## **Prevention Awareness Communications**

Part of CMS' preventive services information program for providers includes monthly prevention awareness messages that correspond with the National Monthly Health Observances. Select the links below to view archived messages.

#### 2009

January is National Glaucoma Awareness Month [PDF 39KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/2009\_Jan\_Nat\_Glaucoma\_Awareness\_Month.pdf

### 2008

<u>December 8 – 14, 2008 is National Influenza Vaccination Week [PDF, 27KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/NIVW08.pdf

<u>November is American Diabetes Month [PDF, 36KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/Am\_Diabetes\_Mth\_08.pdf

September is National Adult Immunization Awareness Week [PDF, 16KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/NAIAW\_08.pdf

August is National Immunization Awareness Month (NAIM) [PDF 27KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/NIAMFinal08.pdf

<u>May is National Osteoporosis Awareness and Prevention Month [PDF 30KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/OsteoPreveMay08.pdf

<u>March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month [PDF, 34KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/Colorectal\_11Mar08Final.pdf

<u>March is National Nutrition Month [PDF, 36KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/NNM\_19Feb08Final.pdf

<u>February is American Heart Month [PDF 41KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/HeartMth08Final.pdf

<u>January is National Glaucoma Awareness Month [PDF 39KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/jan\_glaucoma2008.pdf

#### 2007

January is National Glaucoma Awareness Month [PDF 33KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/jan\_glaucoma.pdf

<u>February is American Heart Month [PDF, 35KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/heartmth07.pdf <u>March is National Nutrition Month [PDF 27KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/MNT\_Revised.pdf

<u>Medicare Now Provides Coverage for Ultrasound Screening for Abdominal Aortic</u> <u>Aneurysms - March [PDF 36KB]</u>

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/AAAFinal5Mar07.pdf

March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month [PDF, 34KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/colorectal\_wk1.pdf • 2nd Message – Are you and your staff ready? [PDF, 19KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/colorectal\_wk2.pdf

• 3rd Message – Interested in seeing how well your county or state has done in

providing colorectal cancer screenings to people with Medicare? [PDF, 28KB]

- http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/colorectal\_wk3.pdf
- 4th Message Don't forget to follow-up! [PDF, 28KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/colorectal\_wk4.pdf

May is Healthy Vision Month [PDF 32KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/HealthyVision.pdf May is National Osteoporosis Awareness and Prevention Month [PDF 28KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/OsteoPreveMay07.pdf May 13 – 19, 2007 is National Women's Health Week [PDF 81KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/WomensHealthmess07.pdf June 11-17 is National Men's Health Week http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/Downloads/MensHealthJune07.pdf August is National Immunization Awareness Month http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/immawarenessmessage.pdf September is National Cholesterol Education Month http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/Chol\_Ed\_Mth\_Final29Aug07.pdf September 23 – 29, 2007 is National Adult Immunization Awareness Week http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/naiaw.pdf October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month [PDF 33KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/NBCAM26Sept07.pdf

<u>November is American Diabetes Month [PDF 37KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/NovDiabetesMNTH.pdf

<u>November 26 – December 2, 2007 is National Influenza Vaccination Week [PDF 17KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/Flu\_Vaccination\_Week\_2007\_Final.pdf

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2006

<u>February is National Heart Month [PDF, 25KB]</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/heart\_month.pdf March is National Kidney Month ® [PDF, 31KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/kidney\_month.pdf March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month [PDF, 25KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/week1\_mesg2.pdf

<u>Week 2 (March 9) [PDF, 29KB]</u>
http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/week2\_mesg9.pdf
Week 3 (March 16) [PDF, 21KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/week3\_mesg16.pdf • Week 4 (March 23) [PDF, 20KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/week4\_mesg23.pdf • Week 5 (March 30) [PDF, 16KB]

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/week5\_mesg30.pdf

May Message - National Osteoporosis Awareness and Prevention Month [PDF, 19KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/maymesg\_final.pdf June 12-18, 2006 is National Men's Health Week [PDF, 85KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/1stjune mesg.pdf 2nd June Health Message [PDF, 30KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/2ndjune\_mesg.pdf July Prevention Awareness Message [PDF, 34KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/prevention\_gap.pdf August is National Immunization Awareness Month [PDF, 31KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/aug\_immun.pdf September is Prostate Cancer Awareness Month [PDF, 35KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/sept\_pros\_cancer.pdf September 24 – 30 is National Adult Immunization Awareness Week [PDF 11KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/naiaw.pdf October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month [PDF, 45KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/nbcam\_oct.pdf November is American Diabetes Month [PDF, 48KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/nov\_amer\_diab\_mth.pdf The Great American Smokeout - November 16, 2006 [PDF, 32KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/great\_american\_smokeout.pdf Nov. 27 to Dec. 3 is National Influenza Vaccination Week [PDF, 31KB] http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/flu\_vaccination\_week.pdf