



## **Team Member News**

*Thursday, Sept. 12, 2019*

Affiliate versions of *Team Member News* are sent to team members at each affiliate every Thursday.

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### **Need to know**

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#### **Emergency Management will test a new desktop alert system on Sept. 19**

The Emergency Management Department will test a new desktop alert system on Thursday, Sept 19. Throughout the day, team members at hospitals may receive a pop-up test message. If you receive the message, click the dismiss button to acknowledge you have received the alert.

Earlier this year, Prisma Health began using a mass notification system called Everbridge. The system strengthens our ability to communicate with team members during an emergency by sending notifications to your email, work phone and cell phone. Beginning Oct. 1, we will also have the ability to send a pop-up alert to desktop computers at our hospitals in the event of an internal or external emergency.

#### **Joe Browning named Greenville Health Authority chief of police**

Joe Browning has been named chief of police for Greenville Health Authority (GHA). Joe has worked for the Greenville City Police Department since 1995, most recently serving as the administrative police captain. His first day with us was Monday, Sept. 9. [Click here for details.](#)

#### **Prisma Health Greenville Memorial Hospital – Unit 3B update**

Effective Sept. 15, the Medical-Renal unit (3B) at Greenville Memorial Hospital will transition to a Neuroscience Med/Surg unit. [Click here for details.](#)

#### **Prisma Health team member ID badges coming soon**

You will receive your new team member ID badge later this month. Directors will be given the new badges to distribute to their team members. Click here to review a few [important items to know about the new badges.](#)



## **Upgraded policy management system rolling out organization-wide next month**

On Tuesday, Oct. 1, Prisma Health will begin using PolicyTech for the housing of all policies and procedures for Prisma Health. The system will be new in the Upstate and an enhanced version in the Midlands. [Click here to learn more.](#)

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## **News and information**

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### **How are the gift shops doing? Provide your feedback!**

Help improve our gift shops for a chance to win a \$25 gift certificate. [Click here to provide your feedback.](#)

### **Prisma Health Perks**

Access your [team member discounts](#).

### **September safety bulletin**

Keep the working environment safe for patients and team members. Click here to review the [September safety bulletin](#) from the Environment of Care department. Email [Safety@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:Safety@PrismaHealth.org) with any questions.

### **Weekly United Way Campaign prize winners**

Everyone that contributes to the [2019 Prisma Health United Way Campaign](#) is entered to win one of several prizes. Six winners are randomly selected every Friday. [Click here for a list of winners so far.](#)

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## **Events**

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### **Camp Courage fundraiser**

*Thursday, Sept. 12*

Under The Carolina Moon (5424 Calhoun Memorial Hwy., Easley) will hold a special fundraising event on Thursday, Sept. 12 from 4–7 p.m. Proceeds from the sale of a specially designed t-shirt and related products will benefit Camp Courage. In addition to the event, the shirt is available all month [here](#).

### **Food trucks at Prisma Health Greenville Memorial Medical Campus**

*Friday, Sept. 13*



Click here for [Friday's food truck menu](#). The trucks will be parked in the short term, on street parking adjacent to Prisma Health Roger C. Peace Rehabilitation Hospital from 11 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

### **BMW Performance Classic**

*Friday, Sept. 13*

Registration is open for our seventh Corporate Shield race of the season, BMW Performance Classic, taking place on Friday, Sept. 13 at the BMW Performance Center (Greer, SC). [Learn more and register here](#).

As a reminder, Prisma Health will reimburse entry fees for Greenville Corporate Shield races. To receive reimbursement, [complete the form here](#). Questions on the reimbursement process? Contact Latoya Wider at [Latoya.Wider2@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:Latoya.Wider2@PrismaHealth.org).

### **Gift basket raffles benefiting United Way**

*Sept 13 and 20*

Radiology will raffle several gift baskets to raise funds for United Way. Raffles take place Friday, Sept. 13 and Friday, Sept. 20 from 7 a.m.–3:30 p.m. in the Prisma Health Greenville Memorial Hospital Team Member Pavilion.

### **"Do No Harm" screening and panel discussion**

*Tuesday, Sept. 17*

Join the Transformative Health Institute Team Member Well Being Subcommittee and Prisma Health–Upstate Medical Staff Practitioner Health Committee for a ["Do No Harm" screening and panel discussion](#) on Tuesday, Sept. 17 at 5 p.m. at Prisma Health Greenville Memorial Hospital Medical Staff Auditorium. Those unable to attend in person will have the opportunity to watch both the film and panel discussion via live stream from one of our campuses. [Click here to register](#).

### **Town Hall meetings**

*Now–Sept. 20*

Team members are encouraged to attend any meeting; however, it is important that you work with your manager to ensure your work unit has sufficient coverage during the meeting. [View and print the complete schedule here](#).

### **Imaging Services staffing pool information session**

*Tuesday, Sept. 24*

Prisma Health is looking for high-performing imaging technologists to join the Imaging Services staffing pool. Interested? [Attend an information session](#) from 5–6 p.m. in Toomey Conference Center 2 at Prisma Health Greenville Memorial Hospital.



## **Training and support for caregivers of those with dementia**

*Classes begin Wednesday, Sept. 25*

Looking for practical tips to help care for a family member or patient who has dementia? These [90-minute sessions](#) help you understand dementia and its progress, help you communicate better, and assist you in solving problems like wandering, sleep problems, eating problems and aggression.

## **Diabetes Prevention Program**

*Next class: Thursday, Sept. 26*

Are you at risk for Type 2 Diabetes or looking to make healthy lifestyle changes? If so, you may be a candidate for the [Diabetes Prevention Program](#) for Prisma Health team members and dependents over the age of 18. Email [DPP@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:DPP@PrismaHealth.org) or call 864-522-1440 for questions and enrollment. Next classes begin:

- Thursday, Sept. 26 from 5:30–6:30 p.m. at Prisma Health Hillcrest Hospital
- Wednesday, Oct. 9 from 5:30–6:30 p.m. at Prisma Health North Greenville Hospital

## **Denver Downs Fall Festival tickets**

*Sept. 28–Nov. 10*

Join the Recreation Committee for a family day at Denver Downs Fall Festival with a package of four tickets for \$20 (limit one package per team member). Please use your work email address when purchasing. [Click here to purchase tickets.](#)

## **Upcoming events at the Life Center**

*Now–Sept. 30*

Click here for a list of [upcoming events at the Life Center](#). Highlights include:

- Blood Connection blood drive (Sept. 16, 20)
- Exercise Rx (Sept. 25)

## **Improv training for caregivers of those with dementia**

*Thursday, Oct. 3*

Improv training will help you really listen to your loved one and let that person feel more in control. Come learn ways to say "yes, and" instead of "no" as you face the ever-more confusing relationship with a loved one experiencing memory loss. 1–3:30 p.m. at Prisma Health Oconee Memorial Hospital. [Click here for details.](#)

## **Café and Then Some tickets**

*Thursday, Oct. 3*



The Recreation Committee has a limited number of tickets (\$20) to a special show and dinner at Café and Then Some (Greenville, SC) on Thursday, Oct. 3 at 6:30 p.m. [Click here for details and to purchase.](#)

### **Walk to End Alzheimer's**

*Saturday, Oct. 5*

Are you looking to join a team for the Walk to End Alzheimer's (Saturday, Oct. 5)? Look no further! The Center for Success in Aging has a team ready to welcome you. Join the team by going to [alz.org/walk](http://alz.org/walk) and searching for "Tangle Busters." Email [Diana.Jahries@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:Diana.Jahries@PrismaHealth.org) for more information.

### **Greer Toastmasters**

*Tuesday, Oct. 15*

Join Greer Toastmasters on Oct. 15 at 7:30 a.m. in MOB 340. Toastmasters is a great way for anyone to develop their leadership, public speaking and communication skills in a fun and supportive environment. Interested? RSVP to Linda Huckaby at [Linda.Huckaby@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:Linda.Huckaby@PrismaHealth.org).

### **Artisan pizza cooking class**

*Tuesday, Oct. 15*

Join the Recreation Committee for an artisan pizza cooking class at Upcountry Provisions (Travelers Rest) from 6–9 p.m. Tickets (\$20) can be [purchased here](#).

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## **How to submit information**

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Email [CCommunications@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:CCommunications@PrismaHealth.org) by noon on Tuesday to run on Thursday.

All Upstate flyers that need quick turnaround or are not customized must be created using the [Prisma Health flyer engine](#) (sign in required on first use).

Repeating news items in consecutive editions may be limited. Events may be limited to no more than 30 days out to be included. Have comments or questions? Email [CCommunications@PrismaHealth.org](mailto:CCommunications@PrismaHealth.org).