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**Carnegie Hall Comes to Jacobi Medical Center**

*Jacobi Partners with Musical Connections to Bring Music to Community and Patients*

**BRONX, NY**, March, 25, 2010 – Jacobi Medical Center invites community members to a free concert featuring The Lascivious Biddies on Wednesday, May 19 at the Jacobi Rotunda. Light refreshments and health information will be provided at 9:30 a.m. with the performance following at 10:30 a.m. The Rotunda is located on the Jacobi campus at 1400 Pelham Parkway South.

The Biddies' irrepressible sound has earned them an avid following throughout the U.S. Blending jazz, pop, and cabaret with soaring harmonies, this all female trio demonstrates both expert musicianship and sharp wit. They have performed at some of the nation's hottest venues, from the Kennedy Center to Birdland, and have appeared with Bobby Flay on Food Nation and on the Discovery Channel. Their music is featured often on NPR and the BBC.

In October, Musical Connections, a program of The Weill Music Institute at Carnegie Hall, partnered with Jacobi to offer free concerts and musical workshops on the campus. This concert will be the final performance in the series at Jacobi for the season.

“Our partnership with Carnegie Hall enables us to bring beautiful musical experiences to our campus,” said Barbara DeIorio, Director of Public Relations. “These concerts are a joy and a delight for our patients, visitors, and our staff.”

Admission for the May 19<sup>th</sup> concert is free of charge. Due to space limitations, it is kindly requested that you please RSVP by May 12<sup>th</sup> to (718) 918-3827.



Caption: The Lascivious Biddies will perform at Jacobi Medical Center's Rotunda on May 19<sup>th</sup> as part of Musical Connections, a program of The Weill Music Institute at Carnegie Hall.

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About Jacobi Medical Center

Jacobi Medical Center is part of HHC's North Bronx Healthcare Network, which includes North Central Bronx Hospital. A 457-bed teaching hospital affiliated with the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Jacobi offers numerous centers of excellence including its renowned trauma center, multi-person hyperbaric unit, burn center, surgical intensive care unit, stroke center and regional perinatal center. Jacobi's new Ambulatory Care Pavilion is a stunning complement to its recently constructed inpatient facility and allows staff to provide outpatients with high-quality care in a modern, state-of-the-art environment.

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