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ANGELA HOSPICE The Angela Hospice ongoing grief support groups meet 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of the month. Call Ruth Favor, bereavement coordinator, at (734) 464-7810.

THUR, JULY 26

IHUR, JULY 26 POWR of ATTORNEY Learn how you can designate a patient advecate who can act on your behalf regarding medical decisions should you become incapacitated. Learn why this is preferred over a living will. Dis-cussion begins 7 p.m. at Provi-donce (haspital & Medical Cen-ter-Novi Park, 47601 W. Nino Mila Road, Novi. Free. Call (877) 345-5500.

JULY 26 & 28

JULY 26 & 28 WEIGHT REDUCTION Frovidence Heapital will hold three Wellness Seminars for weight reduction: 3-5 pm. and 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, July 26 at the Providence Medical Cen-ter Livonia: Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh); and 1-g.m. Saturday, July 28 at Novi Park: Providence Medical Cen-ter, 47601 Grand River Avenue (Beck Road entrance). First 45 minutes of each session is free; afterwards, participants pay a one-time fee of \$59. Call (877) 345-5500.

JUNE 26-AUG. 7

JUNE 26-AUG. 7 CHLDBIRTH EDUCATION St. Mary Mercy Hospital will offer "Childbirth Education," a series of six classes 7-9 m. Tuesdays in West Addition A. The series also is offered Wedneadays, Aug. 1-Sept. 6; Mondays, Aug. 6-Sept. 17; and Mondays, Sug. 6-Sept. 17; and Mondays, Sug. 6-Sept. 17; and Mondays, Sept. 24-Oct. 29. Cost the Lamazo method for labor and deliver. A one-day accelerat-ed workshop is scheduled 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 in West Additions A and B. The cost in \$75. Pre-register by call-ing (T34) 655-1100.

TUES, JULY 24 THYROID CANCER The Thyroid Cancer Survivors Association-SE Michigan sup-port group meeta 7-8:30 p.m. the Gold Room of the Plymouth Pub-lic Library, 223 Main Street, Plymouth, Survivors, family and interested health-aro profes-sionals invited. Call (734) 397-2801. THYROID CANCER

WED, JULY 25

IMMUNIZATIONS An immunization clinic for chil-IMMUNICATIONS An immunication clinic for chil-dren age 13 and younger will take place 830-11 am. at the Providence Medical Building, 22260 Providence Drive, Suite 500, Southfield. No appointment necessary. Cost is \$5 per child. Call (877) 345-5500.

JULY 25 & 28 STOP SMOKING

stop SMOKINO Providence Hospital and Medical Centers will offer two "Smoking Cesastion" dinies: 6:30 p.m. Wedneaday, July 25, Livonia Mission Henth Medical Center, 37695 Seven Mile Road (at New-burgh), Livonia; 10 a.m. Satur-day, July 28, Novi Park, 47601 W. Nine Mile Road, Novi S59 fee. Call (877) 345-6500.

SUN. JULY 29

SUN, JULY 29 CHEMICAL SENSITIVIT M.C.S. Friende, a non-profit, educational support group for the chemically injured, their families and friends, will meet 2-5 p.m. at the Good Food Compa-ny, 42016 Ford Road, Canton (1/2 mile West of 1-275 at Lilly). The guest speaker will be Mr. Patrick Lyons, a licensed builder and inspector for "safe housing." Please come unscented. Call (248) 349-4972.

WED, AUG. 1

PRENATAL FITNESS "Pronatal Fitness", a new six week series of classes will run from Aug. 1 through Sept. 5. Classes meet weekly from 6 p.m.

to 7 p.m. in the hospital's West Addition. Exercise ensures a positive out-look about pregnancy and delix-ery, increases strength and stamina needed for childbirth, and makes postpartum recovery faster and usaier. There is a fee for the course. To pre-register call: (734) 655-1100

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call: (734) 655-1100 MENOPAUSE The Menopause Support Group will meet 7-9 p.m. at 51. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia, Weat Addition B. Join other women and share concerns, feelings and experiences about menopause, as well as other mid-life and health issues. Free, Call (734) 655-1100 or (800) 494-1615.

WED, AUG. 8

WED, AUG. 8 DIABETIC HEART CARE The Diabetes Support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livo-nia, will hast a discussion, Take It To Heart, 7-8:30 p.m. in the hospital's auditorium. Ginger Ramsey, MSN, RN, will discuss what diabetis need to know about preventing cardiovascular complications. Call (734) 665-8940.

WED, AUG. 8

WED, AUG. 8 BMW FUNDRAISER Drive a BMW and raise money for cancer research. The Auto-Strasse dealership on Auto Mall Drive off Jackson Road in Ann Arbor will present "The Ultimate Drive" 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. For every mile test-driven, BMW will donate \$1 to the Susan G. Koman Breast Cancer Founda-tion, which supports local cancer research at the U-M Comprehen-sive Cancer Center. Call toll-free 1-877-4-A.DRIVE.

TUES, AUG. 14

POSTPARTUM SUPPORT The Mother-Baby Postpartum Support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, will meet 10-11 a.m. in Week Addi-tion B. A certified lactation spe-cialist will discuss the post-par-tum period of adjustment. Call the Marian Women's Center at (734) 655-1100.

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