

Press Release

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For Immediate Release

Adk. Regional Blood Center Plans Several Community Drives

CVPH program supplies blood, blood products to hospitals across our region

PLATTSBURGH, **NY** (11/29/2022) –The Adirondack Regional Blood Center, a program of the University of Vermont Health Network – Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital (CVPH), is conducting several blood drives open to the community this month and asks all eligible donors to consider donating.

The following is the community blood drive schedule for December:

- Thursday, December 1, Beekmantown Fire Department Station #1, 4 to 7 p.m.
- Monday, December 5, Willsboro Fire Department, 3 to 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 6, Chateaugay American Legion, 4 to 7 p.m.

- Wednesday, December 7, Bloomingdale Fire Department, co-sponsor Fire Department, 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- Thursday, December 8, Mooers Fire Department, 3:30 to 7 p.m.
- Friday, December 9, Clinton County Government Center, First Floor meeting room, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 13, St. Edmunds Church Hall, Ellenburg, 4 to 7 p.m.
- Thursday, December 15, Cumberland 12 Cinemas, 4 to 8 p.m.
- Friday, December 16, Burke Adult Center, 9 to 11 a.m.
- Monday, December 19, Adirondack Medical Center Redfield Room, Noon to 4 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 20, New York State Department of Conservation headquarters, Ray Brook, 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- Friday, December 23, CVPH Auditoriums. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Tuesday, December 27, Morrisonville Ambulance Service, 4 to 7 p.m.
- Thursday, December 29, Franklin County Sheriff's Department, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Friday, December 30, Clinton County Advocacy and Resource Center, New York Road, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Safety measures such as screening donors for COVID-19 and masking remain in place at all community drives and at the Center located at 85 Plaza Blvd. The Adirondack Regional Donor Center is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Walk-ins are welcome.

Blood collected by the Adirondack Regional Blood Center stays in the North Country, helping hundreds of people in this region. Its success rests on the generosity of donors and sponsors.

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A donor card or another form of identification is required to give. Learn more about the Adirondack Regional Blood Center, giving blood and becoming a sponsor at UVMHealth.org/GiveBlood or call (518) 562-7406.

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About Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital

The University of Vermont Health Network - Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital (CVPH) is a private, not-for profit hospital in Plattsburgh, NY. Established in 1967 with the merger of Champlain Valley and Physicians Hospitals, CVPH joined Fletcher Allen Partners in 2012, which in 2014 became The University of Vermont Health Network. Together with its partner hospitals, the UVM Medical Group and a home health agency, CVPH provides high quality, cost effective care, close to home. Services include an award winning cardiac services program, accredited cancer center, freestanding ambulatory surgery center, comprehensive rehabilitation services and a 24 hour physician-staffed Emergency Department. Governed by a 15-member Board of Directors, CVPH is accredited by the Joint Commission and licensed by New York State and Medicare/Medicaid Approved. Learn more at UVMHealth.org/CVPH or follow us on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn and YouTube.









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- The University of Vermont Medical Center
- The University of Vermont Health Network Medical Group
- The University of Vermont Health Network Alice Hyde Medical Center
- The University of Vermont Health Network Central Vermont Medical Center
- The University of Vermont Health Network Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital
- The University of Vermont Health Network Elizabethtown Community Hospital
- The University of Vermont Health Network Porter Medical Center
- The University of Vermont Health Network Home Health & Hospice

Our 4,000 health care professionals are driven to provide high-quality, cost-efficient care as close to home as possible. Strengthened by our academic connection to the University of Vermont, each of our affiliates remains committed to its local community by providing compassionate, personal care shaped by the latest medical advances and delivered by highly skilled experts.