



A Cure for Atrial Fibrillation? (AF)

Join nationally known speaker and AF survivor Mellanie True Hills, cardiothoracic surgeon Manak Sood, MD and cardiologist Jihn Han, MD for a FREE lecture to learn the new state-ofthe-art procedure being offered to patients.

Mellanie True Hills





Atrial fibrillation affects over two million Americans and is the most common type of abnormal heart rhythm in the elderly. If left untreated, AF can lead to stroke and congestive heart failure.

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System offers a new minimally invasive surgical procedure called the "Wolf-Mini-Maze" that has the potential to cure AF.

This procedure allows patients to discontinue many of the medications they use for existing AF and to potentially stop the use of blood thinners altogether.

Thursday, March 4, 2010 6 - 8:30 p.m.

Registration/Refreshments: 6 p.m. • Lecture: 6:30 p.m.

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Ann Arbor Education Center – Auditorium, 5305 Elliott Drive, Ypsilanti

Registration Required

Log on to **simercyhealth.org** and click on "Classes and Events" or call **800-231-2211**. Register early, space is limited.