

# LOWER UMPQUA HOSPITAL DISTRICT PARTNERS IN CARE NEWSLETTER

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## COMMUNITY FORUMS: DISCOVER, SHARE, ENGAGE



**Join us, we want to hear from you!**

Lower Umpqua Hospital District is holding a series of three Community Forums as an opportunity to:

- **Discover** and learn about our services and improvements to enhance your experience when visiting the hospital and our clinics.
- **Share** the health-related services you think are missing from our community.
- **Engage** with our hospital leadership, staff and providers at the meet and greet.

These Community Forums will be held on:

**Tuesday, June 20, 2023**

10:00-11:30 am

Reedsport City Council Chambers, 451 Winchester Ave.

**Thursday, June 22, 2023**

6:00-7:30 pm

Reedsport City Council Chambers, 451 Winchester Ave.

**Saturday, June 24, 2023**

1:00-2:30 pm

Reedsport City Council Chambers, 451 Winchester Ave.

We look forward to your participation and input at a forum that works best for your schedule.

Attend in person: enter to win a raffle prize. Call/attend online: [LowerUmpquaHospital.org](https://www.lowerumpquahospital.org), Click **Community Forums** button.

Need transportation assistance? Interested in joining a forum virtually? Please email [public\\_relations@luhonline.com](mailto:public_relations@luhonline.com), or call 541-271-2171 x5060.

## LUHD EMPLOYEES GIVE BACK

Lower Umpqua Hospital District has a long history in this community, dating back to the hospital opening on February 3, 1964. It has been our privilege to serve community residents for nearly 60 years. Throughout this time, we have received tremendous community support.

As we look to our upcoming fiscal year (July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024), we would like to give back to the community who has supported us all of these years. We currently have 177 full-time and 17 part-time employees to rally to this effort. Over the next year, we are asking full-time employees to perform a shift (of 8-10 hours) of paid community service; part-time employees will be asked to perform a shift of 4 hours over the next year.

If everyone participates, this will amount to just under 1,500 hours of service to worthwhile projects in our community. Participation is voluntary; however, we believe our employees will eagerly join this effort, and we want to do what we can to facilitate and support this effort.

### How can you help?

Do you need volunteer assistance at your organization or club? Please help us put together a list of opportunities for our employees! Don't forget to include your organization or club name, a description of what your club/organization does, what type of project you need volunteers for, and dates you would like volunteer assistance. Please email this information to: [public\\_relations@luhonline.com](mailto:public_relations@luhonline.com), or call 541-271-2171 x5060 with questions.

Full disclosure: the cost to the District will be about \$50,000, and will count towards our required community benefit spending floor of \$4.7 million.






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**LAST MONTH WE CELEBRATED:**



**HAPPY NURSES WEEK!**  
 May 6-12, 2023

**HAPPY HOSPITAL WEEK!**  
 May 7-13, 2023

**HAPPY EMS WEEK!**  
 May 21-27 2023



**TRAUMA SURVEY RESULTS: LUHD RECERTIFIED AS LEVEL IV TRAUMA CENTER**



In April LUHD was certified as a Level IV Trauma Center! What does that mean?

- We provide Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) prior to transferring a patient to a higher-level trauma center
- Evaluation, stabilization, and diagnostic capabilities for injured patients

During the calendar year 2022, LUHD saw and provided care to 177 trauma patients!

We are very proud of our Trauma Program, and all those who contributed to our certification!

**HOSPITAL CAFE IS OPEN**

The cafe is open daily with the following hours:

- Breakfast from 7:30 - 9:00 am
- Lunch from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm
- Dinner from 5:30 - 6:30 pm

We offer weekly specials, meatless Mondays, soups, filling burgers and BLTs, delicious and healthy snacks, and tasty treats.

On May 19th the Culinary Services team received a 100% on their health inspection. Way to go team!

**SAVE THE DATE FOR SPORTS PHYSICALS**

We are partnering with Reedsport Community Charter School to offer free sports physicals for students on a first-come, first-serve basis on Thursday, August 10, 2023 in the RCCS high school gym .

- 10:00 AM-12:00 PM for grades 7-9
- 1:00-3:00 PM for grades 10-12

Non-RCCS students are welcome, and the physical will cost \$25 due upon arrival.

