# DO YOU HAVE CONCERNS about falling?



Many older adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. A MATTER OF BALANCE is an award-winning program designed to manage falls and increase activity levels.

#### This program emphasizes practical strategies to manage falls.

#### YOU WILL LEARN TO:

- view falls as controllable
- set goals for increasing activity
- make changes to reduce fall risks at home
- exercise to increase strength and balance

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- anyone concerned about falls
- anyone interested in improving balance, flexibility and strength
- anyone who has fallen in the past
- anyone who has restricted activities because of falling concerns





SIGN UP FOR CLASSES AT FRONT DESK OF YWCO For More Information Contact Ashlee Dearman: Phone: (228)868-2311 Email: Adearman@smpdd.com >> SPACE IS LIMITED <<

## >> Workshop Location: YWCO of Laurel

428 W. Oak Street Laurel, MS 39440 >> Workshop Dates: October 9, 16, 23, 30 November 6, 13 Completion Party: November 20 >> Workshop Time: 1:00PM

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#### A Matter of Balance Lay Leader Model

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