

Gunther von Hagens'  
**BODY WORLDS**  
The Original Exhibition of Real Human Bodies  
& The Story of the Heart

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## Stress Management Week at the Buffalo Museum of Science

BUFFALO, NY (July 20, 2009) - *BODY WORLDS & The Story of the Heart* has designated July 27<sup>th</sup>-August 2<sup>nd</sup> as "Stress Management Week" at the Buffalo Museum of Science. A wide variety of programming will take place, centering around events designed to relieve stress. All activities are free and open to the public with paid admission to the Museum of Science or *BODY WORLDS*.

The week's programming includes:

**MONDAY-FRIDAY: July 27<sup>th</sup>-July 31<sup>st</sup>**

Santangelo Spa Salon and Clinic will be raffling off a mini-spa day package in the museum foyer. No purchase necessary.

**MONDAY-SUNDAY: July 27<sup>th</sup>- August 2<sup>nd</sup>**

New York Institute of Massage will be in the museum foyer from 10am-6pm to offer free massages.

**WEDNESDAY: JULY 29<sup>TH</sup> 6pm-7pm**

Health Talk Series: Kaleida Health, William E. Boden, MD, FACC  
"Heart Health for Men and Women for All Ages"

**FRIDAY: JULY 31<sup>TH</sup> 6pm-7pm**

Chateau Buffalo will be hosting a wine tasting on the first floor of the museum featuring local heart healthy wines.

**About *BODY WORLDS*:**

*Gunther von Hagens' BODY WORLDS & The Story of the Heart*, the international museum blockbuster seen by over 28 million people worldwide, is now open for the first time in New York at the Buffalo Museum of Science for a limited engagement.

This innovative public exhibition offers insights on the human body and disease with a special focus on the heart – an organ that is usually ignored until it suffers from distress and disease.

The exhibit features more than 200 authentic human specimens including whole bodies that have been transformed through Plastination—the groundbreaking science of preserving anatomical specimens invented by Dr. Gunther von Hagens in 1977.

Contrary to any other exhibit, *Gunther von Hagens' BODY WORLDS* is the only anatomical exhibition featuring bodies willed by donors during their lifetime, for the express purpose of serving *BODY WORLDS'* mission to educate the public about health and anatomy. *BODY WORLDS* maintains a body donation program with more than 10,000 registered donors. It is currently on display at the Buffalo Museum of Science, 1020 Humboldt Parkway, Buffalo, New York, 14211.