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## **Columbiana Family Care Center to Host Comprehensive Blood Screening November 12**

On Saturday, November 12, area residents are invited to learn more about their health by participating in a comprehensive blood screening provided by Salem Regional Medical Center and Columbiana Family Care Center. The screening event will take place at Columbiana Family Care Center, located in the TownCenter at Firestone Farms, 116 Carriage Drive, Columbiana.

Comprehensive blood screenings can help to identify many health problems in their early stages, when they're most treatable, and may detect conditions such as high cholesterol, anemia, infections, diabetes and other disorders. Some of the tests included are cholesterol, lipids and triglycerides, red and white blood cells, platelets, electrolytes, enzymes, blood sugar, BUN and creatinine, bilirubin and thyroid function.

Cost of the comprehensive screening is \$45. Optional tests available for an additional charge include a prostate specific antigen test for \$12 and HgA1c diabetes screen for \$28. A lipid panel, which measures cholesterol levels and is included in the comprehensive screening, is available as a stand-alone test for \$12.

Participants must provide a self-addressed, stamped envelope at the time of the screening to receive a copy of their results.

Screenings begin at 7 a.m. and an appointment is required. To schedule an appointment or for more information, call Columbiana Family Care Center at 330-482-3871.

A service of Salem Regional Medical Center, Columbiana Family Care Center is the practice location of Family Medicine physician Vidya Counto, M.D.