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TAXI AND LIMOUSINE COMMISSION CELEBRATES "COVER THE UNINSURED WEEK"

March 10-16, 2003

The New York City Taxi and Limousine Commission (TLC) is pleased to announce its participation in "Cover the Uninsured Week," a weeklong series of national and local events that will take place from Monday, March 10, through Sunday, March 16, 2003. These events are designed to heighten public awareness of the issue of healthcare availability, and provide access to available healthcare programs for uninsured individuals and families through public partnerships with healthcare providers.

THE TLC HAS ORGANIZED THE FOLLOWING "COVER THE UNINSURED WEEK" ACTIVITIES IN NEW YORK CITY:

Tuesday, March 11, 2003 - Health Fair and Free Screenings:

Throughout the day, the TLC and three healthcare providers, MetroPlus, CarePlus and Neighborhood, will host a Health Fair at the TLC Licensing Facility located at 32-02 Queens Boulevard, Long Island City, NY 11101. Free screenings for Blood Pressure, Asthma and Glucose will be available from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, March 11, 2003 - Free Health Screenings at Taxi Schools:

Healthcare providers will be offering free screenings from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the TLCdesignated taxi driver training schools, HANAC Taxi Academy, 29-28 41st Avenue, Suite 313, Long Island City, NY 11101 and Master Cabbie Taxi Academy, 24-05 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, NY 11101.

Wednesday, March 12, 2003 - Healthcare Enrollment Fairs

The TLC will partner with the New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation in sponsoring events at healthcare facilities in all five boroughs at the following locations: (See Chart, below)

Location	Event	Borough	Participants
Stapleton Child Health Clinic 111 Canal Street	Health Enrollment Fair	Staten Island	Staten Island University Hospital/St. Vincent's Medical Center of Richmond NYC TLC
Mariners Harbor Houses Child Health Clinic 42 Brabant Street	Health Enrollment Fair	Staten Island	Staten Island University Hospital/St. Vincent's Medical Center Richmond NYC TLC
New Building Atrium 82-68 164th Street Jamaica	Health Enrollment Fair	Queens	MetroPlus Health Plan QHC Ambulatory Care NYC TLC
1901 First Avenue – Lobby, 1st and 2nd Floor	Health Enrollment Fair	Manhattan	MetroPlus Health Plan Finance Enrollers TLC Tentative: McDonalds, Hot 97 Radio Station, Subway, Taco Bell
Ronald Brown Ambulatory Care 506 Lenox Avenue - Lobby	Health Enrollment Fair	Manhattan	MetroPlus Health Plan Community Premier Plus NYC Housing Authority NYC TLC
Bellevue Hospital Center 462 First Avenue – Ground Floor Main Corridor (F Link)	Health Enrollment Fair	Manhattan	MetroPlus Health Plan NYC TLC Tentative: Asian Americans for Equality Housing NYC Fire Department
1400 Pelham Parkway South Building #5 – Outpatient Pavilion	Health Enrollment Fair	Bronx	MetroPlus Health Plan NYC TLC
3424 Kossuth Avenue – Lobby	Health Enrollment Fair	Bronx	MetroPlus Health Plan NYC TLC

For information about other "Cover the Uninsured Week" events, please visit www.covertheuninsuredweek.org.