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## **BROWN BAG LUNCH TO HELP FAMILIES DEAL WITH EMERGENCIES**

**Developing a Family Emergency Plan topic of upcoming luncheon**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

JACKSON, Michigan (June 25)- Marriage Matters Jackson will host their next Brown Bag Lunch Event at noon Wednesday, July 18, at the Nomad Bookstore, 229 S. Mechanic.

Jim Freeman, Emergency Preparedness Coordinator for the Jackson County Health Department, will be speaking on making and implementing a family emergency plan. His information is relevant for parents, married couples, and anyone interested in becoming more knowledgeable about planning for an emergency. Freeman has extensive formal emergency management training and has led military emergency preparedness teams.

The Brown Bag Lunch Series is sponsored by Marriage Matters Jackson, and is supported through funding from the Weatherwax Foundation and is housed at the United Way. Marriage Matters Jackson is in its second year, and is comprised of community members interested in strengthening marriages and families in the greater Jackson community.

The event is free to attendees. The Nomad Bookstore will provide beverages and dessert. For more information call Shelby Raines at 796-5135 or email her @ [sraines@uwjackson.org](mailto:sraines@uwjackson.org).