

## WZIS- FM

### 4th Quarter Issues Report

October – December 2022

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**Bike Registration** – On October 10, 2022, at 1:18 PM WZIS aired a live-read PSA about the bike registration program at ISU. The PSA mentions how the number of stolen bikes on campus has risen in the last few years. It urges students to register their bike with public safety so that they can be identified if it is lost, stolen, or impounded. It includes all the necessary information about the Office of Public Safety to register your bike or to report a stolen one.

**Public Safety** - On October 20, 2022, at 1:23 PM, WZIS aired a live-read PSA about public safety on campus. Many students at times feel threatened or unsafe on campus, especially at night. This PSA gives all the necessary information on how to contact public safety in they ever feel unsafe or to report any suspicious or illegal activity. The PSA provides the number to call and also a website that students can go to so they can learn more information.

**Career Success** - On November 8, 2022, at 3:47 PM WZIS aired a live-read PSA for ISU's Math and Writing Center in the new location of Root Hall. ISU is dedicated to

making sure students have all the help they need when it comes to math and writing.

The PSA mentions how the math and writing center has free tutoring for ISU students in need in the math and writing field. The PSA included information about scheduling a session at Root Hall, the hours of operation, and the phone number to call.

**Student Resources** – On November 17, 2022, at 4:47 PM, WZIS aired a live-read PSA for the ISU Career Center. The Career Center offers a multitude of opportunities for students to develop and review their professional documentation and gain opportunities within their respective fields. The Career Center PSA lists the general opportunities inside the build, the operation hours, and a clothing closet where students can pick up four free clothing items each month.

**Philanthropy** - On December 6, 2022 at 11:50 PM, WZIS aired a live-read PSA for the Baptist Collegiate Ministry House's shoe drive. The program collects gently used shoes from Terre Haute residents and donates them to others in need of them. All shoes will be accepted you just have to make sure the shoes are tied and rubber-banded together before you donate them to the Baptist Collegiate Ministries, which is located at 800 N 6th Street in Terre Haute.

**Health and Wellness** - On December 20, 2022 at 8:10 PM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "SCOTUS." A man's family sued a state-owned nursing home for alleged mistreatment. The case has ballooned and risen to the level of the Supreme Court -- and the outcome could strip millions of vulnerable Americans of the right to sue government agencies when their rights are violated. Runtime: 4:08

**Health and Wellness** - On December 20, 2022 at 8:10 PM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "Medical Debt." Around 100 million people in the U.S. have health care debt totalling at least \$140 billion. Policymakers are exploring all sorts of options to fight medical debt -- but how effective are each of these strategies?

Tradeoffs' Ryan Levi and Dan Gorenstein invited one of the nation's leading researchers on medical debt, Wes Yin, to weigh in. Runtime: 4:03

**Black Wellness** - On December 21, 2022 at 2:16 PM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "Serious Illness." Black patients, who are at greater risk for many serious illnesses, are less likely to receive palliative and hospice care than White patients. Professor Karen Bullock has spent the last two decades trying to figure out why. She spoke with the Tradeoffs podcast about what it will take to make end-of-life care more equitable for seriously ill patients. . Runtime: 4:10

**Opioid Awareness** - On December 26, 2022 at 9:08 AM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "Opioid Settlement." Billions of dollars in opioid settlement money is starting to flow to states, so officials are in the process of deciding what to do with it. Tradeoffs' Alex Olgin and Dan Gorenstein report on how officials are having to reckon with long-held beliefs and judgements about addiction. Is addiction a crime or is addiction an illness? Will officials look to build jails and hire more police, or will they look to treatment models and care? Runtime: 3:34

**COVID-19** - On December 27, 2022 at 8:09 AM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "Travel Nurse." Nursing shortages have led hospitals to rely more on travel nurses that help plug critical gaps. But travel nurses come with big price tags -- and that's making hospitals seek ways to improve staff nurse retention and morale. This story comes from Holden Abshier, a reporter at WFIU/WTIU. . Runtime: 3:43

**Sickle Cell Awareness** - On December 29, 2022 at 8:27 PM WZIS aired a Side Effects Public Media report titled "Sickle Cell Children." This is a timely piece on why some pediatricians worry about a looming penicillin shortage. Children with sickle cell disease rely on the antibiotic to prevent potentially life-threatening infections, but providers and patients in several states say they're starting to experience supply issues. Runtime: 3:58

WZIS Also ran 2,208 30 seconds of pre-recorded PSA's during the months of October,  
November, December

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