

**AED Access for All  
Meeting Agenda**

Tues July 25<sup>th</sup> – 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM Iowa Heart Hospital

**Call-in Number**

Toll Free: 1-877-232-4392

The participant code is: 432450

Just call the number and asked to be connected. They will ask for the CODE. The conference Name is under AED

**1. Introductions**

**2. Local News, Updates**

2.1. Saves

2.2. New members

2.3. News from Sudden Cardiac Arrest Association

Mary Tappe

**3. Old Business**

3.1. Survey

3.2. Sheriff & State Patrol Contacts

3.3. Businesses with AEDs

Susan Johnson Brown

John Laktash/Derwood Foster

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**4. New Business**

4.1. Officers Vote

Mary Tappe

**5. Upcoming Events**

5.1. Iowa State Fair in August

Mary Tappe

**Next Meetings**

Meetings to be held at:

The Iowa Heart Hospital – Medical Plaza Atrium

411 Laurel Street

Des Moines, IA

The atrium Conference Room, Level A, right by the glass entrance

Tuesday – August 29<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:30

Tuesday – September 26<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:30

Tuesday – October 31<sup>st</sup> 4:30 – 6:30

Tuesday – November 28<sup>th</sup> 4:30 – 6:30

**Re-birthdays:**

April 1st - Kathy J

April 2nd – Butch G

May 17th - Mary T

August 21 – Carol W

Contact Mary Tappe [mtappe@mchsi.com](mailto:mtappe@mchsi.com) 1-515-314-8453 for more information

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## **Learn CPR at the Fair in < 30 minutes**

Who: Iowa CPR Education Foundation

What: Free CPR to the public

Where: Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield Stage

When: Aug 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> 2006

Times: from 1000am-Noon on both days

The local chapter of the American Heart Association, in collaboration with Mercy Medical Center, Iowa Health System and the Iowa CPR Education Foundation, will present Free CPR classes for the public during two days of the Iowa State Fair. August 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> from 1000am to noon on both days at the Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield Stage. This will not be a certified course but the participants will have plenty of time to practice and learn CPR in less than thirty minutes.

Approximately 350,000 Americans die annually of cardiovascular disease and sudden cardiac arrest – before reaching the hospital. Many of these lives could be saved by training community members in CPR. While CPR and Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) training is mandatory for first responders, childcare professionals and other healthcare providers, the general public has few opportunities to attend CPR Courses. This year's Free CPR Classes target audience is parents, children, grandparents, family or friends of individuals with a high risk for cardiac disease and individuals that desire to learn CPR and practice the skills. These individuals can make a large impact on the survival of sudden cardiac arrest victims and will most likely help if the situation occurs.

This will be our second year putting this event on at the fair. Victims, of sudden cardiac arrest, have a four times improvement in survival than victim who do not receive CPR. So, bring your family and friends to learn the new 30:2 adult CPR. This is not a certified course. This will be all hands on skills. Each family will receive a New "CPR Anytime" for Family and Friends course kit, while supplies last. This will allow the family to take this back home and practice with there family and friends over and over. This is a \$30.00 value. Any questions contact Sam Patterson: [spatterson@mercydesmoines.org](mailto:spatterson@mercydesmoines.org)

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