

# Issues/Programs Report    October - December 2016

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The following are significant problems and needs in the WMXJ service area as identified by listeners and show guests. Under each, described are illustrative programs addressing these problems and needs. This list is not intended to be all inclusive, but is representative of the responsive programming broadcast on WMXJ.

The issues were discussed on the program *Community Action Show*, on the dates and times indicated. Unless otherwise noted, each program is one half-hour in length, locally originated, and is hosted by the station's Public Affairs Correspondents.

## **October 2, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Healthcare**

Bake, Decorate, Celebrate

Chef Nancy Siler talks about National Baking Month and how to kick off the holiday season with special recipes, party planning and some of her favorite baking tips with an eye on budget and healthy eating.

## **October 2, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Non-Profits/Community Involvement**

The Smart Ride 2016

Rob Bullock, Director of Development of Broward House and Victor Diaz-Herman, CEO at Pridelines, Miami, speak about the upcoming bike ride fundraiser for AIDS Service Organizations including how it started, how it works and who it benefits.

## **October 9, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. - Healthcare**

Gluten

Dr. Janet Angel, Biochemist and Nutritional Expert, talks about gluten, explaining the difference between allergy and intolerance and breaks down the gluten-free fad diet that is sweeping much of the nation.

## **October 9, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Housing/Homeless**

Miami Rescue Mission/Broward Outreach

Marilyn Brummet, Development Director at Miami Rescue, talks about their latest initiative Pack the Pantry, to help them feed the homeless. They provide 300 to 600 meals a day. They also shelter, train and hire them.

## **October 16, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. - Drugs/Crime**

Drug Free America

Keith Code, Ambassador for the Drug Free America Foundation, speaks about the prevalence of drugs in schools, including the most common opiate drugs, how kids are getting their hands on them and how the opioid crisis has gripped the nation.

## **October 16, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Education/Crime**

Youth Crime Watch of Miami-Dade

Joel Mesa, Education Director and School Coordinator, talks about their mission to help keep kids safe in school and how they spread the word of anti-bullying, crime prevention and their upcoming Red Ribbon Week Campaign that promotes just say no to drugs.

**October 23, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Healthcare**

NORML

Karen Goldstein and Raymer Maguire, with the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws, speak about the upcoming amendment on the ballot that would call for legalizing marijuana for medicinal purposes and how the passage would help so many who have diseases.

**October 23, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Traffic/Transportation**

Miami-Dade County's Department of Transportation and Public Works

Alice Bravo, Director, gives an update on their newest innovations, including new apps that have the latest traffic info for commuters. They also have upgraded traffic signals throughout the county and are providing discounts to transit riders with Easy Cards.

**October 30, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Healthcare**

Probiotics

Natasha Trenev, a Probiotics scholar, author, developmental scientist and health activist, discusses the ways that probiotics can help an individual's overall health and digestion and how to find the right ones for each individual's needs.

**October 30, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Crime/Drugs/Safety**

Miami Dade Police Department Narcotics Bureau

Lt. Juan Villalba and Major Jesus Ramirez talk about the opioid epidemic in South Florida, explaining how the different opioids get in the hands of young adults and how the Police Department is trying to help with Operation Pill Drop to collect unwanted prescription medicines.

**November 6, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Healthcare**

Weight loss/Telehealth

Joey Dewick, founder of [www.buddy.com](http://www.buddy.com), the internet's number one diet aid, gives a few tips on how to avoid over-eating over the holidays and Bill Manzie with Memorial Healthcare System discusses their telehealth initiative.

**November 6, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Housing/Homeless/Non-Profits**

Rotary Club of Ft. Lauderdale/Cypress Creek

Randy Friedlander, President, and Garth Friesen, Coordinator for Bikes for Humanity Outreach, discuss how their club helps many causes, including how they help feed the homeless, help kids in need with backpacks, and collect bikes for those living in poverty..

**November 13, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Healthcare**

Heart Health

Dr. Aimee Shunny, Heart Health specialist and leading cardiologist, speaks about how heart disease is the number one killer of women and how important diet is to be heart healthy. She also gives tip on how to avoid rich foods over the holidays.

**November 13, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Jobs/Employment**

JobNewsUSA

Tiffany Price, Job Fair Director, talks about the upcoming Job Fair that has over 1000 jobs available. She also outlines tips on how to stand out and get hired and how South Florida is faring in the job market.

**November 20, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Community Involvement/Homeless**

Feeding South Florida

Laura Goodman, Director of Engagement for Nosh Fest and Roni Setrin, Vendor Coordinator, talk about the upcoming event that brings people out to raise money to help Feeding South Florida while providing them with a wide array of foods to enjoy in a day-long family friendly event.

**November 20, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Zika/ Healthcare**

Miami Dade Department of Solid Waste Management Mosquito Control

Frank Calderon Communications Manager and James Richard, Information Officer, discuss the ongoing battle against the mosquito that carries the Zika virus including the various pesticides they use and how people can help in the fight by draining any water anywhere.

**November 27, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. - Healthcare**

Holiday Stress/Animals

Dr. Jennifer Chatfield, an instructor for FEMA agro-terrorism courses, National Disaster Medicine Team Member and staff veterinarian for 4J Conservation Center, talks about how to keep your pets safe over the holidays by avoiding stress and table scraps and she also gives the top reasons animals end up in the hospital this time of year.

**November 27, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Non-Profits**

World AIDS Day

Ken Rapkin, Executive Director, the Campbell Foundation and Hugh Beswick, CEO of the World AIDS Museum and Educational Center, discuss how the Campbell Foundation awards grants to AIDS researchers and how the Museum not only features AIDS history but also works to create awareness that the battle still continues today.

**December 4, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Non-Profits/Safety**

Kids in Distress of Broward and Palm Beach

Mark Dhooge, President and CEO, talks about how they provide community based programs for at-risk kids including pre-school and after school care and their plans to help those in need over the holidays.

**December 4, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Non-Profits/Drugs**

Faith Farm Ministries

Dean Webb, Executive Director, talks about the ever-present need to help those addicted to drugs to recover and get rehabilitated. He explains how Faith Farm provides nine months of shelter, education and job training to get people back on their feet for free and how they welcome donations and shoppers to their thrift stores

**December 11, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. – Health**

Flu Season/Natural Medicine

Dr. Cass Ingram, Natural Medicine advocate and author, gives tips on how to stay healthy during the cold and flu season and talks about healthy eating, herbs and the power of wild oregano.

**December 11, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Traffic/Safety**

Neat Streets Miami

Patrice Gillespie Smith, Manager, discusses how she is leading the Safer People Safer Streets Initiative with a 50 point action plan and the help of 22 local community leaders. It's all to keep pedestrians, bicyclists as well as motorists safe.

**December 18, 5:00 a.m. – 30 min. - Healthcare**

Holiday Heartburn

Dr. David Magnano, Health Educator and one of the nation's top Chiropractic Physicians with 30 years of experience, talks about the importance of paying attention to heartburn, and how certain foods can cause it and how it can be a sign of other health issues.

**December 18, 5:30 a.m. – 30 min. – Community Involvement**

Miami Dade Animal Services

Lillian Bohorquez, Communications Manager, talks about the special "Pets are Priceless" promotion with waived adoption fees through the end of the month, and urges people to consider hard-to-adopt older and bigger dogs. They also welcome volunteers.