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### **Signature Financial Partners, LLC Hosting Blood Drive in Honor of Megan Carpenter**

VIENNA, VA (July 5, 2011) Signature Financial Partners, LLC (SFP), a local financial services firm and member of John Hancock Financial Network (JHFN), announced it will be teaming up with the American Red Cross and hosting a blood drive on July 20 from 9am – 3pm outside of SFP's office headquarters. While SFP typically hosts an annual blood drive as part of their corporate responsibility program, this year the cause hits close to home.



Megan Carpenter is the Director of Business Development team at SFP and has been an employee of John Hancock for over 9 years. Influential throughout the financial industry, she has helped some of the top financial advisors across the nation grow their practices with a hardworking, driven attitude. However in April of this year, Megan began battling a rare bone marrow failure disorder called Pure Red Cell Aplasia (PRCA), a condition in which her bone marrow does not produce any red blood cells. With her normal life disrupted, Megan has undergone 7 transfusions and received 15 units of blood. Every year, nearly 5 million patients will need life-saving blood – Megan is one of them. Please join us in this cause to help save lives.

Any healthy individual, age 17 through 75, and weighing at least 110 pounds can donate blood. All donors receive complimentary cholesterol and glucose screening with every blood donation.

To schedule your time to donate, or for more information, contact Roxane McGinn at [rmcginn@SFPfinancial.com](mailto:rmcginn@SFPfinancial.com) or 703.893.2550. Signature Financial Partners headquarters is located at 8607 Westwood Center Drive, 3rd Floor, Vienna, VA 22182.

#### **About Signature Financial Partners, LLC**

Signature Financial Partners, LLC is a member of the John Hancock Financial Network and has been helping clients realize their financial goals for over 29 years. We offer comprehensive financial guidance and a commitment to exceptional client service for families and businesses throughout the Mid-Atlantic region. With offices in Virginia, Washington D.C. and Maryland, our trusted financial representatives are responsible for understanding his or her client's entire financial picture and for providing the appropriate resources to meet a wide variety of needs. Presently, Signature Financial Partners, LLC has over 40,000 personal, business and association clients - each with unique financial goals. For more information on our firm, please visit [www.SFPfinancial.com](http://www.SFPfinancial.com).

#### **About John Hancock Financial Network**

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