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FREE Documentary Screening at ALIVE

The Barry-Eaton District Health Department, in partnership with ALIVE, is hosting a free panel discussion and screening of the documentary, "Someone You Love" at 5:30pm, Monday, July 30, at ALIVE, 800 W. Lawrence Ave., in Charlotte, Michigan. During this informational session, attendees will learn about the causes and prevention of the human papillomavirus (HPV). Light refreshments will be provided.

Mike Megyesi from the American Cancer Society and representatives from the Barry-Eaton District Health Department will speak on the panel, along with Dr. Robert Seiler from A New Beginning Obstetrics and Gynecology and Hayes Green Beach Memorial Hospital. The panel will begin after the showing of the documentary. This event provides parents a platform to have their questions about HPV and the HPV vaccine answered.

"Cervical cancer kills over 4,000 women in the U.S. each year. Every one of these deaths is easily preventable with proper medical care that includes the HPV vaccination," Dr. Seiler said. "Your doctor is trained to treat disease, but it is much better to prevent diseases in the first place. The HPV vaccine is safe and protects both girls and boys from cancer."

Although it is not required to participate, it is recommended that those interested in attending register by calling ALIVE at (517) 541-5800, option 2. For more information, please contact Lauren Cibor with the Barry-Eaton District Health Department at (517) 541-2624 or lcibor@bedhd.org.