

World COPD Day

Wednesday, Nov. 20, 2013

On Wednesday, Nov. 20, 2013, Women's College Hospital will celebrate World COPD day by offering **free spirometry testing** and educational sessions for the public. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) is a lung disease that blocks airflow, making it difficult to breathe. Spirometry testing, a simple test used to help diagnose asthma and other lung conditions, takes only a few minutes but can make a big difference in long-term health and well-being.

Join us to get your spirometry test or to hear more about COPD!

Schedule of Events

TOPIC	TIME	LOCATION
Walk-in spirometry	9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.	Women's College Hospital Pulmonary Function Lab Fourth floor, Room 4331
Reducing the Burden of COPD: Screening with spirometry. Dr. Reza Maleki	8 a.m. to 9 a.m.	77 Grenville Street Second floor, Conference Room 202
Hands on workshops for allied health staff and physicians. Contact Karen.Forai@wchospital.ca to schedule as space is limited. Lunch will be provided.	11 a.m. 12 p.m. 1 p.m.	Women's College Hospital Fourth floor, Room 4327

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