# UConn Medical Clinic Club will host free clinic this weekend

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The University of Connecticut Medical Clinic Club will host its annual free medical clinic on March 7 and 8 starting at 6 a.m. at the Windham Senior Center.

Cameron Costa, an eighth-semester physiology and neurobiology major, is the president of and a community host group lead for the Medical Clinic Club.

"The Medical Clinic Club is an undergraduate student organization dedicated to improving access and affordability of healthcare in Windham County and surrounding regions," Costa said in an email.

The club partners with Remote Area Medical (RAM), a Tennessee-based nonprofit organization that provides free medical, dental and vision care through mobile clinics across the country, Costa wrote in an email.

The free clinic requires no identification and is open to anyone, free of charge, he said in an email.

The clinic will close once it reaches capacity each day, Costa said in an email.

According to Costa, some services provided by the clinic include consultations with primary care providers to discuss health concerns, dental cleanings, cavity fillings, and tooth extractions and comprehensive eye exams and, if indicated, custom-made prescription glasses provided on-site.

While follow-up care is not guaranteed to be free, the clinic will provide information on local healthcare offices accepting new patients, according to Costa. If a provider at the clinic recommends follow-up care, the team will assist patients in connecting with the appropriate resources.

The clinic aims to target the Windham community, Costa said.

"Windham County is especially a very high need population," Costa said.

The county has one of the highest percentages of people living below the poverty line and very high rates of food insecurity, Costa said.

The club starts planning the free clinic during the fall semester through gathering volunteers, reaching out to donators and recruiting the clinic, Costa said.

"Usually, we have about 400 volunteers across the three days," Costa said.

He said he advises students to join the organization on UConntact if they want to get involved. The organization made a flyer to help students who want to volunteer.

The organization requires students to pay dues that help with transportation costs, meals and a free t-shirt, he said.

"We have about a $20,000 operating budget each year, and we fundraise all that money ourselves," Costa said.

He said the free clinic aims to help all in the community.

"The goal is just sort of see as many people as we can," Costa said.

The club started hosting free clinics in 2024 and in that year they were able to help 212 patients and provided $150,000 in free medical care, Costa said.

Last year they were able to help 196 patients and provided $142,000 in free care, he said.

In the past, the clinic has been held at Windham Middle School, but the club changed the location to be more accessible to people who don't have means of transportation, Costa said.

The club hosts different general information events throughout the semester, all leading up to the clinic in March, he said.

After this free clinic, the organization will be transitioning the club into a nonprofit, Costa said.




**Community members of Windham county line up awaiting free treatment and check ups from volunteering doctor's and practitioners in the area. This free pop-up clinic is aimed to help the high-need area.** PHOTO BY @UCONN.MEDICALCLINICCLUB ON INSTAGRAM.

# News

## WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

**by Maleena Muzio**

**March 1 to March 7**

Welcome back to the weekly horoscope! This horoscope is based on predictions made by AstroStyle or astrostyle.com. Keep reading to hear what to expect as the week unfolds.

**Overview**

It's time to say goodbye to procrastination and hello to productivity! This week you will set goals for yourself and stick with them — no matter how daunting they may seem.

Wake-up calls, clarity and the elimination of bad habits are going to come full and center. Take risks, be bold and lean into the sparks of courage you may feel this week.

**Aries**
**March 21 – April 19**
Your creativity will be unleashed in late-night moments.

**Taurus**
**April 20 – May 20**
Keep your communication skills up to par and don't be afraid to take romantic risks.

**Gemini**
**May 21 – June 20**
Doors of opportunity will open for you.

**Cancer**
**June 21 – July 22**
Continue learning as much as you can — your education will serve its purpose soon.

**Leo**
**July 23 – Aug. 22**
Take the time to understand your own feelings, but remember: you do not owe anyone any explanations.

**Virgo**
**Aug. 23 – Sept. 22**
Luck is finding its way to you; do not be afraid of the current pressure you may be under.

**Libra**
**Sept. 23 – Oct. 23**
Set healthy habits and goals for yourself — they can be small but valuable.

**Scorpio**
**Oct. 24 – Nov. 21**
An intense relationship and spiritual clarity are on its way.

**Sagittarius**
**Nov. 22 – Dec. 21**
Time to ditch being a homebody — step outside and regain productivity.

**Capricorn**
**Dec. 22 – Jan. 19**
Say hello to strangers; unexpected connections may result.

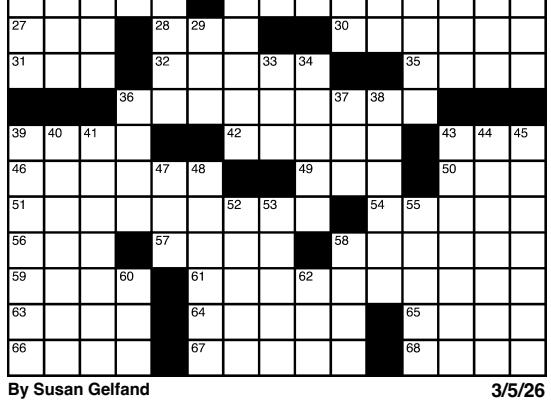
**Aquarius**
**Jan. 20 – Feb. 18**
Hard work and dedication to a project will pay off soon.

**Pisces**
**Feb. 19 – March 20**
Competition may be your motivation — lean into that energy and accomplish your goals.

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By Susan Gelfand 3/5/26

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