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RE: 21st Annual Women's Golf Outing Benefit

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21st Annual Women's Golf Scramble

On June 16th, 2012 Central Michigan District Health Department (CMDHD) and Pleasant Hills Golf Club held the 21st Annual Women's Scramble to benefit the CMDHD Breast and Cervical Cancer Endowment Fund. This fund was created to provide breast and cervical cancer education and financial assistance for diagnostic testing for eligible women in CMDHD's Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program. A total of thirty-nine 3-women teams participated in the outing. More than \$3,500 was raised for the fund through this year's event.

Michigan's Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program provide free annual breast and cervical cancer screenings and diagnostic services to eligible women across the state. To be eligible for the program, a woman must be between age 40 and 64, have no insurance, and meet income requirements. Women who are diagnosed with breast or cervical cancer through the program may be eligible for Medicaid for their treatment. For more information or to sign up for the breast and cervical cancer screenings, contact your local CMDHD branch office. For more information about the Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program, please visit www.michigancancer.org/bcccp.



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