

# ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2016

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

## Guidelines

### Entry Submission

Submit one entry per department. Please fill out the application and email it to Rashna Barge at [rbarge@houstonmethodist.org](mailto:rbarge@houstonmethodist.org) by **Monday, March 7**.

### Judging:

Blind judging begins at 11:30 a.m. Judges will be members of the HMSL Hospital staff, HMSL Hospital Board and from the Fort Bend Community. Each sample cup will be provided to the judges and will be marked with the number of your table.

### Awards:

There will be four awards:

- Best Overall Chili
- Best Vegetarian Chili
- Hottest Chili
- Most Creative Table Presentation

### Participation:

- A 6-ft. table for each entry will be set up in the Main Pavilion next to the connector to the Brazos Pavilion.
- One table per entry will be available to decorate at 9 a.m. on the day of the event. Please have your table decorated before 11:15 a.m.
- Everyone may dress appropriately for the table theme, in accordance with our Houston Methodist professional dress code standards.
- **Make plenty of chili for others to sample and set some aside for the judges!**

### We will provide:

- Table and white table cloth
- Electrical outlet for each entry
- 2 oz. sample cups, spoons and napkins
- Numbered sign for your table

### Don't forget:

- **Submit application by Monday, March 7.**
- Decorate table between 9 – 11:15 a.m. on the day of the event.
- Prepare chili beforehand in a crockpot.

Questions? Call EAC Chair Rashna Barge at 281.275.0709.