

Program Location:

The Sargent College of Health and Rehabilitation Services is located at:

635 Commonwealth Ave.
Boston, MA

The closest T stop is the Green Line's Blandford Street Station and there is a parking lot adjacent to the college. The program will take place on the second floor. Room 220



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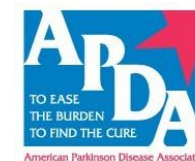
**GOOD START
PROGRAM
IN
PARKINSON'S
DISEASE**

An educational program
for individuals recently
diagnosed with
Parkinson's disease and
their family members.

October 10, 17, & 24, 2007

6-8pm

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A GOOD START PROGRAM IN PARKINSON'S DISEASE

The Good Start Program is a three part series presented by a team of Parkinson disease specialists from Boston University and Boston University Medical Center.

Participants will receive up-to date information on diagnosis and treatment. Community resources will be identified to assist in managing and coping with Parkinson's disease.

Opportunity will be provided to answer questions and address common concerns. There is no cost for participation in this program. All are welcome.



Program Overview

Session One

Wednesday, October 10th, 6-8pm

Welcome and Program Overview

Cathi A. Thomas RN, MS

What is Parkinson's Disease?

Diagnosis

Symptoms

Treatment strategies

Samuel Frank, MD

Session Two

Wednesday, October 17th, 6-8pm

The Role of Rehabilitation/Exercise

Terry Ellis, PhD, PT

Introduction to the Health Care Team

Physical therapy

Occupational therapy

Nutrition

Speech therapy

Nursing/Social Services

Panel of Specialists

Center and Community Resources

Tami Rork, MS, PT

Session Three

Wednesday, October 24th, 6-8pm

Medication Management

Drug classification

Individualizing therapy

Anna Hohler, MD

Strategies to Manage Medications

Melissa Diggin, NP

For more information and registration, please contact the APDA Information and Referral Center at Boston University Medical Center. There is no fee for the program, registration is required.

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