"Why Stem Cells?"
Tuesday May 22, 2007, 7:00 - 9:00 pm

PURPOSE
To provide first-hand information and respond to questions about stem cells, including:

- What are stem cells and where do they come from?
- What benefits can stem cells offer to patients and their families?
- How are stem cells being used today?
- What diseases might be treatable with stem cells in the future?
  Cancer? Diabetes? Kidney disease?
  Heart disease? Liver disease? Blood disorders?
- Why is New Jersey making a commitment to stem cell research?

AGENDA
Welcome Introduction:  Dr. Edward Yaw, President, College County of Morris
Legislative Perspective: Assemblyman Neil Cohen (D-Union)
Panel Discussion:
  Basics:  Barry Komisaruk, Ph.D., Rutgers University
  Clinical: Robert Heary, M.D., UMDNJ-New Jersey Medical School
  Education: Bunny Jaskot, President, Biology Teachers Association of New Jersey
  Research: Treena Arinzeh, Ph.D., New Jersey Institute of Technology
  Ethics: Jeffrey Buechner, Ph.D., Rutgers University
  Economics: Donald Sebastian, Ph.D., New Jersey Institute of Technology
Audience Q&A: Facilitated discussion with audience questions directed to panelists

WHERE: County College of Morris Student Center, Davidson Conference Room
214 Center Grove Road, Randolph, New Jersey 07869
Directions: www.ccm.edu/visitor/traveldirections.shtml; Parking Lot 6 (or 7).

WHO: All are invited and encouraged to bring friends, family, colleagues and guests.

RESERVATIONS (free while seating lasts): Register at www.stemcellhealing.org.

INQUIRIES: Send email to info@stemcellhealing.org.