

Free Cardiac Screening



Coming to: **Coal City High School**
September 12, 2024

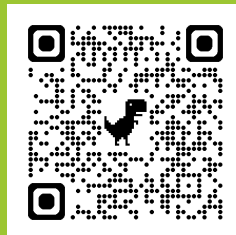


The Morris Hospital Rhythm of Our Youth cardiac screening program's mission is to identify high school students at risk for sudden cardiac death. Each week sudden cardiac death claims the lives of more than 60 young adults in the United States. The Rhythm of Our Youth program works closely with area high schools to offer cardiac screenings free of charge to students.

The screening consists of an electrocardiogram (ECG). An ECG is a painless test that takes approximately 3-5 minutes to perform. Trained volunteers attach electrodes to a student's chest and limbs to capture an ECG. An ECG 'snapshots' the electrical activity of the heart and prints a tracing that will then be reviewed by our onsite Cardiologist.

To participate a student must have parent or legal guardian consent prior to the screening. Parents/guardians may fill out our Screening Permission form or register online.

Scan with your camera to register your child online.



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Community support is essential to meet the increasing demand to bring the Rhythm Of Our Youth program to more children. For more information, or to volunteer, please visit our website or contact us at 815-705-7361.