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## Senator Klein Hosts Women's Wellness Lunch, Commemorating Bronx Women's Wellness Week

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**BRONX, NY** - Senator Klein hosted a luncheon on Saturday commemorating participation by nearly 200 Bronx women in *Women's Wellness Week*, a project launched by the US Department of Health and run by Urban Health Plan and the YMCA. Last year, Senator Klein secured \$50,000 in funding to support Urban Health Plan's *Women's Wellness Week* program, which consisted of free health screenings, exercise classes and counseling aimed at helping women develop healthy habits.

At the luncheon, Senator Klein applauded women for making their health a priority and presented certificates of recognition to each of the attendees.

**State Senator Jeff Klein said,** “For so many, the stresses of work and family can oftentimes mean that our personal health comes at the bottom of our list of priorities. However, the research is clear: developing healthy habits is critical to the overall health and well-being of our families and communities. That’s why I was proud to secure funding to support *Women’s Wellness Week* here in the Bronx. *Women’s Wellness Week* is a fantastic project that provides both education tools for how to stay healthy while also giving women a forum for focusing on their health in a fun, open environment.”