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SIVE PERSONNEL BULLETIN To the Faculty and Staff of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville

April 16, 1993

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To: The University Community

From:

Ed Leardi

Subject: Health Screenings

University Personnel Services, in coordination with Health Service, is pleased to announce two very important health screenings for employees and their family members: mammogram and prostate. The American Cancer Society estimates that 1 in 9 women will develop breast cancer during her lifetime, and one in 11 men over age 50 will develope prostate cancer.

Mammogram screening is being offered through arrangements with the Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology at Washington University on April 28, from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. at SIUE on the hairpin by the Peck Building; April 29 from 8:00 A.M to 9:30 A.M. at the East St. Louis center; and April 29 from 12 Noon to 4:00 P.M. at the School of Dental Medicine, Alton campus. The Mallinckrodt Institute provides screenings to females age 35 and above. The screening takes approximately 15 minutes. The fee is \$60.00 and may be reimbursable for members of the State of Illinois Quality Care Health Plan. Members of Group Health Plan will be reimbursed by mailing the paid receipt to University Personnel Services, Box 1040. The results are reported to your personal physician. To make an appointment for the SIUE or Dental School campus, call Janet Kleinmann at 692-2190. To make an appointment for the East St. Louis Center, call Joyce Haynie at 482-6959.

<u>Prostate screening</u> will be offered at SIUE Health Service on April 28 to men age 50 and above (or younger with identified concerns). The examination will consist of a PSA blood test. The results may be given to the individual or sent to the individual's physician with a signed release. The cost of this examination is \$30.00, and may be reimbursable for members of the State of Illinois Quality Care Health Plan. Members of Group Health Plan will be reimbursed by mailing the paid receipt to University Personnel Services, Box 1040. To make an appointment at the SIUE Health Service call Barbara Clifford at 692-2844.

If you have specific questions about the Mammography Program, call the Mammography Outreach Program at 314-362-3535.

We are pleased to make these programs available to you and your family members, and plan to make them available during the spring of each year. We hope you will take an active step toward cancer prevention by scheduling an appointment today.