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Orange Housing Authority Hosts Health Fair for Seniors

ORANGE, NJ – August 13, 2015 – Many local health providers were on hand August 12, when the Orange Housing Authority (OHA) hosted a senior health fair for residents at Washington Manor.

“It’s very important that we bring programs like this to our seniors,” said OHA Executive Director Dr. Walter D. McNeil, Jr. “OHA is appreciative of the exhibitors, who recognize the health and well being of our residents is a top priority. Sometimes our seniors do not have access to certain health services. Bringing these services directly to Washington Manor is important, and we appreciate all who have made this possible.”

Exhibitors represented a range of health-related services for seniors. Julie Sickler, a Community Outreach Director of Davis Integrated Medicine in Montclair, said she is pleased to have the opportunity to partner with the OHA and provide health and wellness education directly to residents.

Other exhibitors included the City of Orange Health Department, Centre at Park Avenue, E&M Pharmacy, South Orange Chiropractic Center, Confident Care Corporation, Lincoln Heritage Funeral Advantage, and Oranges ACA Navigator Project.

More than 50 seniors attended the health fair throughout the day. Blood pressure checks and massages were among the services offered at no charge.

“Programs like this are very helpful to us. You get to learn a lot of important health tips,” said senior Betty McLeod, who is also a commissioner for the OHA. “I especially liked that massage. That was wonderful.” Sponsor

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