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VeggieRx is a nutrition program designed to improve the health of food insecure patients by providing vouchers for produce (Farmers Market Model) or meal kits stocked with produce (Fresh to You Model) along with nutrition education, increasing participant consumption of fresh vegetables and fruit.

How it works

Farmers Market Model: BEND & REDMOND
Eligible participants obtain and redeem $20 worth of fresh produce each week for 8 consecutive weeks. Participants also receive nutrition education materials and one-on-one counseling with a Registered Dietitian. Program takes place at farmers markets: Wednesdays in Bend and Tuesdays in Redmond. Referrals open.
June-October 2020

Fresh to You Model: PRINEVILLE
Eligible participants obtain meal kits every other week for 4 months (8 sessions). Kits include produce, pantry staples, and spices. Participants receive nutrition education materials and one-on-one counseling with a Registered Dietitian. Program is the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at Mosaic Medical. Referrals open.
June – November 2020

Eligibility:
- Participants must qualify as food insecure
- Participants must be diagnosed with cardiovascular disease, diabetes, pre-diabetes, or obesity.

How to refer: 2 ways!
- Tell your patients to text the word “Veggie” to 797979 for inquiry
- Direct patients to hdffao.org/VeggieRx and click on “For people who want to enroll”

COVID-19 Adaptations: VeggieRx drive through
In order to keep program participants safe and reduce in-person contact for participants, staff, and market vendors. Participants will pick up produce kits at the Bend and Redmond Farmers Markets. Produce will be picked up curbside until further notice.

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