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## Affordable Care Act Workshops at Westside Community Center

New Braunfels, Texas — In partnership with CentroMed, the City of New Braunfels' Westside Community Center is hosting an enrollment event for the Affordable Care Act (ACA) on Thursday, December 11<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m.

"The Westside Community Center has continued to make the health and wellness of New Braunfels residents a priority and will provide this opportunity for residents to learn more about the Affordable Care Act," said Outreach Coordinator Michele Valadez.

CentroMed will offer four, one hour sessions at 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. with time for brief questions before these sessions began and again afterward. In addition to the informational sessions, CentroMed will have certified application counselors on hand to provide one-on-one counseling for individuals who wish to apply for coverage or renew their current coverage under the ACA. The one-on-one counseling will be offered in both English and Spanish.

December 15<sup>th</sup> is the last date to enroll for coverage starting on January 1, 2015 under the ACA; however open enrollment will continue until February 15, 2015.

CentroMed is a nonprofit, Federally Qualified Health Center that operates at 1034 W. County Line in New Braunfels.

For more information regarding this service, or to volunteer to assist with this program, contact the Westside Community Center at 830-221-4630. The Center also provides free and low cost programs, classes and activities presented by the City's Public Library and Parks and Recreation Department.