

Amputee Support Team of Lancaster, PA

The Amputee Support Team of Lancaster, PA has been formed to serve individuals in the Lancaster County and surrounding areas. The purpose of this group is to provide support and education to people living with the loss of a limb.

The *AMPUTEE SUPPORT TEAM (AST) of Lancaster* is a registered non-profit amputee support group (501(c)(3)) within PA.. Jim Yohn and Dwight McKay, amputees themselves, lead this Lancaster support organization.



The mission of this support group is to provide the following resources to amputees, spouses, family members, doctors, therapists and other caregivers :

- Peer support
- Peer visits to new amputees from ACA trained and certified peer counselors
- Fun, social and informative meetings
- Our meetings have varied in size from 18 to 39 individuals
- Come join one of our meeting and meet new friends and there are always Refreshments
- **Meetings are held the last Thursday of each month (see below) from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.**

Meeting Agendas:

- **June 28, 2007 – Tri-State Advocacy Project** – Cindy Clark will present information on educating patients and their families on specific provisions on their health insurance policy, worker's compensation statutes, and Social Security benefits.
- **July 26, 2007 - Center for Independent Living /Disability Empowerment** - Katrina Stirn will present how her organization can provide help to us.
- **August 30, 2007 – Network & Nibbles (Again)** – Bring a snack to share and share your story too. Share several of your challenges and how you solved the problem or celebrate an accomplishment. What are some new goals you have set, How can we help? This is an opportunity to network with other amputees.

(ACA) www.amputee-coalition.org (AST) www.amputeesupportteam.com

Lancaster General Health Campus

3rd Floor, Conference Center

2100 Harrisburg Pike

Lancaster, PA 17604

Free parking is available in the lots adjacent to the main entrance.

Detailed directions available at the following web link:

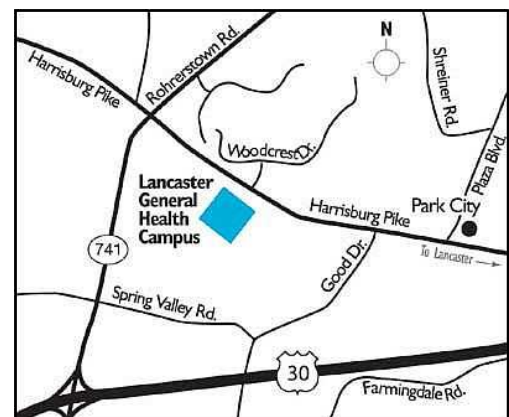
www.lancastergeneral.org/content/LG_Health_Campus_Directions.asp

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