



Mended Hearts

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for heart patients and their families  
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Dear Chapter Presidents and Members,

The Central Region is planning and preparing a Cluster Meeting for you! We've held many such events in the past. Most of our members are unable to attend the Annual Mended Hearts Conference. This meeting is as close as you can get to attend a National Conference without actually going. We have an exciting program planned and hope you and members of your chapter will join us.

The meeting will take place in Noblesville, IN, on Saturday October 7, 2017, starting at 8:00 am. It will be held at Riverview Health, 395 Westfield Rd, Entrance 13, Classrooms A & B, Noblesville, IN 46060.

If you want to come in on Friday and stay overnight, rooms are available at the Baymont Inn & Suites, 16025 Prosperity Drive, Noblesville, IN, (317) 770-6772, under the name of Riverview Mason. They offer breakfast. Rates are \$79.00, plus tax, single or double occupancy. Please reserve your room by September 9<sup>th</sup>.

Attached is an agenda that outlines the all day program. Speakers have been arranged for us that are certain to peak your interest and give you lots of great information to take home to your chapter to share. Included are doctors, patients to tell their stories, and others.

A person from Mended Hearts, Inc., will be in attendance, along with our Regional Director, Bruce Norris, to update us about important activities affecting our chapters.

Please RSVP by e-mailing Linda Mason at [lindakm1951@yahoo.com](mailto:lindakm1951@yahoo.com) by September 9<sup>th</sup>. Let us know if you have any questions. We're looking forward to having a good turnout, along with the opportunity to see many people that we do not often have a chance to spend time with and meeting new people. We all have heart disease or are caring for someone who does. Let's get together to support and learn from each other.

Sincerely,

Linda Mason and Shirley Kell  
Assistant Regional Directors  
Central Region



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## AGENDA

8:00 am – SOCIAL TIME (Coffee, Juice and Water will be available)

8:30 am – Bruce Norris, Regional Director – Welcome

8:55 am - Drawing

9:00 am – John Paris, MD – History of Technology in Heart Disease

9: 40 am – Break

9:55 am - Drawing

10:00 am – Mitch Russell, Chief Security Officer Riverview Health – What to do  
in case of an active shooter

10:55 am – Drawing

11:00 am – Professor Stephen Nelson – Information Techology

11:40 am – Break

11:55 am – Drawing

12:00 pm – Lunch

12:30 pm – Peter Pang, MD – Heart Failure

1:25 pm – Break

1:40 pm – Drawing

1:45 pm – Joe Robbins – LVAD Patient

2:15 pm - Drawing

2:20 pm – Shirley Kell/Linda Mason - Stress

2:55 pm - Drawing

3:00 pm – Break – (Popcorn, Water, Sodas)

3:15 pm – Andrea Baer - Patient Advocacy

4:10 pm – Final Drawing

4:15 pm – Bruce Norris, Regional Director – Thank you and Dismissal