



American **Stroke** Association。







## Why Participate?

- Fact, HBP IS a risk factor leading to heart disease and stroke.
- Alabama has one of the highest rates of hypertension in the U.S.
- HBP shows no symptoms, African Americans and Hispanics are
  at high risk. In African Americans it is higher and even affects
  younger ages such as overweight pre-teens.\*

\*Based on a study by The American Heart Association

## Benefits of Program:

Mentor assisted - trained volunteers to help, encourage and guide

- participants.

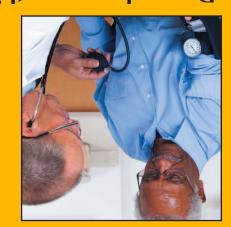
   Workshops Exercises
- Stress Reduction Cooking Demos

Incentives are offered to participants who check their blood pressure regularly. Additional incentives are awarded to those who complete all four months. Cookbooks, pedometers, exercise bands and more.

## START NOW!

Just sign up remember it's **FREE**, at: **JA\gvo.006** 

For additional information or questions about Check. Change. Control<sup>TM</sup> E-mail: monique.wilson@heart.org or call 205-510-1533 or mail to: American Heart Association 9154 East Chase Pkwy #366 Montgomery, AL 36117



## Shhh...Do you hear something? No? That's because high blood pressure has no sound, signs or symptoms. But with The American Heart Association's with The American Heart Association's can take charge of your heart health and beat this silent killer.

This **FREE** 4 month program teaches you how to:

- **Check**: free tools and charts at **heart360.org/AL**. Your own private medical chart to keep track of your blood pressure numbers, foods, exercises and more.
- Change: assisted by your health mentor who will teach you what you can do to manage your high blood pressure.
- Control: by understanding the risk factors and tracking your progress you can beat this silent killer.