

FREE Kidney Screening VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The National Kidney Foundation of Hawaii is looking for volunteers to help out with our free upcoming kidney health screenings. Our Kidney Early Detection Screening (KEDS) are completely free and open to the public for anyone 18 years or older. At these events, participants go through several testing stations including: blood pressure, measurements, blood draw/glucose checks and urinalysis. They then take their results and have a brief consultation with a medical professional who interprets their results and gives them a snapshot of their current kidney function.

It is very important we detect a decrease in kidney function early. This is a lot of work for just the small staff we would not be able to do what we do without the help of volunteers!

We need volunteers to help out with many different tasks to include:

Registration • Set up and giving directions • Body measurements and blood pressure • Handing out refreshments and snacks • Assist any elderly participants • Also we are looking for anyone with **medical background** to help with our blood and urine testing stations

Exit Interview **NEED Medical Professionals** (MD, APRN, RN, RD, pharmacists, etc.) to help interpret participant results.

Upcoming events:

1. “General Screening” just basic height, weight, blood pressure that we are doing at a health fair – I need 2 more nurses or student nurses for this event.

June 11, from 11:00 - 4:00 at Kapiolani Park.

2. “KEDS” KEY Project, 47-200 Waihee Rd, Kaneohe on **Friday, July 1st 2016 from (7am – 1:00 pm)** (time includes set up and take down of event **FOOD & BEVERAGES PROVIDED**)

INTERESTED?

**If you are interested, please email your address, phone number, shirt size, which event/events and time and if you have a preference of job. If you have any questions about anything please feel free to email Melissa@kidneyhi.org or call 808-589-5903.