

All seminars and groups are free of charge

SEMINARS
WINTER 2007 - 2008

FLU VACCINATIONS

The Actors Fund will be conducting flu vaccination sessions for all performing arts and entertainment industry professionals as follows October 22 & 24, November 28 & 30, December 5, 13 & 17 and January 9. Since the dates and times are contingent upon receipt of the vaccine as scheduled, they are subject to change. For all the latest information regarding flu shot days call 212.489.1939, at the recording, press option 3.

Wednesday, November 28, 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Friday, November 30, 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Wednesday, December 5, 1:30 - 4:30 PM

Thursday, December 13, 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Monday, December 17, 1:30 - 4:30 PM

The Al Hirschfield Free Health Clinic, The Aurora, 475 West 57th Street (off 10th Avenue)

HOUSING SEMINAR

A review of long term options to obtaining affordable rental housing: 80/20 housing, tenants' rights information, and more. This seminar is presented often throughout the year. Reservations are not necessary. You can just show up!

Monday, December 10, 5:30 - 7 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 10th floor

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TEACHING CAREERS

Find out about education and certification for K-12, adult education and college teaching jobs. Hear from AWP members, who are teaching in these settings, including members who have participated in the NY Teaching Fellows program. No reservation or pre-registration is necessary.

Wednesday, December 12, 5:30 - 7 PM

Actors' Equity Building, 165 West 46th Street, Council Room, 14th Fl.

Info: 212.354.5480

GETTING/COMPLETING YOUR DEGREE

Thinking about getting your degree or picking up on where you left off? It's never too late. Representatives from New York area undergraduate and graduate degree programs will discuss the wide range of options for adults returning to school. Information will also be provided about financial aid resources. No reservation necessary.

Wednesday, January 16, 2008, 5:30 - 7 PM

Actors' Equity, 165 West 46th Street, 14th Floor Council Room

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SHORT-TERM GROUPS
WINTER 2007 - 2008

MEN'S HIV SUPPORT GROUP

A new weekly support group for men living with HIV. The group is held in a safe and confidential environment, conveniently located within the Theater District. This 12-session group is held on Mondays beginning January 7 through March 31, 2008. Pre-group interview is required. Please contact Bob Rosenthal, LMSW.

January 7 - March 31, 2008

Mondays, 5:30 - 7 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

Info: 212.221.7300 ext. 115

Email RRosenth@actorsfund.org

MANAGING CASH FLOW FOR ARTIST

This is a four week workshop where members learn how to organize income and expenses to achieve solvency. The program takes into account the complex and varying nature of entertainment professionals' financial lives and utilizes techniques for tracking spending, balancing multiple sources of income, and planning for irregular expenses. The group is offered three times a year. The winter, 2008 session begins with a required Orientation on Tuesday, January 15th from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. The four workshops will follow, from January 22nd through February 12th.

January 15 - February 2, 2008

Tuesdays, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

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REGULARLY SCHEDULED SEMINARS/MEETINGS
FALL 2007

ACTORS WORK PROGRAM ORIENTATION

An introduction to all Actors Work Program services, including group and individual career counseling, job training and education, financial assistance, and job placement services. Orientation is held every Monday except for legal holidays. No reservation or pre-registration required.

Every Monday, 12 - 2:30 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

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NETWORK NOW

Learn how to increase your visibility and opportunities in the business and outside the business by meeting and talking to other Actors Work Program participants. Participants must attend the Actors Work Program Orientation before attending Network Now. Every Monday except legal holidays.

Every Monday, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

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GETTING AND KEEPING HEALTH INSURANCE

Options for obtaining health insurance in the New York City metro area and finding affordable health care when uninsured. Includes a Q&A session. There is no reservation or pre-registration required.

Every Thursday, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 10th Floor

JOB SEARCH AND INTERVIEW SKILLS CLINIC

Get support, job leads & referrals. Specific strategies to boost your job search skills. Participants must attend the Actors Work Program Orientation before attending.

Every Wednesday, 12 - 2 PM

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AA MEETING - THE GREEN ROOM

12-step A.A. Meeting for those in the entertainment industry and the performing arts. This is a closed discussion meeting. Closed meetings are only for A.A. members and for those with an alcohol or drug problem who have the desire to stop drinking or using drugs.

Every Wednesday, 5:30 - 6:30 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

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RESUME WRITING

This two-part workshop takes place the 3rd and 4th Thursday of every month and attendance at both parts is required. This workshop assists participants in identifying their transferable skills in order to prepare a non-industry resume. Participants must attend an Actors Work Program orientation before attending the Resume Workshop.

3rd & 4th Thursday of every Month, 12 - 2 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

Info: 212.354.5480 ext.100

DEBTORS ANONYMOUS MEETING

A 12-step fellowship for people dealing with issues of compulsive debt.

Every Thursday, 6:15 - 7:45 PM

The Actors Fund, 729 Seventh Avenue, 11th Floor

Info: 212.221.7300 ext. 113

Email ddaley@actorsfund.org

Mission: The Actors Fund is a nationwide human services organization that helps all professionals in performing arts & entertainment. The Fund is a safety net, providing programs and services for those who are in need, crisis or transition.

For more information, please visit www.actorsfund.org

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