



Please join us at a **FREE**
Weight Loss Surgery Orientation Session or Support Group

1. New Patient Orientation

The new patient orientation session meets on the dates and times listed below. This session is mandatory and gives an overview of the requirements of the weight loss surgery program as well as the process.

MUST ATTEND ORIENTATION PRIOR TO ATTENDING A NEW PATIENT SUPPORT GROUP.

Thursday, June 12, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Thursday, April 9, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Monday, June 23, 2008	6pm – 8:30pm	Monday, April 27, 2009	6pm – 8:30p
Thursday, July 10, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Thursday, May 14, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Thursday, August 14, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Monday, May 25, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Monday, August 25, 2008	6pm – 8:30pm	Thursday, June 11, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Thursday, September 11, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Monday, June 22, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Monday, September 22, 2008	6pm – 8:30pm	Thursday, July 9, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Thursday, October 9, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Monday, July 27, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Monday, October 27, 2008	6pm – 8:30pm	Thursday, August 13, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Thursday, November 13, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Monday, August 24, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Monday, November 24, 2008	6pm – 8:30pm	Thursday, September 10, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Thursday, December 11, 2008	3pm – 5:30pm	Monday, September 28, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Thursday, January 8, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm	Thursday, October 8, 2009	3pm – 8:30pm
Monday, January 26, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm	Monday, October 26, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Thursday, February 12, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm	Thursday, November 12, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Monday, February 23, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm	Monday, November 23, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm
Thursday, March 12, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm	Thursday, December 10, 2009	3pm – 5:30pm
Monday, March 23, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm	Monday, December 28, 2009	6pm – 8:30pm

2. New Patient Support Group

This monthly support group meets on the dates listed below and is designed for people interested in weight loss surgery. Post-op patients provide valuable information relevant to pre-surgical and post-surgical issues. This support group provides an opportunity for you to talk to others who have had weight loss surgery. Spouses, and friends who are part of your personal support system are welcome to attend.

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Thursday, February 12, 2009	6:30pm – 8:30pm		
Thursday, March 12, 2009	6:30pm – 8:30pm		

ALL sessions meet in the following location:

Tampa General Hospital, Rehabilitation Center, Activity Room, 2nd Floor, Rehabilitation Center

All sessions are **FREE** and registration is **NOT** required. Parking is available in the Tampa General Hospital parking garage. Attendees are responsible for parking fees.

Some materials discussed in these meetings are not appropriate for children. We ask that they not attend these meetings. If you have questions about these meetings, please call (813) 844-4576.