

Framingham Heart Study – Exam Appointment Scheduling, Reminder and Instruction Forms

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**NIH, Project Clearance Branch, 6705 Rockledge Drive, MSC
7974, Bethesda, MD 20892-7974, ATTN: PRA (0925-0216).**

Do not return the completed form to this address.

Dear _____:

We thank you for participating in the Framingham Heart Study. Your clinic appointment is scheduled for _____ at _____.

The Framingham Heart Study's address is 73 Mt. Wayte Avenue, in the **Perini Building**. The Framingham Heart Study offices are **located in the wing at the Franklin Street side** of the Building. **There is reserved parking for participants behind the Franklin Street wing**. Please see the enclosed map. The building is handicap accessible.

You should bring slippers and if you choose, bring your own robe. In order to perform certain tests, we ask that you **NOT** eat after 8:00 P.M. the previous evening. You may have **water, decaffeinated black coffee or tea (no creamer, milk or sugar) that evening and again in the morning** before your appointment. A urine sample will be collected when you arrive.

Please do not wear jewelry because of the Bone Density Scan.

Please **take any prescription medications**, as you normally would.

Using the enclosed **MEDICATION BAG**, please bring all prescription and nonprescription medications **you currently take or have taken in the past month in their original containers**.

ON THE BACK OF THIS SHEET, please list information regarding hospitalizations and major illnesses you have experienced since your last exam or health history with the Framingham Heart Study.

PLEASE BRING THIS LETTER WITH YOU TO THE CLINIC. If you need help completing this form, Clinic staff can assist you at the time of your appointment.

If you have any questions, please call Maureen Valentino, Project Coordinator at **(508) 935-3417** locally and for long distance at **(800) -536-4143**

Sincerely yours,

Daniel Levy, MD
Director
Framingham Heart Study

OVER →

FHS REPORT GOES TO:

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Doctor's Name

Doctor's Address & Phone #

Hospitalizations, Emergency Room Visits, or Day Surgery Since Your Last Clinic Visit

Date	Reason	Hospital Name & Address	Doctor's Name
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Doctor Office Visits:

Date	Reason	Doctor's Name
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FRAMINGHAM HEART STUDY

(Perini Headquarters)
72 MT. WAYTE AVENUE
FAMINGHAM, MA
01702
Fax# 508-872-6586

TO: JFK TAXI Attention: Tim/Candy Fax# 508-651-0422
Office# 508-653-4500

RIDE REQUEST:

Ride Date _____

Name _____

Pick Up At: _____

Phone # _____

Going To: _____

FHS Appt Time: _____ JFK Pick Up Time _____

RETURN TRIP

Pick Up At: _____

Going To: _____

Phone # _____

FHS Pick Up Time _____

Ordered By: _____ Phone# _____

The first Exam Cycle for the third generation of the Framingham Heart Study is coming to an end. Attendance at Exam I is necessary to ensure your enrollment in the Framingham Heart Study.

If you are interested in being a part of the Study and have not yet made an appointment, please do so AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Thank you in advance for participating in the Framingham Heart Study.

Appointments/Information:

Maureen Valentino
(508) 935-3417
(800) 536-4143

Daniel Levy, M.D.
Director
Framingham Heart

DIRECTIONS

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South of Framingham

Merge onto I-95 N. Take the I-495 N exit- exit number 6B- towards WORCESTER. Merge onto I-495 N. Take the I-90 exit- exit number 22- towards MASS. PIKE/BOSTON/ALBANY N.Y.. Keep RIGHT at the fork in the ramp. Merge onto I-90 E (Portions toll). Follow directions from Mass Pike Eastbound.

Mass Pike Eastbound, Exit 12 or Route 9 Eastbound

Route 9 East to the “Edgell Rd, Main St, Framingham” exit. Turn right at the end of ramp to Main Street/Union Ave. Take the 2nd right onto Franklin Street. Follow Franklin St for ½ mile (past the blinking light). Take a left into the Heart Study (Perini) parking lot. Go to the far left of the parking lot, behind the building to the Heart Study parking spaces.

North of Framingham

Merge onto I-95 S. Stay straight to go onto I-295 S. Take I-95 S (Portions toll). Take the I-90/MASS. PIKE exit - exit number 25. Keep RIGHT at the fork in the ramp. Merge onto I-90 W (Portions toll). Follow directions from Mass Pike Westbound.

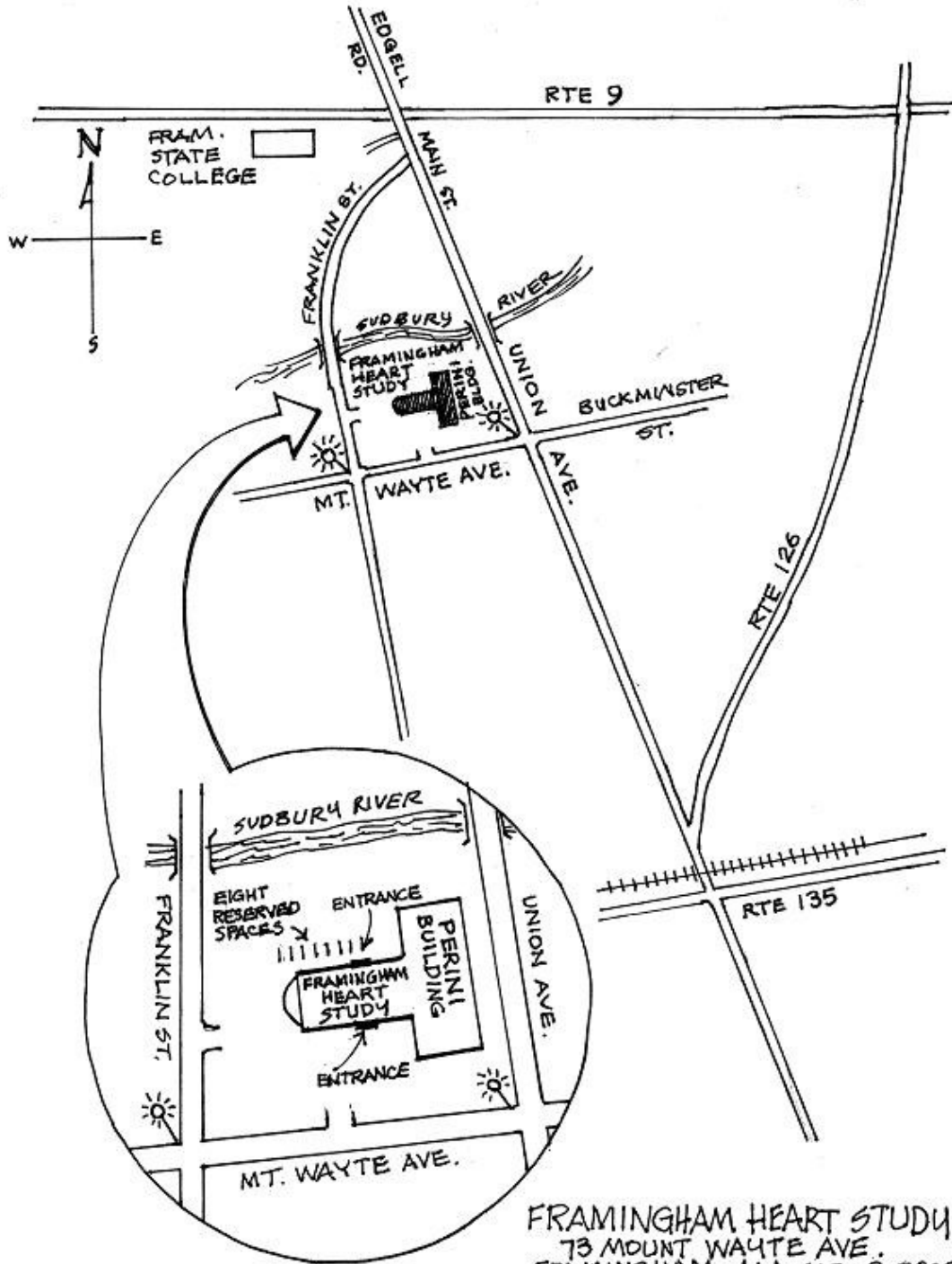
Mass Pike Westbound, Exit 13

After tollbooth, bear right towards Framingham, Route 30 West. Proceed on Route 30 straight until the end. Turn right onto Route 9 West. Follow Route 9 West to the “30 West, Framingham, Southboro” exit. At the end of the ramp (at the traffic light, not before!) go left onto Main Street. Go through 1 quick traffic light and take the 2nd right onto Franklin Street. Follow Franklin St for ½ mile (past the blinking light). Take a left into the Heart Study (Perini) parking lot. Go to the far left of the parking lot, behind the building to the Heart Study parking spaces.

Route 9 Westbound

Follow Route 9 West to the “30 West, Framingham, Southboro” exit. At the end of the ramp (at the traffic light, not before!) go left onto Main Street. Go right onto Franklin Street. Follow Franklin St for ½ mile (past the blinking light). Take a left into the Heart Study (Perini) parking lot. Go to the far left of the parking lot, behind the building to the Heart Study parking spaces.

Please see attached map.



FRAMINGHAM HEART STUDY
73 MOUNT WAYTE AVE.
FRAMINGHAM, MA 01702-5803
508.872.6562

HOTEL LIST

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Best Western

130 Worcester Road (Route 9), Framingham, MA 01702
(opposite Walmart, attached to Chili's), 508-872-8811

Courtyard-Marriott

342 Speen St., Natick, MA 01760 (has a pool)
(opposite Home Depot), 508-655-6100 (front desk)
866-239-3145 (Natick reservations)
800-321-2211 (reservations)

Crowne Plaza

1360 Worcester Road (Route 9), Natick, MA 01760
508-653-8800 (front desk), 800-2-CROWNE (reservations)

Econolodge

1186 Worcester Road (Route 9), Framingham, MA 01701
508-879-1510 (front desk), 800-446-6900 (reservations)

Hampton Inn

319 Speen St., Natick, MA 01760
508-653-5000 (front desk), 800-426-7866 (reservations)

Motel 6

1668 Worcester Road (Route 9), Framingham, MA 01701
508-620-0500 (desk), 800-466-8356 (reservations)

Red Roof Inn

650 Cochituate Road (Route 30), Framingham, MA 01701
508-872-4499 (desk), 800-843-7663 (reservations)

Red Roof Inn

367 Turnpike Road, Southboro, MA 01772
508-481-3904

Travelodge

1350 Worcester Road (Route 9), Natick, MA 01701
508-655-2222 (desk), 800-578-7878 (reservations)

Sheraton Tara Hotel

1657 Worcester Road, Framingham, MA 01701
508-879-7200 (desk), 800-325-3535 (reservations)

Logan Express Bus Service – 800-235-6426 (800-23-LOGAN)

Date

Name

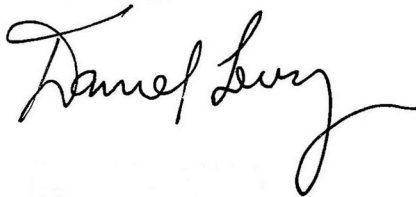
Address

Dear *NAME*:

The faculty and staff of the Framingham Heart Study would like to extend to you our condolences. We have learned of the death of *NAME* and are very sorry for your loss.

Because *NAME* was a participant of the Framingham Heart Study, we also want to express great appreciation on behalf of the Study and our nation. People everywhere have a chance for better health thanks to *HIS/HER* dedication as a volunteer and the knowledge that is being gained from the Studz over the years. Please share our message of sympathy with other family members and friends.

Sincerely,



Daniel Levy, M.D.
Director,
Framingham Heart Study



Phillip Wolf, M.D.
Principal Investigator,
Framingham Heart Study

Instructions for Completing the Food

Frequency Questionnaire

THANK YOU for participating in this research study. An important part of this study is the Food Frequency Questionnaire, designed to measure your dietary pattern over the past year. Remember, the information we get from the study is only as good as the information you give us. Accuracy is essential!

When completing the questionnaire we are asking that you:

- 1) Please use a No. 2 pencil, and make sure the circles are completely darkened.
- 2) Please do not leave any questions blank. If the section does not apply to you, please fill in the **“never”** section.
- 3) Please do not separate, staple or rip the booklet.
- 4) Please do not leave any stray marks. Make sure all erasures are complete.