



HEALTH RESOURCES

INFORMATION & REFERRALS

The following national organizations have chapters near the North River area.

DIABETES ASSOCIATION 800.342.2383

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY OF HAMILTON COUNTY seeks to enhance public awareness of the disease and the advantages of early detection and treatment. 423.267.8613 or 800.277.2345

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION focuses on nutrition, high blood pressure, smoking cessation, and exercise to reduce heart disease and stroke. 423.668.4900

DIABETES

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL DIABETES AND NUTRITION CENTER offers a comprehensive team approach to treating Type 1, Type 2 or gestational diabetes and offers nutrition counseling for weight control, heart disease and other medical conditions. The team works with your primary care physician to develop a treatment plan that works for you. 423.495.7970

ERLANGER HEALTHLINK PLUS

423.778.2461—Northgate Mall

423.778.2461—Erlanger Hospital

423.778.9400—Chattanooga Lifestyle Center

CANCER

MEMORIAL CANCER RESOURCE CENTER provides the latest diagnostic, early intervention, and prevention services, as well as support for the whole person—mind, body and spirit. This comprehensive program is designed to meet the needs of the patient and family throughout the continuum of cancer care.

423.495.7077—Memorial North Park Hospital

423.495.7778—Memorial Hospital

ERLANGER HOSPITAL SERVICES CANCER CENTER prepares the patient and their loved ones to cope with the disease and treatment. A number of special programs and services are offered.

423.778.3483—Northgate Mall HealthLink Plus

423.778.5465—Erlanger Physician Referral-HealthLink

SARAH CANNON CANCER CENTER provides information on breast cancer, chemotherapy, exercise for cancer patients, lymphedema, pain management and radiation therapy.

423.493.1690—Parkridge Medical Center

HEART DISEASE/STROKE

MEMORIAL CARDIAC SERVICES As the leading provider of heart care in the region, the Regional Heart Center at Memorial Hospital offers prevention and early detection programs, support groups for patients and their families, and a nationally recognized surgery program that performs more open heart surgeries than any other hospital in the Chattanooga area.

423.495.7422—Memorial North Park Cardiac Rehab

423.495.7764—Memorial Hospital Cardiac Rehab

ERLANGER HEART & VASCULAR CENTER addresses the needs of adults and children. The Center offers free vascular screenings checking for symptoms of stroke, heart disease, peripheral vascular disease or other heart or vascular-related disease.

423.778.5465—Erlanger Physician Referral-HealthLink

HEALTHLINK PLUS offers a full program of screenings, lectures and other events to educate the community about the prevention, detection and treatment of heart and vascular diseases.

423.778.3483

PARKRIDGE CARDIAC SERVICES is a comprehensive cardiac rehabilitation service providing education and reducing symptoms; improving patient capacity for physical exercise; and reducing risk factors helping prevent future cardiac problems.

423.493.6714 or 423.698.6061

TELEPHONE LINK

DIAL—2.1.1—“UNITED WAY’S “FIRST CALL FOR HELP” telephone link to community services in the Greater Chattanooga Area.

Additional phone numbers for information are 800.635.0444 and 423.265.8000.

WEBSITES FOR INFORMATION

www.diabetes.org

www.cancer.org

www.americanheart.org

www.erlanger.org

www.memorial.org

www.parkridgemedicalcenter.com

www.tristarhealth.com

www.uwchatt.org

www.hcstepone.org



THE MISSION OF THE NORTH RIVER COMMUNITY COALITION is to provide resources for communities of North Chattanooga, Signal Mountain, Red Bank, Hixson, Sale Creek, and Soddy Daisy to obtain information on the three most prevalent conditions for North River residents—diabetes, cancer, and heart disease/stroke.