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### FREE P.A.D. SCREENINGS SET

TUPELO, Miss.—Free screenings for peripheral arterial disease (P.A.D.) will be offered by North Mississippi Medical Center's Spirit of Women program from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 29, at Medical Imaging at Barnes Crossing, 891 Mississippi Drive. No appointment or referral is necessary.

P.A.D. occurs when arteries in the legs become clogged with fatty deposits, reducing blood flow to the legs and causing leg pain when walking. For more information about the screenings, call (662) 377-4099 or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375).