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Columbia Valley Community Health Celebrating 40 Years of Caring

You are invited to celebrate a special night of community connections on September 27, 2012

Tuesday, August 25, 2012: Wenatchee, WA: [Columbia Valley Community Health](#) (CVCH) will celebrate its 40th Anniversary with a special community event this Thursday, September 27, 2012 at the Wenatchee Convention Center from 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm. Attendance is \$45 per seat, which includes a catered dinner and event seating. All proceeds from the event (*not including the silent auction*) will benefit the CVCH **Helping Hands Fund**, which assists the neediest patients by paying for healthcare and other medical services.

This memorable one-night event will recall the past 40 years through video, pictures and patient stories. The unique silent auction is comprised of patient-made items, accompanied by their personal stories relating the impact CVCH has had on their lives. All auction proceeds will go directly to the participating patients, their families or to whatever fund the patients would like to donate the proceeds.

[Wells Fargo Bank](#), [Coordinated Care](#) and [Community Health Plan of Washington](#) are the event's "**Champion Sponsors**," and [Numerica Credit Union](#) and [Aldrich + Associates, Inc](#) are "**Patron Sponsors**". The event is open to the public. For more information about reserving a seat at the event, please contact [Sarah Wilkins](#) at 509.662.6000 x1028.

About Columbia Valley Community Health

[Columbia Valley Community Health](#) is a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) that offers medical, dental, behavioral health, pharmacy, WIC and outreach services to everyone in Chelan and Douglas Counties. Their mission is to provide access to improved health and wellness with compassion and respect for all.

Established in 1972, CVCH is now an industry leader and was the first in the Pacific Northwest to achieve the Joint Commission's Primary Care Medical Home certification. CVCH serves well over 20,000 patients a year between all of its departments and locations in Wenatchee, East Wenatchee and Chelan.

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