

**Mission:**

To protect, promote & improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county & community efforts.



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**Vision:** To be the **Healthiest State** in the Nation

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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROMOTES HEALTHY FLORIDA SUMMER SERIES**

**Tallahassee**— The Florida Department of Health (DOH) Office of Communications announces the launch of the "Healthy Florida Summer Series." This series will feature a new summer health topic on the DOH Online Newsroom each week throughout the season, educating Floridians on how to stay healthy this summer.

The "Healthy Florida Summer Series" will include interviews, feature stories, videos and more about the following topics:

- Healthy Eating and Physical Activity
- Sun and Heat Safety for Kids & Older Adults
- Mosquito-borne Illnesses
- Hurricane Preparedness
- Drowning Prevention
- Foodborne Illnesses
- Water Safety
- Summer Poison Prevention

The Healthy Florida Summer Series is just one of the many features on the DOH Online Newsroom. Visit the Newsroom to access the most current DOH news and featured information, including statistical data to support these summer topics in the Health Statistics section.

**WHEN:** May 23 – August 1, 2013

**WHERE:** <http://newsroom.doh.state.fl.us/>

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