March is Deep-Vein Thrombosis Awareness Month

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DVT Facts

- DVT stands for deep vein thrombosis. DVT is a blood clot in the deep veins, usually in the leg.
- According to the American Heart Assoc., DVT occurs in about 2 million Americans every year.¹
- If a DVT breaks loose and travels to the lungs, it is called a pulmonary embolus (PE).
- PEs can be immediately fatal and are responsible for about 300,000 deaths in the U.S. each year — more than breast cancer and AIDS combined.²³
- DVT & PE can be prevented and treated with anticoagulant medications.
- You can learn more about DVT and get answers to your questions at www.clotcare.com.


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