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Volunteers strengthening individuals and families through education, leadership and action.

What is HCE?

The Florida Association of Home & Community Education (FAHCE) and the Orange County Association of Home & Community Education (HCE) are volunteer educational groups working under the umbrella of University of Florida IFAS Extension. These volunteers come together to experience personal growth and leadership development, develop friendships and have fun, and to help extend "Extension" research.

The **Orange County Association of Home & Community Education (OCHCE)** is a program of continuing education in all aspects of home and community. The organization's ultimate mission is for HCE members to improve their community, empower others to do the same, and enrich their lives through research-based information, leadership, and community service. Orange County HCE is open to everyone regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap. Annual dues are \$15.00.

Monthly researched-based educational programs, leadership development, and community service projects provide OCHCE members opportunities to apply this information in their homes and communities. Monthly programs focus on the latest information related to **nutrition, wellness, family resource management, and natural resources.**

Community service and activities include educating and assisting seniors and veterans as well as:

**Arnold Palmer Hospital
Give Kids the World
Beta House
The Children's Home**

Members are also invited to participate in annual HCE District and State conferences and trainings.



**We invite you to join us at a meeting.
The Orange County HCE Association meets
at 10:00 am on the 1st Tuesday of the
month (except in July & August) at the:**

**University of Florida IFAS Extension
Education Center
6021 S. Conway Road
Orlando, FL 32812
<http://orange.ifas.ufl.edu/>**

Other HCE meeting locations and programs:

**3rd Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.—Noon
Renaissance HCE Unit Meeting
Renaissance Senior Center**

**4th Wednesday, 11:00 a.m.—Noon
Wellness Program sponsored by HCE
Renaissance Senior Center**

**3800 S Econlockhatchee Trail
Orlando, FL 32829**