

Hepatitis C Caring Ambassadors Monthly Newsletter

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IN THE NEWS

Acetaminophen, When Taken as Directed, Appears Safe for Patients with Liver Disease

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-93.html#1>

Campaign Launched to Identify and Treat Hepatitis C Carriers

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-92.html>

County Approves Syringe Program

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-94.html>

Diabetes Increases the Risk of Hepatocellular Carcinoma

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-92.html>

Hepatitis C and Health-Related Quality of Life

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-93.html#1>

Hepatitis C Antibodies May Be Slow to Appear

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-94.html>

Hepatitis C Caring Ambassadors Program Launches Online Activist Resource Center

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-93.html#1>

Maxygen Announces Achievement of Milestone in Alliance with Roche

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-94.html>

National Hepatitis C Advocacy Council Celebrates Reintroduction of Federal Hepatitis C Legislation

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-92.html>

Schering-Plough Will Provide Hepatitis C Treatment to ADAP Enrollees

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-92.html>

Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison (R-TX) and Representative Heather A. Wilson (R-NM) sponsor the reintroduction of The Hepatitis C Epidemic Control and Prevention Act (S-521, HR-1290) into both Houses of the 109th Congress.

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Singer Trying to Raise Hepatitis C Awareness

<http://www.hcvadvocate.org/news/newsRev/2005/NewsRev-92.html>

Willie Nelson in hepatitis C PSA

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CLINICAL TRIALS, COHORT STUDIES

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