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See community partner announcements below and notify me if you would like to add anything.

Don't forget to [become a Frontiers member](#) and follow us on all social media:

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Age of Pleasure Workshop Series



Join the Emily Taylor Center for Women & Gender Equity GEMS (Gifted Empowered Motivated Sisters) and KU HERO for the Age of Pleasure workshop series. The workshop explores and discusses sexual pleasure, health relational boundaries, communication and consent. [Registration](#) is preferred but not required for October 26th in the KU Memorial Union Jayhawk Room.



SAVE THE DATE!

2024 Frontiers Research Symposium and Poster Session



Frontiers Annual Research Symposium will take place March 6th at the Children's Mercy Research Institute. Make sure you [become a Frontiers member](#) so you have access to register before anyone else!





2024-2028 Community Health Improvement Plan Kick-Off Session
 Thu, Oct 19, 8:30 AM
 KCKPS Central Office • Kansas City, KS
 Free



Safe & Affordable Housing Community Session 1 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Wed, Oct 25, 10:00 AM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Jobs & Education Community Session 1 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Wed, Oct 25, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Violence Prevention Community Session 1 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Wed, Oct 25, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Health Care Access Community Session 1 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Thu, Oct 26, 10:00 AM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Behavioral Health Community Session 1 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Thu, Oct 26, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Health Care Access Community Session 2 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Mon, Nov 6, 10:00 AM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Jobs & Education Community Session 2 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Mon, Nov 6, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Violence Prevention Community Session 2 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Mon, Nov 6, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Safe & Affordable Housing Community Session 2 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Tue, Nov 7, 10:00 AM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free



Behavioral Health Community Session 2 | 2024-2028 CHIP
 Tue, Nov 7, 1:00 PM
 Kansas City, Kansas Public Library South Branch Library • ...
 Free

Wyandotte County is holding [Community Health Improvement Planning \(CHIP\)](#) planning sessions. For links to register to each one go to [the Eventbrite page](#) here.

Share Your Thoughts to Guide Research in the Community

What is the study? We are inviting Black and African American community members to share their thoughts about a new type of research. Genes provide the instructions for our bodies to grow and work. Research studies can now look at how our experiences might impact our genes and, ultimately, our health. We want to hear your thoughts about this research – including ways it can be used or misused.

Why is it being done? Health disparities exist for people of color. Research that looks at how life experiences impact genes and health can find ways to help with these disparities. Research can also have risks of harm for participants and communities. By listening to and learning from community members, our team will guide research to maximize benefits and avoid harms for participants and communities.

Who is doing this? The study is being done by researchers with advisors from the Community Advisory Board (CAB) at Children's Mercy. The CAB is a multicultural group of community members who do not work at Children's Mercy, but partner with and advise researchers.

- What is involved?**
- We will ask you to join a 90-minute focus group with other community members.
 - During the audio-recorded focus group we will share examples of research and ask questions for the group to discuss.
 - You do not need to know about genetics or research to join. You only need to be willing to talk with other community members and share your thoughts and opinions. There are no right or wrong answers.
 - You can choose to attend a focus group at a location in Kansas City or attend an online focus group.

- What will I receive for participating?**
- You will receive a \$75 gift card.
 - Food, drinks, and childcare will be provided during in-person groups.

How do I sign up? Click [here](#) or use the camera on your phone to scan the QR code in the box to the right. It will take you to a survey to answer a few questions **about** yourself. We will then contact you to find a focus group date and time that works for you.



You may also call Study Coordinator, Tammy Baisey, at 816-302-3505.

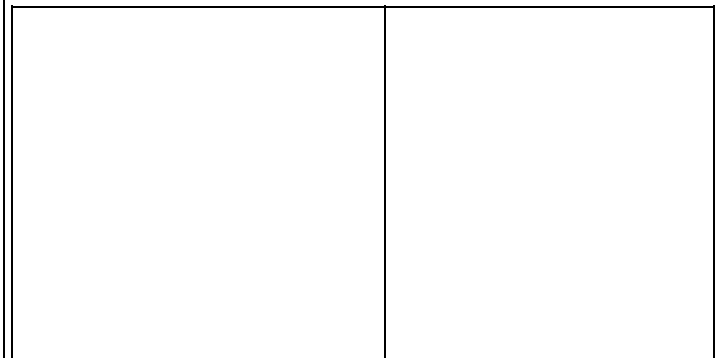


The Community Advisory Board of Children's Mercy



KU MEDICAL CENTER

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, & INCLUSION



Kansas City has a study that requires your help! [Click here](#) if interested & share with your African-American community.

Presenting Sponsor
Jewish Federation OF GREATER KANSAS CITY

For more information and tickets, [click here](#).

Discover KU Health Programs Day
Tuesday, October 9, 2023
9:30 am - 1:30 pm

WE LOVE VOLUNTEERS

DISCOVER KU'S HEALTH PROGRAMS

Description
Discover KU Health's unique programs with a focus on underserved populations from 100+ health of partner entities. High school seniors will receive a tour of the research center, training, interactive learning through direct experience and participation in the history and current research.

Interested in learning more or volunteering?
Contact Alex Lopez
alex.lopez@ku.edu

Contact Alex Lopez for more information.

JUNTOS Por la Salud de su Cerebro le invita a una:
NOCHE DE CHA-CHA-CHA

19 DE OCTUBRE
148 N Topping Ave
Kansas City, MO 64123
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

¡We esperamos en Mattie Rhodes en nuestro próximo evento de salud y baile!
¿Sabía que el bailar es un buen ejercicio para el cuerpo y el cerebro?

Si es cuidador de un familiar o persona cercana con algún tipo de demencia, no está sola. Lo esperamos a usted y a su familiar a disfrutar de una noche agradable.

Tendremos disponible:

- Clase de baile gratis
- Bocadillos
- Regalos
- Vacunas del Flu
- Exámenes del azúcar (A1C)
- Tomas de presión arterial e Índice de Masa Corporal
- Vacunas y pruebas del COVID-19
- Conexión a recursos de salud.

Pruebas del COVID-19 para llevarse a casa Evento abierto al público SIN COSTO

Heart to Heart | Juntos | MATTIE RHODES

DISTRIBUCIÓN DE COMIDA

Tendremos despensas para las personas que se vacunen.

PROTEGETE DE LA GRIPE

Vacunas de la influenza para personas de 5 años en adelante

Sábado, 28 de Octubre
11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Iglesia Sagrado Corazón
2646 S 34th St Kansas City, KS 66106

Pruebas de A1C (glucosa), presión arterial e Índice de Masa Corporal sin costo.

Vacunas del COVID-19 para personas de 5 años en adelante.

Pruebas del COVID-19 para llevarse a su casa.

EVENTO GRATIS

@juntosks

JUNTOS for Brain Health invites you to a:
NOCHE DE CHA-CHA-CHA

19 OCTOBER
148 N Topping Ave
Kansas City, MO 64123
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

¡We look forward to seeing you at Mattie Rhodes at our next health and dance event!
Did you know that dancing is a good exercise for the body and brain?

If you are a caregiver of a family member or loved one with dementia, you are not alone. We look forward to see you and your family to enjoy a fun night.

We will be offering:

- Free dance lessons
- Snacks
- Gifts
- Flu vaccines
- Blood sugar tests (A1C)
- Blood pressure and BMI's
- COVID-19 vaccines and tests
- Connection with health resources

COVID-19 take home tests Open to the public AT NO COST

Heart to Heart | Juntos | MATTIE RHODES

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

We will have food boxes for those who get vaccinated.

PROTECT YOURSELF AGAINST THE FLU

Flu vaccines for people 5 years and older

Saturday, October 28th
11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Sacred Heart Church
2646 S 34th St Kansas City, KS 66106

A1C tests (glucose), blood pressure exams and BMI readings.

COVID-19 vaccines for people 5 years and older

COVID-19 at home tests.

FREE EVENT

@juntosks

For more information on this October 19th event, please contact [Griselda Jimenez](#).

For more information on this October 28th event, please contact [Griselda Jimenez](#).

FRONTIERS CLINICAL & TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE INSTITUTE
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

Research & Discovery Grand Rounds

On Nov 16th from 12-1pm the Research & Discover Grand Rounds will feature a panel discussion: *Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in the Faculty Research Workforce: Call to Action*

[Click here](#) to register for this event.

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10/7/2023 9 AM - 12 PM Saturday, October 7 Christ First Ministries 223 N. Necon Ave Bonner Springs, KS 68012								
10/14/2023 9 AM - 1 PM Saturday, October 14 Argentine Community Center 2810 Metropolitan Ave Kansas City, KS 66108								
10/14/2023 10 AM - 1 PM Saturday, October 14 Willa Gill Service Center 545 Nebraska Ave Kansas City, KS 66101								
10/21/2023 9 AM - 1 PM Saturday, October 21 Guiding Star Missionary Baptist Church 3035 N. 27th Street Kansas City, KS 66104								
10/28/23 11 AM - 2 PM Saturday, October 28 Sacred Heart Catholic Church 2646 S. 34th Street Kansas City, KS 66106								

Register: sophhealth.info/vision

Last updated: October 6, 2023

This is the October calendar for the five Neighborhood-Based Clinics happening in Wyandotte County. For questions, [email Rachel Hostetler](#).



Clinical & Translational Science Institute:
Community Engagement Program

**BUILDING A CULTURE OF COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT SPEAKER SERIES**

**Building a Successful Long-Term
Community Academic Partnership:
the Ramah Navajo-UNM Family
Listening Program**

**Thursday, October 19, 2023
5:00 - 6:00 PM**

Participants will:

- Understand basic CBPR practices and principles.
- Describe UNM's "Engage for Equity" best partnering practices to promote community capacity in health equity.
- Hear about collaborative strategies from the Family Listening project.

Find more information about the [Engaging for Equity model](#) and resources here, and check out the [UNM Center for Participatory Research website](#).

SPEAKERS



Nina Wallerstein
Professor and Director, Center for Participatory Research, University of New Mexico

Kayetrina Raphaelito
Community Prevention Specialist
Ramah Navajo Family Listening Program

MODERATED BY



Astraea Augsberger
BU CTSI CE Program, BU School of Social Work

REGISTER:

Scan the QR code, [click this registration link](#), or email [Jorma McSwiggan](mailto:jormamh@bu.edu) at jormamh@bu.edu.



The Building a Culture of Community Engagement Speaker Series is a virtual event held on the 3rd Thursday of each month and open to the public. Join us from 5:00 - 6:00 PM for a moderated discussion. [Recordings of every session are posted here.](#)

Email [Jorma McSwiggan](mailto:jormamh@bu.edu) for more information and to register.



Presents

**ENDING THE DIAGNOSTIC
ODYSSEY AND NAVIGATING
THE LIFESPAN OF RARE DISEASE**

2023 Summit

October 26th - 27th, 2023
at the Children's Mercy Research Institute

rarekc.org

This annual symposium will convene various rare disease experts and stakeholders to explore cutting-edge diagnostic technology and innovate rare disease practices. To register, [click here](#). For a list of all the summit speakers, [click here](#).

In Collaboration,

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