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Southeast Georgia Health System to Host American Red Cross Blood Drive on September 22

BRUNSWICK, Georgia: September 14, 2023 – In the mood to save a life? Blood donations are needed immediately to boost the supply in our community—and donors have the potential of impacting up to three lives when donating blood. Southeast Georgia Health System will partner with the American Red Cross to host a blood drive on Friday, September 22, giving donors the opportunity to be someone's hero.

The blood drive will be held at the Health System's Brunswick Campus, 2415 Parkwood Drive, in the Linda S. Pinson Conference Center, Room 1, from 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Appointments are required and can be made online by visiting RedCrossBlood.org and entering sponsor code "sghsys" in the search bar, or call **800-RED-CROSS (800-733-2767)**.

The Health System is experiencing low units of all blood types and particularly the "O" blood types. If you are able, please consider donating.

Donors can save up to 15 minutes at the blood drive by reading and completing the RapidPass® pre-donation health history questionnaire. To complete a RapidPass®, follow the instructions at RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass or use the Red Cross Blood Donor App.

ABOUT SOUTHEAST GEORGIA HEALTH SYSTEM

Southeast Georgia Health System is a not-for-profit health system comprised of two acute care hospitals, two long term care facilities, two comprehensive Cancer Care Centers and multiple specialty care centers, including orthopaedic and spine care, joint replacement, breast care, maternity, outpatient rehabilitation, sleep management and wound care. The Brunswick Campus Cancer Care Center is accredited by the American College of Surgeons Commission on Cancer and is one of the few centers in Georgia to offer CyberKnife® M6 with MLC. Additionally, the Brunswick Campus is accredited by The Joint Commission as an Advanced Primary Stroke Center and the Camden Campus is accredited as an Acute Stroke Ready Hospital. The Southeast Georgia Physician Associates medical group includes more than 160 providers working in 20 different medical specialties at more than 50 locations. The Health System is part of Coastal Community Health, a regional affiliation between Baptist Health and Southeast Georgia Health System, a highly integrated hospital network focused on significant initiatives designed to enhance the quality and value of care provided to our contiguous communities. For more information, visit sghs.org.

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