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JOB-SEEKERS, PROFESSIONALS, STUDENTS INVITED TO FEBRUARY 26 'HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES MEET-UP'

ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO – The Health & Human Services sector is one of the fastest growing fields in the region and across the state. Employers and trainers are eager to find workers for the numerous job opportunities available.

To assist them, St. Charles County's Workforce & Business Development Department is holding a Health & Human Services Meet-Up scheduled for 5:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 26, at the Spencer Road Library in St. Peters. Job-seekers, professionals and students alike who are interested in healthcare careers and connections are invited to attend this "un-job fair." The fair includes networking, refreshments and prizes. Registration is required and spots are still available.



"This is our second meet-up in recent months as we continue to explore using a new dynamic format rather than the old, standard job fair approach," says Scott J. Drachnik, Director of the St. Charles County Department of Workforce & Business Development. "We look forward to a great crowd eager to connect with one another as they find out about career opportunities and training avenues."

Among the employers and trainers participating in the meet-up are BJC HealthCare, Mercy, SSM Health, the Missouri Department of Mental Health, Ranken Jordan Pediatric Bridge Hospital, The Rehabilitation Institute of St. Louis, ABA Consulting Services, LLC, Community Living, Inc., Delmar Gardens, Lutheran Senior Services, Perez Family Chiropractic, Willows Way, Lindenwood University, St. Charles Community College and Respond Right EMS Academy.

For more information and to register, contact Lori Myers at 636-255-6060, ext. 5260, or email LMyers@sccmo.org.

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About St. Charles County

Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state's third largest county in both population and economic share. St. Charles County consistently ranks one of the healthiest places to live in Missouri in the County Health Rankings report published by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. It is home to 12 scenic county parks encompassing more than 2,800 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.

With a population of 385,840, St Charles County is home to large employers including General Motors, Citi, MasterCard Worldwide and Boeing. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.

St. Charles County Government employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop. For more information, please visit www.sccmo.org.