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## **HEALTH FAIR IN NEW LONDON**

**New London** - The Community Health Center is marking National Health Center Week with a series of free health fairs at locations throughout the state, with the first fair taking place Wednesday at the New London site.

The fair, at 1 Shaw's Cove, will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. It will include immunization, blood pressure and dental screenings; information about Medicaid, WIC, diabetes, nutrition counseling, early detection, and housing and health department programs; and activities such as face-painting, raffle prizes and Recess Rocks demonstrations. Dora the Explorer and SpongeBob SquarePants will greet children.

Health centers provide care to over 23 million people at 8,000 sites nationwide and are on track to expand their care to 40 million people over the next five years.

For more information, call (860) 447-8304 or visit www.healthcenterweek.org.

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