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“The Deaf Weight Wise clinical trial: Community engaged health research with Rochester Deaf populations”

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Rochester Prevention Research Center: National Center for Deaf Health Research

Rochester NY has a large population of deaf people who communicate with American Sign Language (ASL). The mission of the Rochester Prevention Research Center (RPRC) is to promote health and prevent disease with populations of deaf sign language users and people with hearing loss through community based participatory research. Members of the RPRC team will describe the development, implementation, and results of Deaf Weight Wise (DWW), the first randomized controlled trial of a culturally appropriate and language accessible healthy lifestyle program with Deaf ASL users.

Friday, November 6, 2015
NOTE NEW LOCATION: URMC room 2-7520-2-7534
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Assorted wraps will be available while supplies last. Bring your own beverage.

ASL interpreters or other accommodations are available upon request. Contact Jennifer VanRy @ 224-2061 with requests and/or questions

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