stroke won’t wait. neither should you.

THE SIGNS OF STROKE ARE NOT ALWAYS OBVIOUS. IF YOU SUSPECT A STROKE, CALL 911. THE MEETING CAN WAIT.

Stroke is largely treatable when you recognize the signs and respond F.A.S.T. (Face drooping. Arm weakness. Speech difficulty. Time to call 911.) It might save a life, possibly yours.

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Fill in the blanks below to create your stroke hero story on the back.

1. A Girl’s Name _____________________________
2. A Place ___________________________________
3. A Greeting ________________________________
4. Noun (Person, Place or thing) ____________________
5. Color _____________________________________
6. Animal ___________________________________
7. Food _____________________________________
8. Activity ___________________________________
finish your stroke hero story

Use the words from the front to fill in the blanks below and complete the story.

I ran into _______________ at the _______________. Seeing her, I said “Hello!”

(Girl’s Name) (Place)

She thought she was saying “______________,” but what I heard was,

(Greeting)

“________________________.” I noticed that her smile was crooked, and then she

(Noun) (Color) (Animal)

dropped her _______________ on the ground. I remembered that face drooping,

(Food)

arm weakness, and speech difficulty are signs of a stroke. I told her we

needed to get help. She wanted to finish her _______________, but I insisted

(Activity)
on calling 911 immediately because stroke won’t wait.

World Stroke Day is October 29th

Stroke is the No. 5 cause of death in the U.S., and a leading cause of preventable disability.

Today, stroke is more treatable than ever. If you spot signs of stroke, call 911. Don’t delay. The sooner you get treatment, the better potential outcome.

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