



**American
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Red Cross Month Blood Screenings
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Red Cross Month Features Multi-Phasic Blood Screenings

The American Red Cross of Medina County is partnering with HealthScreen to offer wellness programs in all three major county cities in March for Red Cross Month.

The wellness programs, incorporating multi-phasic blood screenings, will be held from 7:30 to 11 a.m. at the Community Rooms at the Medina, Wadsworth and Brunswick Buehler's Stores on the following dates: Saturday, March 20, at Buehler's River Styx at 3626 Medina Rd., Medina; Thursday, March 25, at Wadsworth Buehler's at 175 Great Oaks Trail and Saturday, March 27, at Brunswick Buehler's at 3688 Center Rd.

For those who would like to take advantage of the health screening program, appointments will be taken every 5 minutes. The Health Profile screening will include about 35 tests including a complete chemistry series, liver function tests, coronary risk assessment, diabetes management screening and a complete blood count for \$70.

Other tests that are available are: Premium Health Profile for \$90, Women's Health Profile for \$125, Men's Health Profile for \$125, Prostate Cancer Screening for \$50, Thyroid Panel for \$50 and Diabetic Screening for \$50.

HealthScreen is a leading provider of health screening and immunization programs. These tests aid in the early detection of diabetes, heart disease, high cholesterol, kidney and liver disease and prostate cancer.

For more information or to make an appointment, call the Chapter at 330-723-4565 or toll free at 1-877-441-4565, extension 133.

American Red Cross Month is a tradition dating back to 1943, when President Franklin Delano Roosevelt, signed the first proclamation. This year the Red Cross is taking time in March to focus on the volunteers and employees who demonstrate such compassion and generosity by supporting the Red Cross in Medina County and around the country.

“We are proud to be the place where everyday people can do extraordinary things, and we hope our entire community will continue to support us so that we can continue to offer lifesaving services everyday,” said Beth Kilchenman, executive director.

Throughout the month of March, more than 700 Red Cross chapters and blood regions across the country celebrate with special events, trainings and fundraisers that give the public a chance to learn more about the Red Cross and all the ways they can be involved. In the past year alone, the Medina County Chapter responded to 15 local emergencies, assisted 126 military families and trained over 2,000 people in lifesaving skills.

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