

Cover the Uninsured Week – March 10-16, 2003

Monday, March 10

1. Cover the Uninsured Week Conference (Statewide Conference)– Williamsburg Marriott – See www.gvpccc.org for additional information.
2. PICH will be at the Hampton City Court House offering FAMIS to families that are in court for child support.
3. The HELP Free Clinic will be conducting free screenings (blood pressure, foot care, heart health, stress, nutrition, body alignment) from 5:00PM until 8:30PM at the Hampton Health Department, home of the HELP Free Clinic. They will also be enrolling children/adults in FAMIS/Medicaid.
4. Throughout Cover the Uninsured Week, PICH will be conducting enrollment of children in FAMIS at Main Street Physicians, PICH at Stonybrook and PICH-East End Health Clinic.

Tuesday, March 11

1. Newport News City Proclamation
2. Presentation of Proclamation at Newport News City Council Meeting – 7:00PM

Wednesday, March 12

1. Hampton City Proclamation
2. Presentation of Proclamation at Hampton City Council Meeting – 7:30PM
3. The Gloucester-Mathews Free Clinic will be conducting free screenings (blood pressure, oral health, foot care, heart health, stress, nutrition, body alignment). They will also be enrolling children/adults in FAMIS/Medicaid. This mini Health Fair will be held from 10:00AM until 2:00PM.
4. The Virginia Peninsula Chamber of Commerce will be hosting its Mayors and Commanders Breakfast which is attended by between 80 and 150 Chamber members. Materials will be provided to those in attendance. In addition, materials will be distributed at meetings of the Leads Clubs.

Thursday, March 13

1. The Virginia Peninsula Chamber of Commerce is going to carry an article in its publication, ENTERPRISE, which is mailed to 5,000 businesses.
2. Businessmen's Prayer Breakfast will announce and provide information concerning Cover the Uninsured Week.
3. Community Issues Forum: Revealing the Face of the Uninsured Child in Hampton Roads which is being conducted on the Southside for both the Southside and the Peninsula. See www.gvpccc.org for additional information.
4. The Lackey Free Clinic will be conducting free screenings (blood pressure, foot care, heart health, stress, nutrition, body alignment) from 4:30PM until 8:00PM. They will also be enrolling children/adults in FAMIS/Medicaid.

Friday, March 14

1. The Peninsula Clergy Association's mailing to 340 congregations will contain information on the week and clergy are being encouraged to speak to their congregations on the topic of the uninsured.
2. Chaplain David Plummer (President of the Peninsula Clergy Association); Pastor Thomas Kleinert (First Christian Church); Rev. Welborn Preston (New Life AME Church); Rev. Alfred A. Terrell (Macedonia Baptist Church); Father Lee Gueneri (Gloucester Clergy); Catholic Charities (area Catholic Churches) are involved in promoting the week to the clergy.
3. Mary Immaculate Hospital will be doing free screenings as well as education to benefit working persons and their families, from 5:00PM until