibrant, just and prosperous community.

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86 Holiday Dr. Portland, ME 772-1080 www.seniorlivinginstyle.com/ assisted\_living/Portland\_ME

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Our comprehensive model of care is designed to get you back on your feet again following hospitalization or a debilitating illness. We're a team of therapists, physicians, nurses and specialists whose goal is to get you back home. Occupational, Physical and Speech Therapies ...and great hospitality and customer service!

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Members of our local emergency services will be at the event to answer any guestions you may have.

- Brunswick Police Department
- Brunswick Fire Department
- Other Area First Responders

# **Brunswick Area Respite Care**

Private, non-profit adult day care service program. Entering our 27th year, our mission is to provide supportive care and information to families facing the disabilities of aging. Although not dementia specific, 99% of program participants are those individuals and their families facing the challenges of living with Alzheimer's disease and other dementia.

41-4 Greenwood Rd, Brunswick, ME 729-8571

www.respite-care.org

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CaptionCall's captioning telephone is for anyone who has trouble hearing on the phone. CaptionCall uses voice recognition technology to provide written captions of what callers say on an easyto-read screen. The phone, combined with red-carpet installation and captioning service is 100% complimentary for the hard of hearing.

4215 S Riverboat Rd., Salt Lake City, UT 1-801-293-6572

www.captioncall.com

# Catholic Charities SEARCH – (Seek **Elderly Alone, Renew Courage &** Hope) Program

SEARCH (Seek Elderly Alone, Renew Courage & Hope) is a Program of Catholic Charities, SEARCH provides FREE in-home volunteer support services to seniors living in Sagadahoc County and Brunswick. Our mission is to enable vulnerable seniors to remain independent and create a long-term support system to meet their needs.

125 Congress Ave, Bath, ME 837-8810 www.ccmaine.org/SEARCH

#### **CHANS Home Health Care**

CHANS Home Health Care is a full service, non-profit, Joint Commission Accredited agency providing nursing, rehabilitation, palliative, hospice, and private duty care services, and an array of community-based wellness clinics in the Midcoast Area. CHANS is part of Mid Coast-Parkview Health.

60 Baribeau Dr, Brunswick, ME 729-6782

www.chanshomehealthcare.com/

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Chicks (and sometimes Chuck) Do Chores - so you don't have to! We do most anything you, as a homeowner, would normally do - but you may just need extra hands or just can't do any longer. Anything from lightbulbs to deck painting. We're here to help tackle your TO-DO list! PO Box 385, Brunswick, ME 729-5760

# **CHIP (Community Health Information** Partnership)-Curtis Memorial Library

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23 Pleasant St, Brunswick, ME 725-5242 x214

www.curtislibrary.com

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Coastal Enterprises, Inc. (CEI) is a mission-driven lender and investor specializing in rural economic development in Maine and throughout the U.S. CEI combines financing, advising services and policy leadership to help create economically and environmentally healthy communities in which all people, especially those with low incomes, can reach their full potential.

30 Federal Street, Brunswick, ME 504-5900 www.ceimaine.org

## **Coastal Landing Retirement** Community

Coastal Landing will be celebrating its 1 year anniversary in October. We are a retirement community serving the greater mid-coast area. Please come visit us during our *Open House* in October or call Sue Cary at 837-6560 to schedule your visit and see for yourself why so many people are calling Coastal Landing their *home*.

142 Neptune Drive, Brunswick, ME 837-6560

http://coastallanding.com/



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www.funeralalternatives.net

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331 Maine St, Suite 4, Brunswick, ME 729-4086

www.greatscottaudiology.com

## **Greater Brunswick Physical Therapy**

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11 Bowdoin Mill Island, Suite 220, Topsham, ME 729-1164 greaterbrunswickpt.com

## Harpswell Aging at Home

Harpswell Aging at Home is a community organization helping older adults address the challenges of aging at home. They need information about services, help with home maintenance and basic needs such as food and transportation, and opportunities to socialize. Our goal is helping older adults find the services they need.

18 Leeman Road, Orr's Island, ME 833-3359

facebook.com/harpswellagingathome

# Head to Toe Physical Therapy of **Topsham**

A privately, locally owned and operated outpatient physical therapy clinic located in Topsham, Maine. We have been serving patients in midcoast Maine since 2006. We pride ourselves in treating the individual, not just the injury. Our therapists have extensive training in manual therapy. 439 Lewiston Rd, Topsham, ME 725-4400

www.headtotoeptoftopsham.com

#### **Hearts & Hands**

At the Expo - offering profound relaxation and pain relief through hands-on Reiki healing combined with a Biomat to lay on. Biomat is a tabletop mat full of amethyst crystals that provides negative ions and infrared heat. Try 15-minute session with Martha Spruce, Reiki Master teaching and practioner for over 20 years.

4 Magean Street, Brunswick, ME 751-5339

www.hearts-n-hands.com

#### HillHouse Assisted Living

HillHouse is an elder care facility located in North Bath, Maine, on grounds overlooking Whiskeag Creek and Merrymeeting Bay. HillHouse cares for elders along a continuum of needs, from independent living to end-of-life and hospice care. HillHouse staff offer personalized care to all residents in a home-like environment. 166 Whiskeag Road, Bath, ME 443-6301

www.hillhouseassistedliving.com

#### **Home Instead Senior Care**

Home Instead Senior Care provides non-medical care for Cumberland County seniors. Our services range from simple companion care to 24/7 end of life care, and our CAREGivers are carefully selected, thoroughly screened, and well trained. "To us it's personal."

502 Main St., Gorham, ME 839-0441 www.homeinsteadmaine.com

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PO Box 1271, Wiscasset, ME 240-3186 www.itsmydeath.com

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881 Forest Ave., Portland, ME 772-0954

www.kindredathome.com

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### Maine Bureau of Insurance

The Maine Bureau of Insurance (BOI) is a state agency that regulates the insurance industry and protects consumers. Activities include licensing insurance producers and companies; performing company examinations and audits; reviewing rates and policy forms; investigating consumer complaints; and educating consumers about their rights and responsibilities under state laws.

34 State House Station, Augusta, ME 624-8445

www.maine.gov/insurance

#### Maine Estate Services, LLC

Maine Estate Services (MES) helps homeowners, estate attorneys, families and real estate agents manage the disposition of personal and household assets due to moving, downsizing or a death in a family. MES has the expertise and resources to answer the question, "How do we deal with all our things?"

13 Pleasant St., Brunswick, ME 798-2834

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14 Main St., Box 77, Brunswick, ME 373-8932

www.mainegero.com

# Maine Insurance Group

Maine Insurance Group serves seniors throughout Maine, specializing in Medicare plans, where the primary focus is on the senior, rather than the insurance company. We provide each individual with a better understanding of Medicare by explaining the various Medicare options and help to find the right plan that works

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http://mainemedicalpartners.org/ orthopedics-sports-medicine

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www.mainepines.com

### **Maine Senior College Network**

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Midcoast Senior College provides noncredit academic courses and other educational events for people 50 years and older to continue lifelong learning. Midcoast Senior College is part of the Maine Senior College Network and serves the area from Damariscotta to Freeport and inland towards Augusta

34 Bedford St, USM, Portland, ME 780-4128 maineseniorcollege.org

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Maine Veterans' Homes provides outstanding quality care to Maine's Veterans and their spouses. Our facilities are recognized for their modern amenities, exceptional programs and full continuum of care. Our success can be directly attributed to our staffs unwavering commitment to our mission and core values in taking care of Maine's Veterans.

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### Mid Coast Senior Health Center

Mid Coast Senior Health Center offers a full continuum of senior healthcare and living options in Brunswick, Maine. Services include assisted living, memory care, long-term care, skilled nursing and rehabilitation, as well as Lifeline emergency response. Mid Coast Senior Health Center is part of Mid Coast–Parkview Health. 58 Baribeau Dr, Brunswick, ME

www.midcoastseniorhealthcenter.com/

#### Neighbors, Inc.

373-3646

Neighbors, Inc is a non-medical organization specializing in supporting mostly elderly individuals to remain independent and stay in their own homes as long as possible. We provide transportation, meal preparation, help with chores, medication reminders, shopping and companion/safety care. Services are available from 1 hour to 24 hours daily. PO Box 728, Brunswick, ME

725-9444 neighbors.com

## **New England Rehabilitation Hospital** of Portland

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#### 335 Brighton Ave. Portland, ME 662-8082 www.nerhp.com

**Northern New England Poison Center** The Northern New England Poison Center (NNEPC) is located at MaineHealth in Portland. NNEPC is staffed with specially trained and certified nurses available 24/7. All calls are confidential. NNEPC manages poison questions, exposures and overdoses from the states of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. MaineHealth, 22 Bramhall Street,

Portland, ME 662-7224 www.nnepc.org

# **Pejepscot Terrace**

Pejepscot Terrace, located in Brunswick off of Jordan Avenue, offers affordable housing for the elderly and disabled household. We offer one and two bedroom apartments. Equal housing opportunity.

36 Pejepscot Terrace, Brunswick, ME 729-8006

www.pejepscotterrace.com

## People Plus

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## RightCare Alliance/Lown Institute

Visit our Lown Institute Right Care Action Week "Listening Booth". Poppy Arford and Kathy Day will interview people to gather responses to "What is your greatest worry" about healthcare. Contact information will also be gathered from people interested in the Lown Institute's Right Care Alliance and in a Right Care Maine Chapter. FMI http://lowninstitute.org. 21 Longwood Ave., Brookline, MA 1-617-992-9322

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Founded in 1983, Sexual Assault Support Services of Midcoast Maine (SASSMM) has been providing sexual assault support services to community members across the lifespan. SASSMM services include: community outreach & prevention sessions; 24 hour crisis/support line services; support groups; and one-to-one advocacy in Eastern Cumberland, Sagadahoc, Lincoln, Knox, and Waldo Counties. PO Box 990, Brunswick, ME 725-2181

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32 Sky-Hy Drive, Topsham, ME 725-7577

www.sky-hy.net

## Spectrum Generations

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www.thevicaragebythesea.com



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www.topshamdentalarts.com

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For seniors, maintaining independence is very important. At Volunteers of America, we provide housing for seniors who want to live independent lifestyles where they can thrive and age in place. Our residents deserve the quality of life that they desire and our commitment to service-enriched housing offers them just that.

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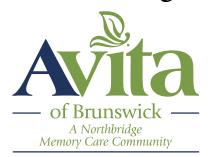




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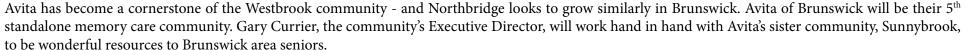
# Avita coming to Brunswick in winter 2016



OCTOBER 2016

The Northbridge Companies is coming to Brunswick for a second time this year. First was Sunnybrook Senior Living, an independent and assisted living community, now second will be Northbridge's signature memory care program, Avita, just down the road from Sunnybrook. The brand-new state-of-theart community will specialize in memory care and will have three home-like secure neighborhoods.

As a privately owned company, Northbridge is known as the next generation of senior living and an industry leader in memory care. Northbridge first set foot in Maine at Avita of Stroudwater in Westbrook, where they saw a great need for memory care services.



The name of the community, Avita, which translates to "For Life," was inspired by Northbridge's desire to create a safe and fulfilling environment where expert caregivers take the time to get to know the residents and their families in order to make each day worthwhile.

Avita is proud to offer services and programs designed to allow families to spend more quality time together and less time worrying about the care of a loved one. The community offers comfortable spaces for quiet visits, game rooms for fun with grandkids and catered dining to celebrate family traditions. Avita communities honor all the wonderful moments in each resident's life. From their hidden talent for painting, their favorite song, to that recipe that their family dearly loves - Avita brings those elements into the resident's world.

If someone you know has need for Avita's supportive and caring community, please do not hesitate to contact Avita's Sales Director, Bethany Tyler at 207.729.6222

# Meals and Presentations at People Plus



FULL HOUSE! Meals at the center are always popular, as these ladies at a Women's Breakfast will agree. Come to our Monday Munchies, our Lunch & Connections Luncheon or Men's and Women's Breakfast to discover what all the good times are about!

Weekly meal program at People Plus. Meals served every Monday from 11-12:30. Eat in or take out or both!

# Women's Breakfast

The first Thursday of the month at 8:30 am. Start your day with a healthy meal and good company.

# Organized get-together at local restaurants on the second

Tuesday of each month. Men's Breakfast The second Thursday of the month at 8 am. Start your day

## with a healthy meal and good company.

Lunch/Connections Third Thursday of the month at noon. Sign up early for this always sold out meal! Also includes free hearing screenings and free blood pressure checks.

# PRESENTATIONS:

#### **Author's Chats** Maine authors tell us about their books and experiences.

**Welcome to Medicare with Spectrum Generations** 2nd Tuesday of every month, 12:30-2 pm. Designed to provide you with knowledge about Medicare and its many "Parts".

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FYI! (For your Information) - Lecture Series Monthly programs to tantalize the mind with interesting and stimulating presentations and light refreshments.

### 'Aging Well' Lunch and Learn

The 4th Monday of every month at noon with programs focusing on healthy minds and healthy bodies. Bring your lunch, we provide drinks, chips and dessert.

# **MEDICARE PLANS** and PRIMARY CARE

Offering care and coverage to keep Midcoast seniors healthv!



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# Need a Ride?



VTN Driver Gladys Szabo gives VTN Rider Dorothy Boddaert a ride home from a volunteer "lunch crew" shift at People Plus.

The People Plus Volunteer Transportation Network (VTN) coordinates a network of volunteer drivers to provide free rides for those in need of transportation.

Who can ride? Adults (over 18) who:

- can't drive (temporarily or permanently) • are able to get in and out of a car with
- minimal assistance (no wheelchairs) • live alone or have no means of
- transportation
- live in the greater Brunswick area
- completed VTN Rider Registration

Where/When? VTN provides rides during the day, Monday-Friday. Ride requests should be made at least three (3) business days in advance for appointments such as:

- medical visits
- food bank/soup kitchen/other services
- shopping/pharmacy/library
- hair or other personal care appointments • gatherings, classes, workshops

Who can drive? Adults (over 18) who have:

- valid driver's license & car insurance
- been driving for more than three (3) years
- completed VTN Driver Application cleared background checks
- regular access to email



If you are interested in becoming a rider or driver, or to learn more about the program. please check out www.peopleplusmaine.org/ content/transportation or contact the VTN Coordinator at 729-0757 (or driver@peopleplusmaine.org).

# **DRIVERS WANTED!!**

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- Bookkeeping
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- Respite Care



It all started in 1942 when Bill Dodge's father, Winfred, opened a Chevrolet dealership in Bowdoinham, Maine. Since then, the Bill Dodge Auto Group has grown to currently include 8 family owned franchises in Maine: BMW, Infiniti, GMC, Cadillac, Buick, KIA, Hyundai and Nissan in four locations within Westbrook, Brunswick and Saco.

The Bill Dodge Auto Group is still run today by the Dodge Family, including co-owners Win & Stacy Dodge, a dynamic brother / sister duo who you probably hear on the radio! Win and Stacy work very hard to make sure employees and customers alike feel like "part of the family." Outside of the dealership walls, you will see the Bill Dodge Auto Group actively involved with Community events and sponsorships. Each year the Dodge Family puts generous amounts of time and financial support into the communities in which we serve.

From Otto the Moose attending parties and parades... to fighting childhood hunger in Maine...to supporting the Boy scouts, People Plus, Youth Sports, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Easter Seals, American Heart Association, American Red Cross, Camp Sunshine, and over 40 others in 2015! We truly want to be "Maine's Family Dealership" and the only way to do so is to do everything we can to support Maine Families.

The Bill Dodge Auto Group is comprised of over 300 employees, all working with one mission in mind: to be the greatest dealership around by providing the best customer care, great value and to leave you saying "Bill Dodge is a great place to be!" We look forward to seeing you soon.



Rick Martin, Service Director Hyundai & A/C DELCO, Bill Dodge Auto Group, gave tips on winterization and the do's and don'ts of doing a live multi-point inspection at a recent Car Talk at the People Plus Center.

# **Brentwood**

# Winship Green

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Winship Green Center for Health & Rehabilitation has been an for the Greater Bath community for many years. Our center is managed by National Health Care Associates, a private, regional leader in senior healthcare with 40 short-term rehabilitation and skilled nursing centers throughout the Northeast. Winship Green Center and National Health Care share a common mission: "to provide our residents and their families with superior care delivered by staff dedicated to the principles of kindness, compassion, service, and excellence."

stay or call us your home, we stroke rehabilitation and wound want you to feel as comfortable as care management to name a few.

you would amongst family, while receiving care such as short-term exceptional healthcare resource rehabilitation following a hospital stay or skilled long-term care nursing services. We also offer short-term respite care, for vacationing caregivers - providing a much needed respite, allowing caregivers time away for a business life possible. trip or a much needed vacation.

Our center is proud to provide National HealthCare's signature Passport Rehabilitation Program, featuring physical, occupational, and speech therapies, as well as a myriad of medical services including pulmonary rehabilitation, heart failure services for CHF, cardiac Whether you join us for a brief recovery, amputee rehabilitation,

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Fridays, 11 am. Ed Knox will mod-

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# Classes, Games, and Clubs at People Plus

CLASSES (fee-based, open to public):

Loosen Up!

M/W/F, 9 am. Instructor Suzanne Neveux. Includes resistance training, core strengthening, and exercises intended to improve balance and posture. Performed standing and seated. Take it once, twice or three times a week.

Zumba

Mondays, 10 am. Instructor Bea Blakemore. Aerobic and dance moves set to popular music. Lowimpact for seniors.

**Art with Connie Bailey** 

Tuesdays, 10-12 pm. All levels welcome. Explores different mediums each month.

Tuesdays, 10:30 am with Ann Kimmage and Thursdays, 11 am with Leslie Ballin. Stretch, flex, breathe and relax for optimum well being.

**Aerobics Lite** 

Tuesdays, 12:30 pm. Instructor Suzanne Neveux. Combination of sitting and standing movements while moving to music with low impact steps.

# Line Dancing - Beginner and Advanced

Beginner: Thursdays, 6 pm, Advanced: Thursdays, 7:15 pm. Instructor Janice McLaughlin. Choreographed dance with a repeated sequence of steps in which a group of people dance in a line, all facing the same direction and doing the steps at the same time.

Fridays, 11 am. Instructor Suzanne Neveux. Related to Tai Chi.

Tai Chi - Beginner and Advanced

Beginner: Fridays, 10 am, Advanced: Wednesdays, 12:30 pm. Instructor Suzanne Neveux. Exercises your mind and body. The body is chal-

lenged with moving slowly to keep your feet underneath you to enhance the power of your movements.

**GROUPS** (Free, members only):

Easy Riders Biking Club

Wednesdays, 9 am, weather permitting. Rides either begin at People Plus or off-site location and usually last about an hour.

Most days - check calendar for schedule. For serious players with a sense of humor. Bring athletic shoes or sneakers.

Walking Club

Visit the Brunswick Parks and Recreation indoor track and log your walks in the member logbook.

**GAMES** (Free, members only):

M/W/F, 9-12 pm. Chinese multiplayer tile game. All skill levels welcome. Bridge - Experienced

Mondays, 12–3:30 pm, Saturdays, 10 am - 3 pm. Play several games with different partners.

Bridge - Beginner/Intermediate Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9-11:30 am. A less formal Bridge group. All levels welcome.

Cribbage - Experienced Wednesdays, 8:45-11:30 am. Play cribbage with different partners.

**CLUBS** (Free, members only):

Crafters Mondays, 9–11 am. Bring your current project (knit, crochet, scrapbook, etc) and socialize while

Apple Club First Monday of the month. Bring your Apple device and questions. **Ouilters** 

working.

**Write on Writers** 

First and third Tuesdays of the month at 1 pm. Bring our own project and socialize while you work.

Wednesdays, 1–2:30 pm. Read and

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Second Tuesday of the month, 3 pm. 3 pm. Unique book club! Share what Whether you are just learning, need you've been reading and learn about a refresher or are a pro who wants a what others think are good, too! chance to speak a language you love.

Cafe en Français

**Tech Time** 

6:30 pm.

device questions.

Civil War Book Club

Third Monday of the month,

Fourth Tuesday of the month, 2:30 pm. Spend a lively hour once a month speaking French with good company.

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Mary Marino of Mary's Affordable Hearing Aids started her company with ten years of experience after she saw a need in the market for less expensive hearing aid options combined with a lack of transportation in the hearing impaired community. So she began offering free home visits and hearing aids at affordable prices.

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at mary@marysaffordablehearingaids.com. You will be very happy you did. Hearing well improves your quality of life and those around you. "You don't know what you're missing if you miss it!"

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# **Good Morning Program**

# Who ya gonna call?

**The Good Morning Program** program is ideal for older adults is a free, daily safety check-in or those who live alone or with program created by People Plus and the Brunswick Police Department. Available to older adults or those with disabilities in Brunswick, Harpswell, and Freeport, this program enables about their comfort and safety or participants to call in by phone for those who have seven (7) mornings per week recently returned from the time they wake up from the hospital until 9:30 a.m. to say they are or a rehabilitation OK. If a participant does not call in, a volunteer will call the participant's home. If there is no answer, an emergency plan will Plus at 729-0757 or be enacted; which may include Brunswick Police, local police making a "wellness non-emergency check" at the home.

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someone with disabilities. (Even if you are healthy, what would happen if you fell? Could your family member get help?) It is perfect for those concerned

facility.

For more information, call People number, 725-6621,



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# **OCTOBER Seasonal Community** Flu Shot Clinics

OCTOBER 2016

All CHANS Home Health Care clinics are first-come, first-served. Vaccine is for anyone 6-months-of-age or older. Insurance or donations accepted.

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Oct. 18-People Plus Senior Health Expo, Cook's Corner Mall, 172 Bath Road, Brunswick 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Oct. 19-Horizons Living and Rehab Center, 29 Maurice Drive, Brunswick Oct. 19-Wiscasset Community Center, 242 Gardiner Road, Wiscasset 4:30-5:30 p.m. Oct. 20-Lisbon Schools, Lisbon High School, 2 Sugg Drive, Lisbon Falls 2-5 p.m. Oct. 22-RSU 75, Mt. Ararat Middle School, 66 Republic Avenue, Topsham 9 a.m.-NOON Oct. 22-Bath Area Senior Citizens, 56 Floral Street, Bath 3:30-6:30 p.m. Oct. 26-Bowdoinham Town Office, 13 School Street, Bowdoinham 3-6 p.m. Oct. 29-Bowdoinham Fire Department, 57 Post Road, Bowdoinham 4-6 p.m. Nov. 03-Curtis Memorial Library, 23 Pleasant Street, Brunswick 9:00-10:30 a.m. Nov. 03-Freeport Town Office, 30 Main Street, Freeport 1-3 p.m. Nov. 04-Harpswell Wellness Fair, Town Office., 263 Mountain Rd, Harpswell 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Nov. 08-Bath Vote and Vax. Bath Middle School. 6 Old Brunswick Road. Bath 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Nov. 12-Brunswick Early Bird Sale, Tontine Mall, 149 Maine Street, Brunswick 7 a.m.-NOON Nov. 17-RSU 5, Freeport High School, 30 Holbrook Street, Freeport 3-7 p.m. Nov. 18-Town of Woolwich, Central School, 137 Nequasset Road, Woolwich 2:30-5:00 p.m. Nov. 29-RSU 75, Mt. Ararat Middle School, 66 Republic Avenue, Topsham 4-6 p.m. Dec. 07-Bath Area Family YMCA, 303 Centre Street, Bath 9:30-10:30 a.m. Dec. 13-Bath Adult Ed, Morse High School, 826 High Street, Bath 4:30-6:30 p.m.

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If the yearly membership fee feels a little steep for you (or for you and your spouse combined), please let us know if you'd like some sponsorship for it! You could do a buy one get one free, for instance, for a married individual.



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cost of classes upon request. So don't miss out on a great opportunity to exercise and have a fantastic social experience underwritten by Mid Coast-Parkview Health!

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# Tips to Prevent Medication Errors

### By Carl DeMars, MD

In order to avoid errors and harmful drug interactions, it is important for you and your healthcare providers know what medications you are taking. For your safety, it is best to keep a medication list with you at all times. A Personal Medication Card will help you keep track of your medications, proper dosage, and the reason for taking it.

It is important to remember to list ALL the medications you are taking including prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Every time you have a medical appointment, you should review your medication list with your healthcare team. When you change, stop, or begin new medications, make sure to update your list.

Knowing and understanding your medications can help you take an active role in your healthcare.

Here is a list of things you should learn about every medication you take:

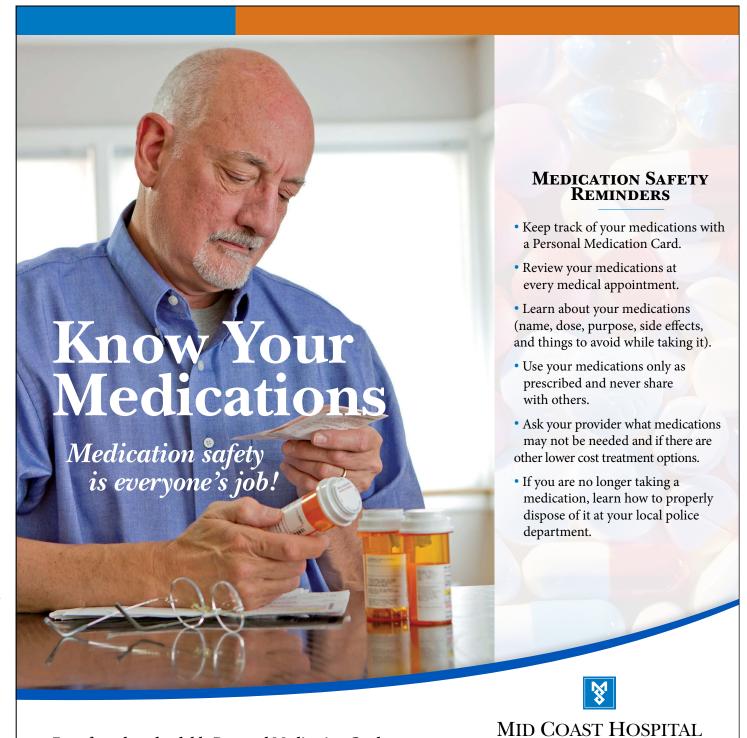
- 1. The name of the medication.
- 2. The reason you are taking the medication and what it is supposed to do.
- 3. When and how to take the medication, and for how long.
- 4. What to do if you miss a dose.
- Foods, drinks, and activities (including being in the sun) to avoid while taking the medication.
- 6. Possible side effects of the medication and what to do if you experience them.
- 7. How to safely dispose of your unused medication.

If you would like more information about the medications you are taking, ask your provider or pharmacist. Your healthcare team can also help with finding lower cost medications and treatments.

Also remember to ask your provider about what medications may not be needed and if there are other treatments that may be more helpful. The Choosing Wisely® campaign, an initiative of the ABIM Foundation in partnership with Consumer Reports, is a national effort to help patients and physicians have conversations to ensure the right care is delivered at the right time.

Choosing Wisely encourages the use of five questions when talking to your health care provider about which tests, treatments, and procedures you need — and which you don't need.

- Do I really need this test or procedure? Medical tests help you and your health care provider decide how to treat a problem. And medical procedures help to actually treat it.
- 2. What are the risks? Will there be side effects? What are the chances of getting results that aren't accurate? Could that lead to more testing or another procedure?
- 3. Are there simpler, safer options? Sometimes all you need to do is make lifestyle changes,



such as eating healthier foods or exercising

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- 4. What happens if I don't do anything? Ask if your condition might get worse — or better — if you don't have the test or procedure right away.
- 5. How much does it cost? Ask if there are less-expensive tests, treatments or

procedures, what your insurance may cover, and about generic drugs instead of brand-name drugs.

The more educated you are, the more prepared you will be to ask questions of your physician, understand recommendations, and weigh the pros and cons of different treatment options. When you make the most of your doctor visits, you get better care and see better health results.

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