Otsego Memorial Hospital • Journey to Parenthood

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Class details:

- An all-day class is held on Saturday mornings from 9:00am 3:30pm
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- Cost is \$50
- Health Department vouchers are accepted

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Childbirth Preparation — **Private Sessions**

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Call (989) 731-2111 for more information.

Breastfeeding Classes

This class is FREE. Offered several times throughout the year on Wednesday evenings, this class is included with the Saturday class. Mothers and their support partners will learn the benefits of breastfeeding, as well as milk production and proper mechanics of latching on. Class is taught by a Certified Lactation Consultant. Bring a baby doll or stuffed animal to class. Partners are encouraged to attend.



OMH Parent Education **2018 Schedule**

Saturday Childbirth Preparation (All Day) - Cost: \$50 In Gaylord – 9:00am - 3:30pm

January 20 February 17 March 10
April 21 May 19 June 16
August 18 September 15 October 20

November 10 December 15

Health Department Vouchers are accepted. Breastfeeding is included but takes place on a Wednesday night.

Breastfeeding Class (Wed nights) - FREE In Gaylord – 6:30pm - 8:30pm

January 24 February 21 March 14
April 25 May 23 June 20
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Online Childbirth Preparation classes are also available - Cost: \$50

Please call **(989) 731-2111** for more details or signup at: <u>www.myOMH.org/online-childbirth-preparation</u>

Not covered by Health Department Vouchers.

Are you ready to sign up for a class? Visit: www.myOMH.org/events



Important Notes

- Classes require pre-registration
- Financial assistance for childbirth education classes is available for those who qualify
- Classes are held in the OMH Classroom
- Parents with any special circumstances, please call (989) 731-2111



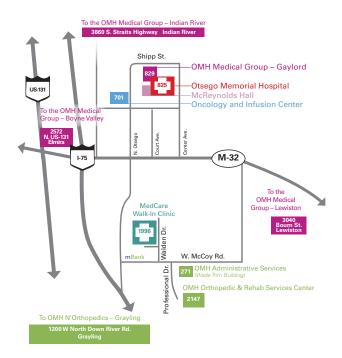
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Campus Map



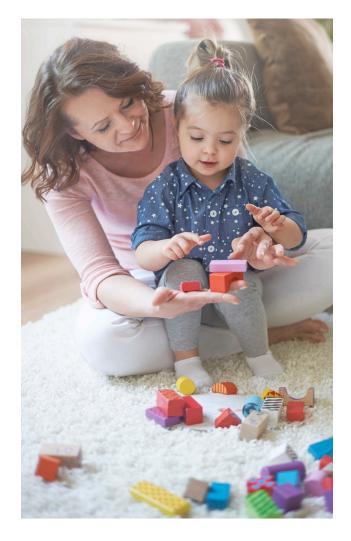
To register or for more information, contact the Parent Education Coordinator at (989) 731-2111 or gsmith@myomh.org

A schedule of classes may be found on the Events Calendar at MyOMH.org

Main Switchboard	(989)	731-2100
Toll Free	(800)	322-3664
Physician Referral	(989)	731-2300

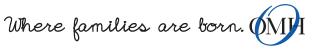


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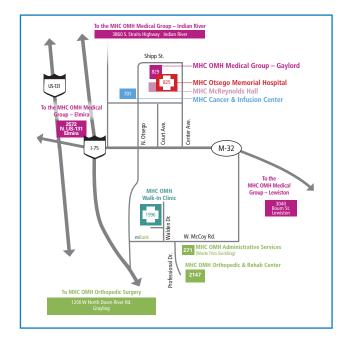
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Maps and Information



To register, or for more information, contact the Parent Education Coordinator at 989-731-2154 or mdubie@mhc.net

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MUNSON HEALTHCARE Otsego Memorial Hospital

825 North Center Avenue, Gaylord, MI 49735 **989-731-2100**

munsonhealthcare.org/omh

Español (Spanish)

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 231-935-6632.

(Arabic) العربية

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Journey to Parenthood

Parent Education







- 1. Increase your chances for a healthy baby
- 2. Get support from healthcare providers and other pregnant women
- 3. Learn to make smart choices for you and your unborn baby
- 4. Learn to take care of yourself
- 5. Learn about your unborn baby
- 6. Plan now for your birth
- 7. You will have lots of questions as your body changes
- 8. Learn when to call your healthcare provider or the Otsego Memorial Hospital Birthing Center
- 9. Learn to take care of your body after delivery
- 10. Find out how to feed and take care of your newborn

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