

VALLEY BAPTIST WEEKLY WRAP



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Valley Baptist Progress

Did you know that Valley Baptist was recently re-certified as the only Primary Stroke Center south of Houston by the nation's leading accrediting body, the Joint Commission? Valley Baptist-Harlingen' Stroke Center had no deficiencies during the survey -- yet another tribute to the hard work and conscientiousness of our nursing team, staff and physicians.

Valley Baptist-Brownsville also delivers nationally-recognized stroke care; in fact, Valley Baptist-Brownsville was the only hospital in the Valley to be recognized during the American Stroke Association's 2007 awards ceremony for winning the "Get With The Guidelines – Stroke" Initial Performance Achievement Award.

Valley Baptist Celebrates American Heart Month

Take time this month to learn more about keeping your heart healthy. Call 1-888-902-LIFE (5433) for reservations for the following events.

VBMC-Brownsville • Tower Conference Room

Saturday, February 16, 2008 • "Brunch at Valley Baptist"

Brunch & Lecture followed by Question and Answer Session

Jaime Silva, M.D. • Cardiologist • **"Heart Disease in the Hispanic Population"**

English: 09:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. • **Spanish:** 11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 21, 2008 • "Dinner With A Doctor" • 6:00 PM

Robert Lootens, M.D. & Mark Cua, M.D. • Cardiologists, Heart Institute of Brownsville
"Current Topics on the Causes, Symptoms, Diagnosis, and the Treatment of Coronary Artery Diseases and Cardiac Arrhythmia"

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El Progreso de Valley Baptist

¿Sabias que, Valley Baptist fue recientemente re-certificado como el único Centro de Atención de Embolia Primaria al sur de Houston por el organismo líder en acreditaciones medicas en los Estados Unidos? La denominada Comisión Unida, determino que el Centro de Atención a Embolias del Valley Baptist-Harlingen no presento deficiencia alguna durante el proceso de acreditación – un tributo mas para la ardua labor que nuestro equipo de enfermería, médicos y personal en general, realizan.

Valley Baptist-Brownsville también ha sido reconocido a nivel nacional por su sobresaliente atención a pacientes con embolia. De hecho, Valley Baptist-Brownsville fue el único hospital en ser reconocido durante la pasada ceremonia de reconocimientos, American Stroke Association's 2007, ganando el premio "Get With The Guidelines – Stroke" por su traducción al español "Sigue los lineamientos en el tratamiento de embolias".

Valley Baptist Celebra el mes del Corazon

Tome tiempo este mes para aprender más sobre como mantener su corazon sano. Por favor llame al 1-888-902-LIFE(5433) para reservaciones para los siguientes eventos.

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