



HAPPY OCTOBER

It's finally Fall and To Your Health! has new and exciting events going on! See below for more details or visit the <u>Wellness Portal</u> to stay up to date with all events and programming.

WHAT'S NEW

Health Fair at the Einstein Campus



The Health Fair is back again at the Einstein Campus! All associates are invited to attend the Health Fair to be screened for different health conditions (i.e. Hypertension, Diabetes etc.), learn more about different wellness benefits/resources for associates and get FREE gifts and prizes. Join us for a day of wellness and fun!

Learn More Here

October Nutrition Workshop



Topic: Batch Cooking: Get Going with Meal Prep

Preparing your meals ahead of time helps you stay on track with healthy eating and takes the guess work out of choosing your next meal. Stop by to learn about how to prepare most of your meals and snacks for the week, as well as the benefits of batch cooking and meal prep.

Moses Campus 3514 DeKalb Ave., Large Conference Room	Tuesday, October 18 12:00pm & 1:00pm
Yonkers Campus 3 Executive Blvd., 2 nd Floor, Care Guidance Suite, Conference Room	Wednesday, October 19 12:00pm & 1:00pm

Workshops are open to all Associates. Attending this Nutrition Workshop earns you <u>THREE</u> raffle entries in the Health Habits Raffle Campaign!

Register for the Nutrition Workshop

Wellness Wednesdays: An Apple a Day keeps the Doctor Away!

National Food Day inspires all Americans to focus on eating foods that are healthy and beneficial for our bodies. Every October 24, events all around the country come together to celebrate and enjoy real food.

Stop by our Wellness Wednesday table to join the To Your Health! team in celebrating National Food Day for the **entire** month of October! Grab a healthy treat when you stop by.

Wellness Wednesdays also provides associates the opportunity to:

- Ask questions about all of the To Your Health! programs and services
- Meet the To Your Health! Associate Wellness team
- Voice your opinion on how To Your Health! can better assist Montefiore associates (we want to know!)





Location	Dates	Time
Moses Cafeteria	Wednesday October 4, 2016	12:00pm - 2:00pm
Yonkers Campus Conference Room (1st Hr) 3 Executive Blvd. Lobby (2 nd Hr)	Wednesday October 12, 2016	12:00pm - 2:00pm
Wakefield Cafeteria (w/1199)	Wednesday October 19, 2016	12:00pm - 2:00pm
Einstein Cafeteria	Wednesday October 26, 2016	12:00pm - 2:00pm

Wellness Challenges

Check back this winter for a new seasonal challenge focusing on the mind, body and spirit!

Remember to log your water, fruit and vegetable intake on the portal to keep track of your healthy eating.

Click Here to log your water, fruit and/or vegetable intake

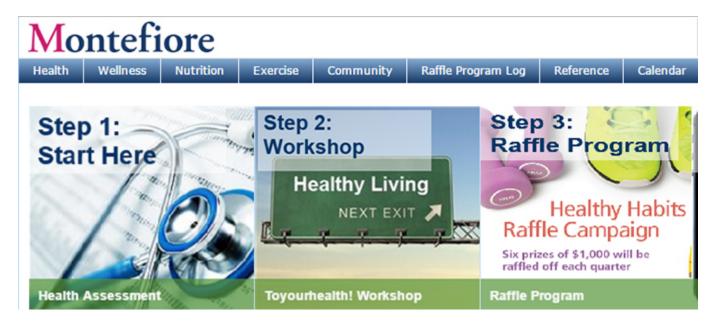
Attention Tarrytown Associates!



Starting mid-October, the Tarrytown Gym will be open to all Tarrytown associates. The new gym includes up-to-date equipment, towel service, and houses showers and a locker room. The membership fee is \$10.00 per month and will be collected via payroll deduction. (Membership fees include weekly fitness classes). The fitness center is located between Bldg B and Bldg D. The interior entrance is accessible through tunnel and exterior entrance is located on the southeast corner of Bldg B North Lot. Look out for more information about the Tarrytown gym opening.

TO YOUR HEALTH! SERVICES

Did you earn your \$25 Gift Card on the Wellness Portal?



All Associates can earn a \$25/point gift card for completing the online annual health assessment (\$15/15 points) and a portal program (\$10/10 points) on the Montefiore Wellness Portal – even if you completed it last year. This year, the portal program is a short workshop that provides a snapshot of our wellness offerings! (You must complete <u>both</u> items to receive a gift card.)

View our Wellness Portal to complete your health assessment/workshop and explore!

Supportive Wellness Services

Supportive Wellness services are now available to all associates. Associates can meet one-on-one with Dr. Brenda Boatswain, Licensed Psychologist for:

- Stress assessment and management
- Wellness coaching and education for units and departments
- Personalized wellness information and referral services

Set up an appointment with Dr. Boatswain on the Wellness Portal



Become a Wellness Champion!

Sign up to become a Wellness Champion Be an Activist for Your Health

- 1. Are you passionate about personal health and wellness?
- 2. Are you enthusiastic and inspirational?
- 3. Can you engage other members of your department or unit in activities or events?

Becoming a Wellness Champion may be perfect for you!

A Wellness Champion serves as a resource to their colleagues for all To Your Health! programs and events but also as a health activist engaging and encouraging other associates to work towards wellness!

Click Here to Sign up to be a Wellness Champion

Upcoming Financial Wellness Opportunities

Learn more about retirement planning and investing in a workshop or 1:1.

1199 Members Click Here All Other Associates Click Here



More To Your Health! Resources

Fitness Opportunities	Nutrition	Supportive/Emotional Well-Being	Wellness Programs	
5Ryhthms	FREE Nutrition Counseling	Healing Arts	<u>Care Guidance</u> <u>Program</u>	1199SEIU Montefiore Coordinated Care Program
Gym Discounts	Wellness Portal	Supportive Wellness Services	Employee Assistance Program	
Montefiore Mile	Weight Watchers	Montefiore Relaxation Hotline: Call 718.920.CALM	Members Assistance Program (1199SEIU members)	

Learn more about these programs on our To Your Health! website

TIPS AND NEWS



October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Every minute 20 people are victims of intimate partner violence.

Click Here for resources available to Montefiore associates



Healthy Pick of the Month: Autumn Spiced Apple Chips

This month's healthy pick of the month is Autumn Spiced Apple Chips. Fall provides an abundance of local apples, which is the perfect healthy snack alternative. Go plain and simple with just cinnamon or kick the flavor up a notch by adding spices.

Click Here for the Healthy Pick of the Month recipe and directions

October Events

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