

Registration Questions

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I cannot attend. Please send Forum materials.

*"There's a fire inside of everybody
Burning clear and bright
There's a power in the faintest heartbeat
That cannot be denied
Go on and trust yourself
Cause you can ride the wind
You're gonna take your dreams
Where's they've never been
There's a hero in everybody's heart"
- Billy Gilman*

Accessibility

Facility is wheelchair accessible. Please contact Kara Ohlund at kohlund@mcd.org or 622-7566 x231 if you require a special accommodation such as a sign language interpreter or assistive listening device. TTY: (207) 622-1209.

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Maine Asthma Forum

“Where Every Breath Counts”



Learn About Asthma in Maine

February 3, 2005

Blue Hill Public Library—Howard Room
Blue Hill

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Why Attend?

To help reduce the burden of asthma for the people of Maine by building and strengthening community partnerships to include an effective, inter-disciplinary approach to asthma management.

Intended Audience

Childcare providers, teachers, parents or guardians or other caregivers, individuals with asthma, policy makers, business or community leaders, school administrators, school nurses, school health coordinators, parent organizations, physicians, healthcare professionals, and public health advocates. All community members are welcome to attend. The public will have an opportunity to ask questions and discuss their views on asthma priorities.

Intent

To discuss the Maine Asthma Plan, share your ideas, and inspire Maine citizens to take action. Please join us at the exciting Asthma Forum. This is a fabulous opportunity to share Maine's Asthma Plan and to inspire people to take part in the effort to reduce asthma in Maine. The Forum is tailored to Maine citizens whose lives are touched by asthma. A diverse audience is welcome and expected. We are reaching out to new partners, friends, and colleagues who are passionately committed to this issue. We welcome people who have asthma, family members of people with asthma, artists, communities of faith, grassroots organizations, policy makers, and others who care about this issue. As every breath counts, every voice counts!

Agenda

- 12:00 Registration, Light Lunch
- 12:30 Welcome
- 12:45 Everyone Has a Voice, Everyone Has the Tools
- 1:00 Review of Regional and Statewide Data
- 1:30 The State Asthma Plan
- 1:45 Asthma Action/Management Plan
- 2:00 Break
- 2:15 Breakout Groups:
 - Community • Healthcare
 - Schools & Childcare
 - Environment-Workplace
- 3:30 Reconvene to Share Information Questions & Answers, Open Forum
- 4:15 Evaluation
- 4:30 Adjourn

Presenters

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(1 form per person)*

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(first, last)

Organization _____

Work Address _____

Phone Work _____

Home _____

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Your Connection to Asthma
(parent, youth, student, physician, nurse,
artist, etc.)

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MCD Meeting Services
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Augusta, ME 04330

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- Healthcare
- Communities
- Schools & Childcare