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RE: Isabella County Drug Abuse Symposium

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Mt. Pleasant – A Drug Abuse Symposium, titled “Drugs: Know the Truth” will be held on Monday, March 25, 2013 from 5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at the Isabella County Commission on Aging (2200 S. Lincoln Road in Mt. Pleasant). Featured speakers include:

Lt. Mark Uribe, detective for Bay Area Narcotics Enforcement Team (BAYANET), will be speaking about Methamphetamine and Meth labs in central Michigan.

FAN – Families Against Narcotics, will bring their families stories of anguish, pain and loss due to addiction to prescription medications, especially narcotics/opiates (pain and sleep meds).

Dr. Aimee Nefcy, toxicology fellow, Poison Control Center, Children’s Hospital of Michigan. Dr. Nefcy did a 3-year residency in Emergency Medicine at Detroit Medical Center/Wayne State University.

This event is free of charge and is being sponsored by Michigan State Police, Central Michigan District Health Department, Ten Sixteen Recovery Network, MidMichigan Health, McLaren Central Michigan and the Together We Can! Health Improvement Planning Team. Refreshments will be served. To register, please call (989) 773-5921 ext. 8440 or email kschiavi@cmdhd.org.

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