

Issues Today Quarterly Summary-2nd Quarter, 2022

1. Health
2. Youth
3. Education
4. Seniors
5. Climate Change
6. Ukraine War
7. Stress
8. Environment
9. COVID
10. Hunger

There were a total of 31 issues covered this quarter.

Issues Today 22-14

Date Aired: _____4/3/22_____ Time Aired: _____6AM_____

Length: 28 Min.

1. Regina Herzlinger, Healthcare Innovation Expert

She discussed the growing healthcare worker shortage. She also detailed some ways the situation can be improved.

Issues covered:

1. COVID
2. Economy

2. David Shepherd, VP of Ivanti & Harold Sinnott, Technology Expert

They commented on the future of workplaces. They also talked about the need for advanced communication systems.

Issues covered:

1. Communication
2. Unemployment

3. Dr. Michael Breus, Sleep Doctor and Clinical Psychologist

He gave some tips for the reduction of snoring. He also addressed other daytime uses for overnight snoring prevention devices.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Seniors

Issues Today 22-15

Date Aired: ____4/10/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____

Length: 28 Min.

1. Chris Orestis, President of Retirement Genius

He detailed some tax opportunities and traps for seniors. He also advised that all taxpayers should hire professionals to prepare returns.

Issues covered:

1. Taxes
2. Seniors

2. Katherine Wilmon, Founder and CEO of Family Heart & Dr. Mary McGowan

They discussed genetic heart disease. They also talked about symptoms that can affect patients.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

3. Peter Gros, Co-Host of Mutual of Omaha's Wildlife Kingdom

He talked about finding wildlife in backyards. He also discussed how kids can more involved with wildlife.

Issues covered:

1. Conservation
2. Youth

Issues Today 22-16

Date Aired: ____4/17/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Thomas Tighe, President and CEO of Direct Relief

He gave an update of the situation in Ukraine. He also detailed how people can give aid to the people there.

Issues covered:

1. Ukraine War
2. Philanthropic Aid

2. Dr. Catherine Athans, Psychologist

She gave some tips on how people can alleviate stress because of the Ukraine war. She also talked about how to talk to kids about stress.

Issues covered:

1. Ukraine War
2. Stress

3. Barry Williams, Christopher, Knight, Co-Hosts of The Real Brady Bros. Podcast

They talked about the podcast that explores their experiences filming the Brady Bunch series. They also commented on their education experiences while on set.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Communication

Issues Today 22-17

Date Aired: ____4/24/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Isaac Stonefish, Researcher and Author

He discussed the growing influence of China in world affairs. He also talked about America's aid in growing China into a world power.

Issues covered:

1. Big Government
2. Economy

2. Dr. Katherine Secaida, Communications Ambassador for Popclub

She talked about how the lives of children with incarcerated parents are affected. She also discussed new outreaches to aid kids.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Crime

3. Dr. Francis Palmer, Certified Plastic Surgeon

He detailed ways to fight aging. He also commented on a new product that works to halt aging from the inside.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

Issues Today 22-18

Date Aired: ____5/1/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Robert Mazur, Ex-Federal Agent and Author

He talked about the proliferation of money laundering in the country. He also discussed drug cartels.

Issues covered:

1. Drug Abuse
2. Crime

2. Frank Holloman, Director of Organ Transplant Division for Services Administration, Division of Transportation

He described the shortage of available organs for transplant. He also commented on the lack of donations from seniors.

Issues covered:

1. Organ Donation
2. Seniors

3. Mark Blum, Health Researcher

He talked about the influence that pharmacy benefit managers have in determining the price of prescription drugs. He also expressed hope that solutions will be found.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Drug Costs

Issues Today 22-19

Date Aired: _____5/8/22_____ Time Aired: _____6AM_____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Cassidy Pont, Manager of Domestic Child Nutrition for Save the Children

She discussed the need to extend the school flexibility program that delivers food to kids at home. The program would end on June 30, 2022 without Congressional action.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Hunger

2. Dr. Steven Knauf, Executive Director of Chiropractic Medicine at The Joint Chiropractic

He discussed how pregnant women can be aided by chiropractic medicine. He also talked about other treatments for people of all ages.

Issues covered:

1. Women
2. Health

3. Erica Hughes, Director of Multicultural Marketing at Ally

She gave details of a competition aimed at diverse neighborhood students. Part of the events for the finalists are teaching moments from business leaders.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Ethnic Diversity

Issues Today 22-20

Date Aired: ____5/15/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Bill Pekny, Author and Climate Researcher

He talked about climate change and the environment. He also commented on using both fossil fuels and alternative energy sources.

Issues covered:

1. Environment
2. Climate Change

2. Melinda Emerson, Small Biz Director at Verizon

She talked about digital courses for minority-owned entrepreneurs. She also commented on why some businesses fail.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Education

3. Yu-Ling Cheng, Spokesperson for Remake Learning Days

She detailed various family learning activities throughout the United States. She also emphasized the events are geared toward a wide range of kids.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Youth

Issues Today 22-21

Date Aired: _____5/22/22_____ Time Aired: _____6AM_____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Victoria Gillespie, Chief Marketing & Communications Officer, Nat. Assn. of Realtors

She gave a report on the state of the real estate market. She also talked about rising mortgage rates.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Communication

2. Johnny White, CEO of American Society of Appraisers

He discussed why appraisals of personal property are important. He also detailed how to find the right appraiser.

Issues covered:

1. Consumerism
2. Communication

3. Dr. Regine Muradian, Psychologist and Mental Health Advocate

She discussed the ramifications of debt on mental health. She also gave some tips for those who are facing stress from debt.

Issues covered:

1. Personal Debt
2. Education

Issues Today 22-22

Date Aired: ____5/29/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Mark Lowcock, Former Under-Secretary Affairs Humanitarian Affairs

He discussed the growing problem of hunger in the world and the United States. He also gave some solutions to fight the problem.

Issues covered:

1. Hunger
2. Global Politics

2. Dr. Dan Werb, Author and Epidemiologist

He detailed the research that went into the Covid vaccines. He also talked about even newer technology for future diseases.

Issues covered:

1. COVID
2. Health

3. Cassidy Puckett, Asst. Professor of Sociology at Emory University

She talked about how tech-savvy teens are developed. She also stressed that developing goals at an early age makes it much easier for them to develop.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Education

Issues Today 22-23

Date Aired: _____6/5/22_____ Time Aired: _____6AM_____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dr. John Cobb, Environment Expert and Author

He discussed climate change and why international cooperation with other countries is important. He also talked about the relationship between China and the United States.

Issues covered:

1. Climate Change
2. International Relations

2. Rev. Markel Hutchins, CEO of Movement Forward

He commented on relations between police and the community. He also talked about ways to improve dialogue with all community leaders.

Issues covered:

1. Defund Police
2. Communication

3. Bob Keefe, Executive Director of Environmental Entrepreneurs

He discussed a business approach to fighting climate change. He also talked about the need for more education for the public on environmental news.

Issues covered:

1. Climate Change
2. Environment

Issues Today 22-24

Date Aired: ____6/12/22____ Time Aired: ____6AM____

Length: 28 Min.

1. Josh Wade, NFT's Expert

He defined NFT's and also talked about the new ones that are being developed. He also gave the pros and cons of investing in them.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Crypto Currency

2. Lauren Winans, CEO and Principal HR Consultant for Next Level Benefits

She detailed why HR departments in businesses are important and some of the ways their duties have been increased. She also talked about how to improve communication in businesses.

Issues covered:

1. Small Business
2. Communication

3. Dr. Susan Smith-Jones, Founder and President of Health Unlimited

She described the health benefits of being kind. She also talked about The importance of good nutrition and exercise in keeping healthy.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Stress

Issues Today 22-25

Date Aired: _____6/19/22_____ Time Aired: ____6AM_____

Length: 28 Min.

1. Alex Flint, Executive Director of Alliance for Market Solutions

He commented on the merits of carbon tax credits to aid the environment.
He also talked about other market solutions.

Issues covered:

1. Climate Change
2. Economy

2. Letitia Hanke, Founder of the Lime Foundation and Operator of NextGen Trade Academy

She discussed the merits of trade schools. She also talked about employment opportunities for trade education students.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Unemployment

3. Dr. Annie Arens, Emergency Physician and Amer. Heart Assn. Medical Expert

She discussed the importance of water safety for the very young. She also gave steps in how to administer CPR.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Water Safety

Issues Today 22-26

Date Aired: _____6/26/22_____ Time Aired: _____6AM_____
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dr. Ernst Von Schwarz, Physician and Stem Cell Researcher

He described the challenges researchers are having with stem cells. He also talked about possible FDA approval for some treatments in the next decade.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Education

2. Dr. Frank Martin, Senior Director of Research for JDRF

He commented on continuing research into Diabetes. He also talked about work on juvenile Diabetes as well.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Youth

3. Cullen Jones, Olympic Swimming Champion

He gave some swimming pool maintenance tips for owners. He also detailed some swimming tips as well.

Issues covered:

1. Water Safety
2. Youth

