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In the fight against heart disease, Go Red. Think Pink.

WEATHERFORD, TEXAS (Feb. 17, 2011) – According to the American Heart Association, every year since 1984, more American women than men have died of cardiovascular disease. Recent surveys show that most women do not know that it is the No. 1 killer of women.

Weatherford Regional Medical Center (WRMC) will celebrate Heart Disease awareness month with a free Healthy Woman program in conjunction with the American Heart Association's popular Go Red for Women Luncheon on Tuesday, February 22 beginning at 11:30 a.m. at Central Christian Church, on South Main.

Healthy Woman along with Zonta Club of Parker County has paired to bring Go Red for Women to Weatherford, Healthy Woman will help provide health screening and education, a delicious lunch and feature keynote speaker Stephen Newman, M.D., board-certified cardiologist with The Heart Center of North Texas.

"We want the women of Parker County to understand more about heart disease and be able to make informed decisions about their healthcare, as well as that of their families," said Cory Countryman, CEO of Weatherford Regional Medical Center.

The Healthy Woman Program is dedicated to improving the emotional, physical and fiscal well-being of both women and the families for which they care.

About Healthy Woman

Healthy Woman was created by women, for women, to provide up-to-date healthcare information for their entire families. The program's mission is to empower the women of Parker County with the knowledge and confidence to make informed healthcare and well-being decisions for themselves and their loved ones. For more information or to join Healthy Woman visit www.weatherfordregional.com

About Weatherford Regional Medical Center

Weatherford Regional Medical Center is a 99-bed hospital and a network of medical clinics serving Parker County. A dedicated and experienced medical staff offers over 31 medical specialties and the hospital offers services ranging from comprehensive imaging services, a 24-hour emergency department, an expanded ICU, labor and delivery suites and much more. For more information, call 817-341-CARE (2273) or visit www.weatherfordregional.com.

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