



**ISSUES AND PROGRAM REPORT
FOR**

**STATIONS KITS FM, KITS HD1, KITS HD2
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**3rd QUARTER, 2022
(July – September 2022)**

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PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMS

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PROGRAMS THAT
ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES**

KCBS In Depth

Sundays at 6am and 6:30am. Locally-produced commercial-free half-hour news interview program produced by KCBS staff with various authors, professors, public officials, and community organizations regarding issues of local and national concern. Show produced by KCBS News San Francisco and hosted by Keith Manconi.

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ADDRESSED IN RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING IN THE
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QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT

3rd Quarter 2022
(July - September 2022)

MOST SIGNIFICANT ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING

ISSUE: Post-Roe America Comes into Focus

KCBS In Depth (replay from 06/26/22)

July 3, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

The Supreme Court's landmark ruling this past Friday put an end to nearly fifty years of federal protections for abortion rights in the US, and already many states are getting ready to impose full abortion bans. That alone represents a monumental shift in American life, but the full consequences of the court's decision are likely to be even more far reaching. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we discuss what changes are likely to come in a post-Roe America. Guests: Dr. Jennifer Kerns, professor of obstetrics and gynecology, director

of the Complex Family Planning Fellowship, UC San Francisco Rory Little, law professor, UC Hastings College of the Law Shannon Minter, legal director, National Center for Lesbian Rights. Host: Keith Menconi

ISSUE: "Is that bot sentient?" and other pressing AI questions

KCBS In Depth

July 3, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we speak with the Google engineer who believes that an artificially intelligent language system developed by his company has become sentient. Meanwhile, his claims have spotlighted a broader conversation about the ethics of emerging AI technology, and we also discuss why many experts are raising concerns about the misuse of AI in everything from home appliances to automated surveillance. Guests: Blake Lemoine, engineer, Google Khari Johnson, senior writer covering artificial intelligence, WIRED. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: "Is that bot sentient?" and other pressing AI questions

KCBS In Depth (replay from 7/3/22)

July 10, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: The race to understand long Covid

KCBS In Depth

July 10, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

When it comes to long Covid we are woefully short on answers to even basic questions like what causes it, how it can be treated and who's most at risk. So on this edition of KCBS In Depth, we check in with some experts on the disease to hear from them what we do know so far and also what it's going to take to get a handle on this growing public health emergency. Guests: Dr. Michael Peluso, assistant professor of medicine, UC San Francisco Lisa McCorkell, co-founder, Patient-Led Research Collaborative. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi and Holly Quan.

ISSUE: The race to understand long Covid

KCBS In Depth (replay from 7/10/22)

July 17, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: The new emergency number for mental health crises

KCBS In Depth

July 17, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

Starting this weekend there is a new three digit emergency number to call, and this one is specifically tailored for people experiencing a mental health crisis. It's 988, and punching in those three digits will now put callers in touch with trained counselors ready to offer support and also referrals to local resources. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, as part of Audacy's national I'm Listening campaign to promote awareness around mental health topics, we discuss how 988 calls will work and why mental health advocates are hopeful that this new number could mark a major shift in the nation's approach to emergency response.

ISSUE: The new emergency number for mental health crises

KCBS In Depth (replay from 4/17/22)

July 24, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: Eight hearings later, what might happen next?

KCBS In Depth

July 24, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

The Jan. 6 House committee completed its eighth and final scheduled hearing this past Thursday evening, adding fresh revelations about the attack on the Capitol that followed the 2020 election. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we reflect on what those hearings have turned up and also discuss what the fallout might be. Guests: Zoe Lofgren, member, US Congress | member, House Jan. 6 committee Jamil Jaffer, law professor, George Mason University | founder and executive director, the university's National Security Institute. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: Eight hearings later, what might happen next?

KCBS In Depth (replay from 7/24/22)

July 31, 2022

6:00am

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ISSUE: Rebroadcast: What's wrong with the global supply chain?

KCBS In Depth

July 31, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

On this edition of KCBS In Depth that first broadcast earlier this year we take a grand tour of the global supply chain with Wall Street Journal technology columnist Christopher Mims. In his new book, "Arriving Today," he explains what keeps this finely tuned global system of container trucks, ships and warehouses running, and why so often over the past two years it's fallen short. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: Rebroadcast: What's wrong with the global supply chain?

KCBS In Depth (replay from 7/31/22)

July 7, 2022

6:00am

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ISSUE: Bay Area health experts on what went wrong in the monkeypox response.

KCBS In Depth

August 7, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

Facing growing calls to take more aggressive action to contain the monkeypox outbreak, the federal government this week declared a public health emergency, but advocates say this move should have come much sooner. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we check in with those on the front line of this growing health crisis to hear why they are disappointed with the government's response so far, and we also discuss what they'd like to see come next. Guest: Dr. Monica Gandhi, infectious disease physician, UC San Francisco Tyler TerMeer, CEO, San Francisco AIDS Foundation Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi and Kathy Novak.

ISSUE: Bay Area health experts on what went wrong in the monkeypox response.

KCBS In Depth (replay from 8/7/22)

August 14, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: How to fix the internet? Make it more like a public library

KCBS In Depth

August 14, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

These days, dissatisfaction with the internet is widespread, driven by an array of concerns from rampant hate speech to ubiquitous tracking and data harvesting. So far, most of the solutions that have been put forward involve either new regulations or schemes to break up internet monopolies, but writer Ben Tarnoff says that none of those fixes get at what is in his view the actual root of the problem: that is, that the internet that we have today is made for businesses and not people. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we discuss his new book, "Internet for the People: The Fight for our Digital Future," which lays out his case for taking the internet out of the hands of private enterprise and creating instead an internet that's run by public institutions. Guest:

Ben Tarnoff, co-founder, Logic Magazine | author, "Internet for the People: The Fight for our Digital Future". Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: How to fix the internet? Make it more like a public library

KCBS In Depth (replay from 8/14/22)

August 21, 2022

6:00am

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Future". Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: The "American cartel" behind the opioid epidemic

KCBS In Depth

August 21, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

Over the past two decades the opioid epidemic is believed to have claimed the lives of half-a-million Americans. It's a crisis that has been fueled by a seemingly limitless supply of pain pills that were manufactured, distributed and sold by legitimate businesses, some of them among the largest in the country. On this edition of KCBS In Depth we speak with two Washington Post investigative reporters about the great lengths the opioid industry went to to make sure that business as usual could continue even as overdose deaths began to skyrocket. Guests:Sari Horwitz and Scott Higham, the authors of "American Cartel: Inside the Battle to Bring Down the Opioid Industry". Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: The "American cartel" behind the opioid epidemic

KCBS In Depth (replay from 8/21/22)

August 28, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: Following setback, advocates continue push for safe injection sites

KCBS In Depth

August 28, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

It's been a goal of progressive advocates for years: creating so-called safe injection sites, where addicted drug users can find a safe space and clean needles as well as treatment in the case of an overdose. Supporters say these facilities save lives, but when a bill to legalize safe injection pilot programs came before Governor Newsom to sign, he vetoed it, citing concern over unintended consequences. All the same, as we discuss on this edition of KCBS In Depth, that veto may not be the end of the story. Guests: Laura Thomas, director of HIV and harm reduction policy, San Francisco AIDS Foundation Meryl

Kornfield, staff writer, The Washington Post. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: Following setback, advocates continue push for safe injection sites

KCBS In Depth(replay from 8/28/22)

September 4, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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reduction policy, San Francisco AIDS Foundation Meryl Kornfield, staff writer, The Washington Post. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: Dr. Thomas Insel on fixing our mental healthcare system

KCBS In Depth

September 4, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

The consequences of the nation's mental health crisis are plain to see: without adequate treatment and without safe places to find support, more and more people suffering from mental illness are ending up on the street or in jail. But despite everything that is going wrong, our guest on this edition of KCBS In Depth says that this is actually a moment to be hopeful. Guest: Dr. Thomas Insel, former head of the National Institute of Mental Health | author, "Healing: Our Path From Mental Illness to Mental Health". Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: Dr. Thomas Insel on fixing our mental healthcare system

KCBS In Depth(replay from 9/4/22)

September 11, 2022

6:00 a.m.

30Minutes

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Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: How did California's grid stand up to a week of historic heat?

KCBS In Depth

September 11, 2022

6:30 a.m.

30Minutes

On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we discuss the fallout from this record-setting heat wave and also hear why some worry that even after all the recent heat disasters, we're still not taking the dangers of extreme heat seriously enough. Guests: Daniel Kammen, professor of Energy, UC Berkeley | advisor, US Agency for International Development Kurt Shickman, director of Extreme Heat Initiatives, Adrienne Arsht-Rockefeller Foundation Resilience Center. Hosted by KCBS' Keith Menconi.

ISSUE: How did California's grid stand up to a week of historic heat?

KCBS In Depth (replay from 9/11/22)

September 18, 2022

6:00am

30 Minutes

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ISSUE: Tracing the roots of PG&E's many disasters

KCBS In Depth

September 18, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

The recent history of Pacific Gas and Electric has been riddled with foreseeable disasters and preventable tragedies. On this edition of KCBS In Depth, we discuss how it is that PG&E's reputation has become synonymous with negligence and calamity, and we also consider the company's latest efforts to turn things around. Guest: Katherine Blunt, energy reporter, The Wall Street Journal | author, "California Burning: The Fall of Pacific Gas and Electric — and What It Means for America's Power Grid". Host by KCBS' Keith Menconi

ISSUE: Audacy's "I'm Listening"

September 21, 2022

6:00pm

2 Hours

Audacy's flagship program created on the belief that the power of talk saves lives, is continuously committed to delivering more mental health conversations, resources and pathways to help over 200 million listeners. Each year, Audacy activates "I'm Listening" through national campaigns featuring artists, celebrities, and athletes who share their experiences with mental health. Partnering with the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP), these events help raise awareness and support of issues that we all face in our daily lives.

Kicking off the initiative, Audacy will broadcast and stream its sixth annual "I'm Listening" special, which will once again be co-hosted by Carson Daly, co-host of "TODAY" and "The Voice," radio personality and vocal advocate for mental health awareness, and by Dr. Alfiee M. Breland-Noble (Dr. Alfiee), a pioneering psychologist, author, scientist and founder of mental health nonprofit the AAKOMA Project. The special will feature a live national discussion bringing together artists, athletes, medical experts and others with honest conversations about mental health through

authentic, open dialogue led by some of the nation's top influencers.

The guests included in the broadcast are Carrie Underwood, Ed Sheeran, Adele, Vice President Kamala Harris, Lizzo, Ricky Williams, Maren Morris, Charlie Puth and Stephen A. Smith, who will share personal mental health stories. Also, AFSP's Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Christine Moutier, will be joining Katie Neal, host of Audacy's nationally syndicated country show "Katie + Company," in studio for the event. The pair will respond to caller questions and stories with real-time advice. The two-hour special will air nationwide on Wednesday, September 21 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. local time across more than 230 Audacy stations and will be live streamed via its digital app and website.

Also, returning to the Hollywood Bowl for its ninth year, the star-studded concert We Can Survive will take place on Saturday, October 22. Featured artists will include Alanis Morissette, Garbage, Halsey, OneRepublic, Weezer and more.

ISSUE: Tracing the roots of PG&E's many disasters

KCBS In Depth (replay from 9/18/22)

September 25, 2022

6:00am

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ISSUE: I'm Listening, Bay Area 2022

KCBS In Depth

September 25, 2022

6:30am

30 Minutes

This week on KCBS In Depth, we'll be switching up our format to present an hour of special programming featuring stories of mental health crisis and community resilience from right here in the Bay Area. It originally aired on September 21st, 2022 as part of the national I'm Listening campaign to promote awareness about suicide prevention and end stigma through conversation. Hosts by Keith Menconi and Melissa Culross.

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ORGANIZATION/EVENT

Audacy's "We're Listening"
The Legion of Honor San Francisco
Oakland First Fridays
St. Jude
The DeYoung Museum
San Francisco Legion of Honor
Habitat for Humanity
Childhood Immunization
Foster Care
The Jefferson Awards- KCBS/KPIX TV
Alameda's COVID-19 Hotline
The Alzheimer's Association
Free COVID-19 Coronavirus Testing
Buzzed Driving Prevention
Meals on Wheels
The American Cancer Society
The San Francisco SPCA
The Marin Humane Society
Cancer Prevention
Hunger Prevention
Guide Dogs for the Blind
Bay Area Food Banks
Breast Cancer Awareness
HIV-AIDS
United Way

