



HEART ATTACK SURVIVOR

Beats the Odds and Thanks Rescue Crew

CPR Can Save A Life

The Life Can Be The Life Of
A Loved One



The majority of cardiac arrests occur in the home.

Learn CPR for FREE through the Weston CPR Safe Community Initiative.

Contact BSO Fire Rescue – Weston 954-389-2015



Frank Diaz, 48, survived potentially fatal heart attack due to CPR and early advanced life support care.



On May 25th, Frank Diaz went into cardiac arrest while in his doctor's office. The staff immediately initiated CPR and called 9-1-1. BSO Fire

Rescue crews were quickly on-scene and a heartbeat restored. Mr. Diaz was transported to Cleveland Clinic in critical condition.

Frank Diaz was one of the lucky ones. He visited Station #81 on July 6th to thank crews who responded to his call. Currently, only 6% of people who suffer a heart attack outside of a hospital survive it. Just 48 years of age with a wife and two young children, Frank has a lot of living left to do. The entire family expressed their gratitude.

Fire Rescue needs your help. It is immediate bystander CPR that can make a dramatic difference between life and death. Hands-Only CPR chest compressions and rapid defibrillation with an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) or by EMS, are the first critical components in the *Chain of Survival*. The chain is then completed with early advance life support care by paramedics and getting the patient to the hospital. Let's raise the survival rate.