Center for Healthy Communities and HealthLink Miami Valley Presents:
Family Holidays – Coping with Grief and Loss

December 5, 2006
8:25 am – 12 noon
Madison Lakes Park Lodge
581 Olive Road
Dayton, Ohio
(Free parking)

Registration and Refreshments at 8:00 am

• Holiday Shock – What do we do with Mom and Dad?
• Helping children cope with grief.
• Family support for those dealing with loss.

Objectives:

1. Provide an overview of a child’s grief response as related to normal stages of child development from birth to 18.
2. Discuss methods to support and to raise level of comfort for those adults who may deal with grieving families as part of their workday or volunteer associations.
3. List issues to assist adult children as they learn to assess aging parents.

This program will focus on family issues faced during the holidays for residents in Montgomery County: families dealing with the illness or loss of a loved one, or coming home for the holidays and finding parents who are not able to care for themselves. Specific local community resources for families will be described as well as how to access them.

For further information call:
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Center for Healthy Communities
For map & directions go to
http://www.med.wright.edu/cht/programs/hlmvtrainings.htm

Continuing Education:
3.9 hours provided for nurses. Sinclair Community College (OH-101/07-1-09) is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Ohio Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation OBN-001-91. Application has been made to the Ohio Counselor, Social Work and Marriage and Family Therapist Board.
(Approval number MSX120609 for 3 hours)

This program is offered at no cost, but space is limited, so call to reserve a place.

RSVP by November 27, 2006 937-775-1114