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THE FAMILY MEETING

Official Newsletter of the Hemophilia
Outreach Center



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Is your child starting school/daycare for the first time, changing schools/daycares or even changing teachers? If so, HOC would be happy to do an in-service at your child's school.

In-services can also be scheduled with campus nurses as individuals head off to college!

In-services are a great way to help teachers feel comfortable taking care of your child, as well as preparing them on what to look for should your child be injured at school.

If interested, please contact Heather at heatherh@hocgb.org or call our office at (920) 965-0606 to schedule!





Summer Picnic

Thank you to everyone that joined us at HOC's Summer Picnic! The weather was beautiful, food was great, and the company was even better! Thank you Bayer for sponsoring!



Mom-to-Mom Yoga



Back by popular demand, our next Mom-to-Mom will be an evening of yoga, food, drinks, and connection!

LedgeStone Vineyards
6381 State Hwy 57
Greenleaf

Monday, August 26th
6:00 - 8:00 pm

Bring a mat if you have one! Yoga is for all levels...from beginner to expert!

RSVP by August 21st to Heather at heatherh@hocgb.org or calling 920-965-0606.

Yoga

Men's Program Summer Cookout



Register today for HOC's next Men's Program- Summer Cookout! Enjoy hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, drinks, and games! Topic will be "Bleeding Disorders in the Workplace."

Thursday, August 15
5:30 - 8:00 pm

Hemophilia Outreach Center
2060 Bellevue St, Green Bay



To register, contact Heather at heatherh@hocgb.org or 920-965-0606 by August 12th



CORRECTION

For those of you that received the paper version of our July 2024 newsletter, we incorrectly printed the date of our 2024 Winter Program as December 6th. The correct date of our 2024 Winter Program is **Saturday, December 7th.**

*What's Up
Wausau?*

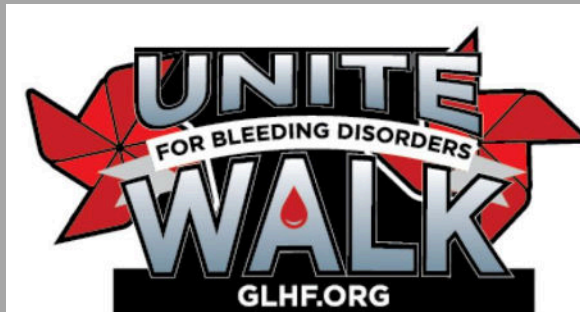


If you've visited our Wausau clinic lately, you may have seen a new face! Welcome Brianna Niznik, Wausau's new clinic coordinator!

Unite for Bleeding Disorders Walk

<https://www.uniteforbleedingdisorders.org/>

Register today for this year's Unite for Bleeding Disorders Walk! The walk will take place on Saturday, September 28th at the Milwaukee County Zoo. Win prizes, enjoy kids' activities, walk through the zoo, and more!





BLEEDING DISORDER MEDICATION PROVIDER SURVEY

SURVEY WILL TAKE APPROXIMATELY 2-3 MINUTES.



WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS SURVEY? HELP US TO HELP YOU!

HOC is looking to measure patient satisfaction surrounding getting your and/or your child's bleeding disorder medication(s) (i.e. through HOC, a specialty pharmacy {sometimes your insurance company may require you to use a specific pharmacy outside of HOC}, etc.) We greatly value the information you share with us and are always looking for ways to improve your care!



HOW WOULD THIS HELP ME?

If there is a pattern of:

- Dissatisfaction with HOC's physician dispensing program (where some individuals get their bleeding disorder medication from), the information in this survey will help us to continuously improve the Physician Dispensing Station operations (operates similar to a pharmacy).
- Dissatisfaction with a specialty pharmacy program, the information in this survey will help us to negotiate with payers (insurance companies), with hopes to become a contracted entity with the insurance company/employer group and patients can move forward with obtaining their bleeding disorder medications through HOC (if HOC is their preferred pharmacy).

Board Vacancy

HOC is uniquely overseen by a Board of Directors that can consist of the community members, patients we serve, as well as local professionals whose values and goals align with the Hemophilia Outreach Center.

There is **ONE** vacant Board of Directors position! The HOC's Board of Directors is made up of committed community members and local business professionals who graciously volunteer their time and expertise. Their purpose is to provide leadership and vision to ensure the organization's mission statement is being fulfilled. HOC is seeking someone with board experience, as well as a background in accounting, patient care/medical field, legal, or business management. Board of Director positions serve three-year terms.

If you are interested in sitting on the Board of Directors, please call the Hemophilia Outreach Center or email Erica (ericab@hocgb.org) to request more information and an application.



Amanda



Dean



Heather



This could be You!



Kristie



Mike



Tracy

