

Press Release

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White River Medical Center Hosts Educational Series on Children's Health

Batesville, Ark. - On August 29, 30, and 31, White River Medical Center will present the 3<sup>rd</sup> Josephine Raye Rogers Health Education Series. The topic will be Children's Health, and each session is free and open to the public. (See the schedule of sessions below.)

The educational series features topics on women's health and others important to women. As the healthcare decision makers for children, spouses and often elderly parents, women need information on a variety of health topics. Families depend on the judgment of their mothers, wives and daughters and they are an integral part of the healthcare team.

The goal of the Josephine Raye Rogers Center for Women and Imaging is to improve the health of women and their families in north central Arkansas through exceptional patient care, education and access to healthcare services.

Attention to the health of our children is essential to the health and well-being of our whole society in the years to come," said Mrs. Raye Rogers. "We are so pleased to present these educational events and hope many will take advantage of this opportunity to learn how to better care for our children."

Register by calling 262-1266 or 1481. Meals will be provided with each session and tours of the Josephine Raye Rogers Center for Women and Imaging will be available.



*Josephine Raye Rogers Women's Health Education Series*  
**From the Heart. For your Children.**

**August 29, 30 and 31, 2005**

WRMC Conference Center, 1710 Harrison Street, Batesville, AR 72501

Register for any of the following educational events by calling 262-1481 or 262-1266.

**Monday, August 29**

***Talking to Your Adolescent Daughter About Their Changing Body*** 8:30 - 9:30 AM  
Marcheta Goodin, LCSW

***Healthy Food Choices for Children at all Ages*** 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
Beth Holden, WRMC Dietician

*Healthy Family Dynamics – Keys to Preventing Family Violence* 5:30 - 6:30 PM  
Kay Wilkins, LSW

**Tuesday, August 30**

*Protecting Our Children From Harm in Person and on the Internet* 8:30 - 9:30 AM  
Sgt. Darren Plaster

*Pediatric and Adolescent Safety - Preventing Common Injuries* 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
Verona Brown, M.D.

*Car Seat Safety Check Up* 3:00 - 5:00 PM Outside  
the entrance to the Conference Center. You must have your baby or child and their car seat in the car with you.

**Wednesday, August 31**

*Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder - Answers to Your Questions* 8:30 - 9:30 AM  
Atif Akhtar, M.D., Leigh Wade, LCSW, Certified Play Therapist

*Helping Your Child Breathe Easier - A Panel Discussion* 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
Mark O'Brien, M.D., Robin Williams, M.D. and Melody Moody, M.D.

*Ear Infections in Children - What You Should Know* 6:30 - 7:30 PM  
Michael Orlando, M.D.