

# Shriners Get Healthy

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Shriners Had Display at Fall River Health Fair

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From 9am to 1pm, they were kept busy answering questions and telling about the 22 hospitals run by the Shriners and passing out literature about the hospitals. The best part of all a bill is never sent to the parents of any child treated regardless of the cost of treatment. They take any child under the age of 18 from anywhere in the world. These hospitals are the most advanced as most of them are teaching hospitals with the most advanced methods of treatment. They also answered questions about the different projects run by the Shrine Club for the benefit of the community.

Planning for this event starts in January as the posters and literature has to be sent for. The Fair was well attended by the public and was a chance to explain the working of the Club.

It was also a great way to advance the soda can pull-tab program, the Campbell Soup Label program along with the collecting of stuffed toys that are given to the police departments. For information on these programs and others call 508-999-1938.



Pictured Left to Right with the Shrine display at the Health Fair in Fall River: Angelo Puento and Ralph Brown .