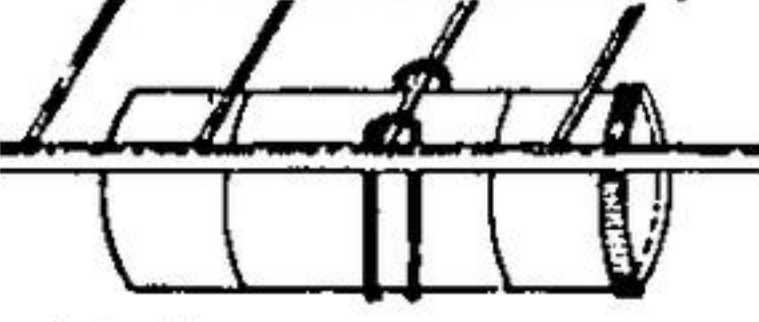


VIAL OF LIFE
ASSOCIATION OF CASUALTY CARE PERSONNEL
 (ONTARIO'S PROFESSIONAL AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION)
VIAL OF LIFE PROGRAMME
PROGRAMME FIOLE DE VIE



Instructions
 1. Fill out this information sheet completely in pencil and block letters (get assistance if required).
 2. When complete, roll up the information sheet and place it in the vial.
 3. Attach the vial underneath the top shelf of your refrigerator on the right hand side (see diagram above).
 4. Place the "Vial of Life" decal on the door of your refrigerator. Emergency personnel will then know you are participating in the Programme.
 5. Make sure this information is kept up to date.

Instructions
 1. Complétez cette formule d'information.
 2. Pliez la formule et placez la dans la fiole.
 3. Attachez la fiole sous la tablette du haut de votre réfrigérateur, sur le côté droit.
 4. Placez la adhésive de "Fiole de Vie" sur la porte de votre réfrigérateur. Le personnel d'urgence saura que vous participez au Programme.
 5. Renouvelez cette formule souvent.

1 Name (first, middle, last) Nom		Date
Address Adresse		Phone Téléphone
Sex Sexe	Age Âge	Birthdate Date de naissance
Social Insurance No. No. Assurance sociale		Medical Number No. Assurance maladie
Family Doctor Médecin de famille	Phone Téléphone	Hospital preferred Hôpital préféré
Address Adresse		
Health Status (Diabetic, High Blood Pressure, Heart Problems, Allergies, etc.) État de santé (Diabétique, haute pression, problèmes cardiaques, allergies, etc.)		
List any medications you are currently taking, including dosage List des médicaments que vous prenez, incluant le dosage		
In case of emergency call: (state relationship, i.e. husband, daughter, brother-in-law) En cas d'urgence appelez: (écrite le lien de parenté)		
Name/Nom		Phone/Téléphone

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Vial of Life information sheet

Local Lions promote 'message in a bottle'

Welcome aid in small package

The Lions Club of Georgetown is bringing one of the organization's major international projects to Halton Hills this week in the form of the much-praised Vial of Life program.

Promoted by Ontario's Association for Casualty Care Personnel, the program is designed to assist ambulance attendants and other emergency service workers in quickly determining the state of health of members of any household to which they are summoned.

Should the house occupants be unconscious or otherwise incoherent, the Vial of Life, resembling an ordinary pill bottle, can be found in a specific location inside the refrigerator. Inside the vial will be all the pertinent medical information which emergency workers need to ensure the occupant's safe and speedy treatment.

Georgetown Lions now have 500 of the vials ready for distribution. The club is considering blanket delivery



of the vials to all local senior citizens' residences, but wants interested residents to pick up a vial for their own family at one of four designated locations.

Calling the Lions program "an excellent idea", Georgetown Volunteer Ambulance Service president Daryl Giberson told The Herald that his organization has yet

to discuss distribution arrangements with the Lions Club. The program was a topic of conversation for ambulance workers and Lions a year ago, he said, although it's not clear which group initiated the idea locally.

Acknowledging that the volunteer ambulance attendants in Georgetown are looking forward to the program's start, Mr. Giberson said it will help his crews greatly when they're called to assist incommunicative fire or accident victims, especially senior citizens and the handicapped. If specific information about the patient is needed, such as a detailed list of their drug prescriptions, the attendants know they can look for the Vial of Life sticker on the refrigerator door, he said.

Properly co-ordinated with the Ambulance Service, Mr.

Giberson added, the Lions' distribution of vials will be a boon to residents and their emergency services.

Mr. Giberson said he knows of no neighboring municipalities which employ a Vial of Life campaign. Acton, which is serviced by the Georgetown volunteers and ambulances from Guelph hospitals, has no current plans for a Vial of

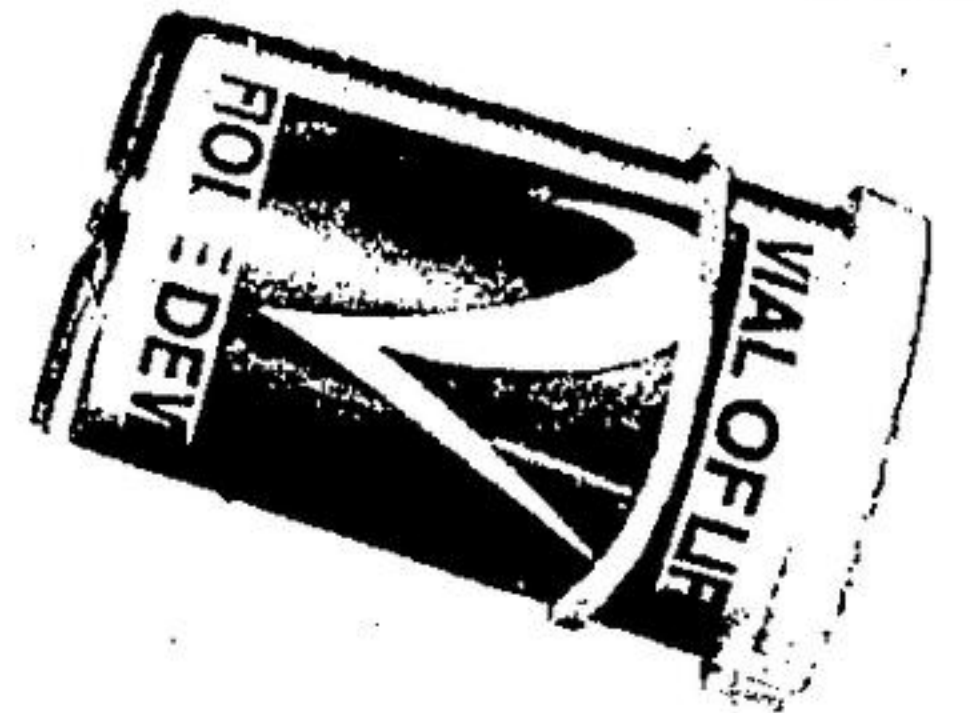


Life program. As well as publicity about the vials in The Herald, citizens will be informed

about the project through posters around town.

Vials are available free at the Cooking Emporium and the Co-operators Insurance office in the Georgetown Market Centre, at the Dairy Queen on Guelph Street and at the Akers and Clark Realty office in downtown Georgetown.

If citizens are unable to make the trip to one of the pick-up points, they can call one of the four businesses or any Lions Club member and arrange home delivery. Should demand exceed current quantity, Lion John MacIver told The Herald, more vials will be obtained for continued distribution.



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 1984 \$?

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 1982 \$?
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 1984 \$?

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