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University College
*Transforming lives
through Health Sciences*

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Discover the World of Health and Science at the Neighbourhood Festival

AECC University College, Bournemouth's specialist health science institution, are holding their first family-friendly **Neighbourhood Festival** on **Saturday 8th June, 11am-3pm** on their Parkwood Road campus. The free event offers everyone, old and young alike, the chance to discover the fascinating world of health and science right on their doorstep.

The events' programme is packed with fun, interactive and educational activities and talks for the whole family to enjoy, including AFC Bournemouth's *PowerStrike* and coaching sessions delivered by the Premier League club; talks on health and wellbeing; mind-foldness origami; tours of the campus and Grade II listed historic building; fancy dress; and a scavenger hunt, to name a few. There's even the opportunity to dress your little ones up in robes and mortar boards for their very own special mini-graduation photoshoot. Local favourites such as Dorset Wildlife Trust, Jimmy's Iced Coffee and Funky Little Choir will also be there on the day providing information, entertainment and refreshments.

The University College, formerly the Anglo-European College of Chiropractic, are looking forward to showcasing their excellence and world-renowned expertise within the field of health sciences by inviting the community to 'go beyond their walls' and learn more about who they are and what they do. Since 1965, the institution has been transforming lives through excellence in education, and also as a local healthcare provider with a number of clinical facilities.

Please note that the event is free, though specific sessions may require pre-booking. For further information on the day, including directions to the University College campus, visit www.aecc.ac.uk/neighbourhood.

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AECC University College

Based in Bournemouth, AECC University College is a highly esteemed pioneer in health sciences, dedicated to excellence in education, clinical training and research.

The University College provides specialist study at both undergraduate and postgraduate level, with state-of-the-art facilities, high quality teaching and a regarded level of professionalism. With over 50% of students coming from outside of the UK, the single-campus is a thriving, supportive and inclusive community, constantly at the forefront of engaging with communities, collaborating with a number of partner organisations, businesses and other universities.

AECC University College's facilities include the on-site Chiropractic Clinic, School of Medical Ultrasound with specialist imaging services, and the Bournemouth Open Upright MRI facility. Alumni, research and collaborations span many countries and continents which gives emphasis to AECC University College's reputation as global leaders in their specialist areas. The University College has a history of innovation and is the sum of all its students, staff and alumni who have shaped and are shaping the fields of health sciences.

Find out more about AECC University College: www.aecc.ac.uk