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Harlem Hospital Center-Generations+/Northern Manhattan Network  
August 17, 2012-----

## GREATER HARLEM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE'S ANNUAL NYC ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DAY



On Thursday August 9, 2012, Harlem Hospital Center participated in the Greater Harlem Chamber of Commerce's Annual New York City Economic Development Day. Our very own Chief of Cardiology, Dr. Damian Kurian, served as moderator for this International Health Conference, so this year's theme was "Our Heart" and the forum focused on "national and international advances in the prevention and remediation of heart disease". In addition, a Health Care Reform panel of experts discussed the "Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act" known as ObamaCare".



The Community Outreach Department administered Glucose, Blood Pressure and Cholesterol Screenings.



Ms. Kencle Satchell-McKoy and Ms. Mary Short (above) informed participants of the exciting status of our New Patient Pavilion and the excellent services Harlem Hospital Center has to offer.

**FRIENDS OF HARLEM  
3RD ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC**



The Friends of Harlem Hospital hosted their Third Annual Golf Classic and Auction, honoring A.K.S. International Inc., ARC, Donaldson & Chilliest, LLP, Harlem Hospital Center's Matthews Kurt Hurley, M.D., and Hon. Keith L.T. Wright.

The event was held August 6, 2012 at the exclusive Paramount Country Club in New City, New York as a fundraising initiative to benefit Harlem Hospital's Capital Campaign Modernization Project. Because of these initiatives and the hard work of the Friends, over the past 3 years, they have donated over \$300,000 to various programs and departments of Harlem Hospital Center.

The Golf Classic was Co-chaired by Mr. Corwin J. Breeden, Mrs. Elaine Edmonds and Mr. Michael J. Garner, M.B.A.. With over 300 guests, attendees included NYS Assemblyman, Aubry L. Jeffrion, Byron Kirkland, Jaye Ballard, Mack Whittaker, Esq. and Friends of Harlem Hospital Center Board Member Brett Wright, Co-CEO of VIBE and UPTOWN Magazines. Also attending were Dr. Lisa Ross, Director of Anesthesiology, Dr. Vincent Hutchinson, Chief, Pediatrics (now retired) Dr. Edgar O. Mandeville, Chief OB/GYN, Dr. R. Linsy Farris, Chief Ophthalmology, and Dr. Joan Culpepper-

Morgan, President of the Medical Board. Representing our Executive Director ,Ms. Denise C. Soares, was Ms. Kencle Satchell-McKoy. Representing the Harlem Hospital Auxiliary was President, Mrs. Dorothy L. Morehead. Representing TD Bank was Vice President Mr. Michael Lembo, TDX President Mr. James H. Jones, P.E. and Mr. Tom Tilleli.

Major Sponsors of the Golf Classic included BNY Mellon, TDX Incorporated, TD Bank, A.K.S. International, Emblem Health, HOK, The City College of New York City, Howell Industries, McKissack & McKissack, ARC, Healthfirst and Lockdown Patrol Inc. and L.D.S. Security.



Top ~ Mr. John Daniels, Asst. Dir. Environmental Services and Mr. Jeff Gontarek, Regional Manager at Crothall Healthcare. Bottom ~ Dr. Edgar Mandeville and Dr. Lisa Ross



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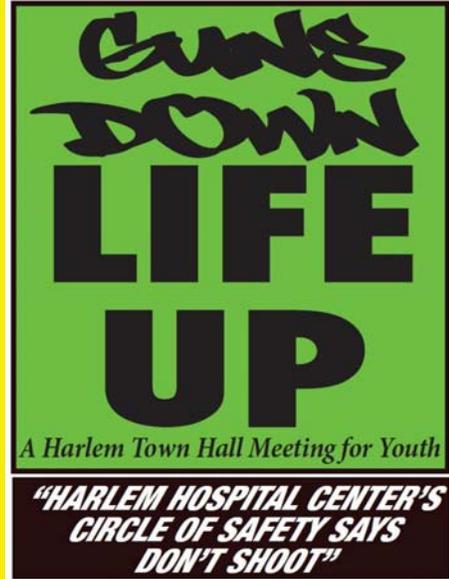


Michael Garner, MTA Diversity Officer, Honorable Keith Wright, Jimmy Jones, President of TDX, Michael Lembo, Vice President TD Bank, Corwin Breeden, Friends of Harlem President.



Honorees: Dr. Matthews Kurt Hurley, Honorable Keith Wright and Xavier Donaldson, Esq.

**IMPORTANT DATE TO REMEMBER:  
Harlem Village takes place on  
Sunday, August 19, 2012**



The Circle of Safety Says "Don't Shoot". Join us at the Harlem Youth Town Hall Meeting. We want to hear from you, your Thoughts, Concerns and Ideas.

Minisink Townhouse at (212-368-8400)  
646 Lenox Avenue @ 142nd Street  
August 24 from 2:00pm - 4:00pm.  
Every participant receives a back to school gift card.



Mr. Erik Cliette, Director of the Injury Prevention Program, who will serve as moderator at our Town Hall meeting has taken the fight against gun violence personally. His dedication to the program has received acknowledgments from Mr. Alan Aviles, President of Health and Hospitals Corporation and others. "Thank you for the inspired and passionate leadership of this initiative at Harlem Hospital."

## CELEBRATE BREASTFEEDING



**Back left:** Tara Howell (Dietitian 1), Liza Rivera (Breast-feeding Peer Counselor), Patricia Okonji (Breast feeding Coordinator), Harriott Myers (Associate Director) **Front left:** Valerie Johnson (Community Associate), Hadiata Koita (Breast-feeding Peer Counselor), Kimberly-Ann Wisdom (Bookkeeper)



On Friday August 3, 2012, the WIC program held a Breastfeeding Celebration in the MLK Pavilion's Medical Board Room. A combination of 70 expecting mothers and fully breast feeding mothers celebrated National Breastfeeding Week together. Breast feeding demonstrations were made and mothers who have fully breastfed for over 6 months were presented with very nice certificates. The celebration also included food, raffles, games and prizes.



**First Row Bottom:** Rorisa Jackson, Victoria & Baby Somnia Ray Draper, Fatoumata Sidibe, Dorothy Grant & Baby Chloe Charleston; **Second Row:** Marcia Pierre, Tendai Chinhenzva, Andrea Albert, Sophie Sow, Nina (Doula), Sara Zaudi, Elizabeth Jean-Paul and Baby Ethan, Patricia Rangel, Nilka Brown, Bilka Diaz, Cynthia Scott, Rolande Fanorde

## WORLD BREASTFEEDING WEEK

On August 7, 2012 breastfeeding mothers and their families came together in recognition of World Breastfeeding Week and National Breastfeeding Month. World Breastfeeding Week is celebrated in over 120 countries worldwide and is supported by UNICEF and the World Health Organization. National Breastfeeding Month has been celebrated in the U.S. for the past two years.

Participants latched their babies while enjoying refreshments and live music. Prizes were raffled off and winners of the Mom's Milk Photo Contest were announced. Atiba Kwabena, poet, storyteller, historian and musician performed with his Trio, imparting the soothing sounds of flute, mbira, bass and percussion. It was a wonderful celebration of mothers who are nourishing their babies in the healthiest way, by breastfeeding.