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 Quarterly Issues/Programs List  
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WRKH provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community. Among the issues determined to be of most concern to the community during the preceding calendar quarter were:

- Public Safety
- Public Health
- Children's Health
- Mental Health
- Elections

**Section I**  
**LOCAL PROGRAMMING**

Section I lists regularly-scheduled and special programs that represent the station's issue-responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the issues listed above for the calendar quarter.

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GUEST	DATE/TIME	DURATION
Co-Op: Public Health, Children	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jay Bhatt, D.O., MPH, MPA is a physician executive, internist, geriatrician, and public health innovator. He is Executive Director of the Deloitte Center for Health Solutions (DCHS) and the Deloitte Health Equity Institute (DHEI). Dr. Bhatt discussed his experiences working in Chicago Health clinics now that we seem to be entering a new phase of the pandemic. He talked about the</li> </ul>	Dr. J. Bhatt, D. Sharkis	04/03/2022 07:03 AM	029:49

		<p>reasons he is hearing from people who remain hesitant to get vaccinated. We've been expecting the FDA and CDC to consider authorization for the vaccine for children younger than five. Dr. Bhatt discussed the timetable for this and gave his recommendations for children getting the Covid vaccine.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>David L. Sharkis   Director of Operations Children's Dyslexia Centers, Inc.</b> Sharkis defined dyslexia and gave us an Overview of the Children's Dyslexia Centers and its mission. He outlined the types of programs their centers offer for both tutoring and training and told us how COVID has impacted operations. Sharkis talked about resources for people with Dyslexia.</li> </ul>			
Science & Technology, Public	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Padi Boyd, Chief of the Exoplanets and Stellar Astrophysics Laboratory in the Astrophysics Science Division at NASA, and the Project Scientist for the Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite Mission.</b> Padi Boyd discusses a recent revelation made by the Hubble Space Telescope. She also explains the missions of the Hubble and James Webb Telescopes, including what their discoveries tell us about the origins of the Universe, the potential existence of extraterrestrial life, and why these revelations are important.</li> </ul>	P. Boyd, Dr. D. Kass	04/10/2022 07:02 AM	029:49

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Dara Kass, HHS Regional Director for Region 2.</b> Dr. Kass discusses the effectiveness of the COVID-19 vaccines. She explains the benefits of the immunity received via vaccination as compared to natural immunity, and she talks about why those who have been infected with COVID-19 should still be vaccinated. Finally, she explains the latest guidance on booster shots, including the newest recommendation for those over the age of 50.</li> </ul>			
Election; Hunger	iHeart Radio Gulf Coast Focus	<p>Mobile County Probate Judge Don Davis discusses the upcoming Primary Election. Davis explained the difference in primary and general elections, and the importance of the primary. He discussed voter registration, deadlines, absentee ballots, and he talked about the process of insuring election integrity in Mobile County. He also talked about hiring poll watchers and how to apply for that position.</p> <p>Cyndy Baggett, VP of Development and Marketing with Feeding the Gulf Coast (local food bank serving a 24-county area spanning the Florida panhandle, south Alabama, and south Mississippi) talks about upcoming fundraiser, the Chef Challenge. She explained that the rising costs of gas and groceries have greatly impacted families who were already struggling due to COVID and other issues. Funds raised by this event will help the more than 350,000 people in our area who are food insecure (1 in 6 individuals; 1</p>	Judge Don Davis (Mobile Co); Cyndy Baggett, Feeding the Gulf Coast	04/17/2022 07:02 AM	029:18

		in 4 children). She also talked about ways people can help, through food drives, donations, or volunteering.			
Public Health	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mary Partin, CEO of the Dan Marino Foundation.</b> April is Autism Awareness Month. The Marino Campus is an accredited postsecondary school that prepares young adults with autism and other disabilities for gainful employment, social competence, and independent living by earning national industry certifications and gaining necessary skills vital to employment. Partin talked about resources that parents can use to help navigate through autism.</li> <li>• <b>Paul Billings, American Lung Association National Senior Vice President of Advocacy.</b> Billings discussed the American Lung Association's 2022 "State of the Air" report that revealed how millions of Americans live in counties that have unhealthy levels of ozone or particle pollution. He focused on how air pollution harms health, who is most vulnerable to air pollution, and what steps the nation must take to make progress toward cleaner and healthier air.</li> </ul>	Dr. M. MARTIN, P. BILLINGS	04/24/2022 07:01 AM	029:50

Public Health, Mental Health	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Basim Khan, Executive Director, Neighborhood Health in Alexandria, VA.</b> Dr. Khan focused on community and the role local organizations play in expanding access to high quality and affordable health care. Dr. Khan discussed common barriers from different patient populations and how to overcome the fear of COVID-19 vaccinations.</li> <li>• <b>Former White House chef and decorated combat veteran Andre Rush.</b> Chef Andre Rush is a retired decorated combat Veteran known worldwide as the White House chef for four Presidents including Bill Clinton, George W. Bush, Barack Obama, and Donald Trump. Rush advocates for military service and suicide prevention. Chef Rush talked about using food, medicine and therapy to help military vets overcome depression, anxiety, and PTSD with a method called "Cooking to Cope."</li> </ul>	Dr. B. Kahn, A. Rush	05/01/2022 07:04 AM	029:49
Public Health, Military Appreciation	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Sheldon Riklon M.D., University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences.</b> May is Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month and Dr. Riklon shared how the COVID-19 pandemic has impacted AANHPI community as well as</li> </ul>	Dr. S. Riklon, S. Holley	05/08/2022 07:02 AM	029:49

		<p>communities of color. He says it's essential to help families understand the need to stay protected from COVID-19, regardless of whether they've been vaccinated. Dr. Riklon offered "tools" and suggestions to continue staying safe from COVID-19.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Stephen Holley, Carry The Load Co-Founder, President and CEO &amp; Mark Elliott, Retired U.S. Army Colonel and Global Head of Military and Veterans Affairs at JPMorgan Chase.</b> Holley is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy and former SEAL Team 5 officer and Elliot oversees firm-wide, veteran-focused efforts in employment, entrepreneurship, education and workforce development, and community engagement. May is Military Appreciation month and both discussed their service to our country and Memorial Day's true meaning. They talked about the 10th Annual Month-Long National Memorial May Relay Covering 20,000 Miles and 48 States Honoring First Responders and Fallen Military.</li> </ul>			
Public Health, Osteoporosis	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sarah Lovenheim Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs.</b> Lovenheim discussed how the Public Affairs</li> </ul>	S. Lovenheim, C. Hostinak	05/15/2022 07:01 AM	029:49

		<p>division works to ensure the public hears about top Departmental priorities and initiatives tied to the Health and Human Service mission of building a healthier America. She talked about her experience overseeing the COVID-19 Public Education Campaign for HHS and the most important priorities now in encouraging vaccinations. Lovenheim discussed reaching out to parents to ensure they are supported in the decision to get their children vaccinated and why these type of efforts with moms in social media will be effective.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Cheryl Hostinak, executive director of American Bone Health.</b> It's National Osteoporosis Month and Hostinak explained what osteoporosis is and why it's important to have a national awareness month. She says tests and screening are available to diagnose osteoporosis and what we can do to help prevent osteoporosis. She offered up resources that people can access from American Bone Health.</li> </ul>			
Military Appreciation, Mental Health	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>John Bird, US Navy Vice Admiral (Retired) and Senior VP of Military Affairs at USAA</b> - Admiral Bird joins the</li> </ul>	J. Bird, C. Reynolds	05/22/2022 07:00 AM	029:50

		<p>show to discuss the creation and significance of the USAA Poppy Honor Wall; how the poppy came to symbolize Memorial Day; and how people can join in remembrance if they can't make it to the wall in person.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Clara Reynolds, President &amp; CEO of the Crisis Center of Tampa Bay</b> - Clara Reynolds joins the show for Mental Health Awareness Month to discuss America's mental health crisis, along with the impact the pandemic has had on our mental health, and resources to help those in need.</li> </ul>			
GRIEF COUNSELING	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ram Koppaka, MD, PhD Associate Director for Adult Immunization Services Division Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.</b> The CDC just recommended that kids ages 5 to 11 get booster doses. Dr. Koppaka explained the rationale behind recommending boosters for kids and gave us the latest information on boosters for all ages. He discussed what the CDC is doing to address health equity during the pandemic and reduce health disparities - particularly when it comes to vaccine access and coverage. Koppaka covered when COVID vaccines might be</li> </ul>	Dr. R. Koppaka, B. Carroll	05/29/2022 06:01 AM	029:50



		<p>available to kids under 5 and the success of the public education campaigns encouraging COVID vaccination and programs to increase trust and engagement within communities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bonnie Carroll President &amp; founder of the Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors (TAPS).</b> TAPS provides compassionate care to all those grieving the death of a military loved one. Since 1994, TAPS has provided comfort and hope 24/7 through a national peer support network and connection to grief resources, all at no cost to surviving families and loved ones. Carroll discussed the variety of programs available to survivors nationally and worldwide. She talked about the National Military Survivor Seminar and Good Grief Camp that is held annually in Washington, D.C., over Memorial Day. TAPS also conducts regional survivor seminars for adults and youth programs at locations across the country, as well as retreats and expeditions around the world.</li> </ul>			
Mental Health, Public Safety	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Fred Dillon is Head of Advisory Services at Hopelab.</b> Dillon develops technology solutions that</li> </ul>	F. Dillon, M. Follman	06/05/2022 06:02 AM	029:48

		<p>improve the health and well-being of adolescents and young adults. Pride month kicks off June 1 and Dillon focused on Pride Month and LGBTQ+ teen mental health. He discussed the launching of a new, free digital tool called imi (eye-me) for LGBTQ+ teen mental health and well-being.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mark Follman, author of <i>TRIGGER POINTS: Inside the Mission to Stop Mass Shootings in America</i>.</b> Follman discussed the school shooting in Uvalde, TX, in which a gunman took the lives of 19 children and two teachers inside Robb Elementary School. His new book is the first-ever account that goes inside the world of behavioral threat assessment, a groundbreaking method for successfully preventing mass shootings. He offered insight into the Uvalde tragedy and offered hope and information on prevention for these kinds of shootings.</li> </ul>			
Public Safety, Climate Change	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dan Kotlowski AccuWeather's Lead Hurricane Expert</b> - Dan breaks down the expectations for the 2022 hurricane season. He also explains how these storms develop, what to watch for as a storm is approaching, and how to read the hurricane models seen on TV and online.</li> </ul>	D. Kotlowski, S. Gregory	06/12/2022 06:03 AM	029:50

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Steve Gregory iHeartMedia National Correspondent &amp; Certified Wildfire Expert</b> - Steve offers an overview of the wildfires we've experienced so far in 2022 and breaks down the different issues responsible for the larger and more frequent wildfires we've seen in recent years.</li> </ul>			
Public Safety, Climate Change	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES: PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Kenneth Alexander</b> (Chief of Infectious Diseases at Nemours Children's Health in Florida) - Dr. Alexander discusses the rise in COVID-19 cases in certain parts of the country, different COVID-related issues impacting children who contract the virus, the latest COVID vaccination guidance for children, and ways to keep the family and kids safe during summer vacations and activities.</li> <li>• <b>Kelly Navies</b> (Museum Specialist of Oral History at the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture) - Kelly Navies discusses the history of the Juneteenth holiday, from the period of time between the conclusion of the Civil War and the freeing of slaves in Texas to the events following that moment in history that led to the recent push for Juneteenth to become a federal holiday.</li> </ul>	K.Alexander, K. Navies	06/19/2022 06:01 AM	029:49
Children's Health, Public	IHEARTRADIO COMMUNITIES:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Sean O'Leary, Pediatric Infectious Diseases specialist</b></li> </ul>	Dr. S. O'Leary, J. Garner	06/26/2022 06:02 AM	029:49

Safety	PUBLIC AFFAIRS SPECIAL	<p><b>and Associate Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Colorado.</b> COVID vaccines were just authorized for children under 5. Dr. O'Leary talked about how 13 million children under age 18 in the US have gotten COVID and why the impact on children has increased. He discussed the important milestone of vaccinations at this stage of the pandemic and what parents need to know about vaccinating their youngest children.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Julie Garner, Founder of Project Yellow Light.</b> With much of America looking to make their next getaway this summer, millions of people are setting their sights on the open road and ready for vacation. Garner talked about Project Yellow Light and raising awareness, so we know the dangers of distracted driving.</li> </ul>			
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**Section II**

**NETWORK (and/or SYNDICATED) PROGRAMMING**

Section II lists the network-provided (and/or syndicated) programming that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that addresses community issues.

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	DURATION
(Insert network and/or syndicator-provided programs lists here.)				

**Section III**

**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Section III lists public service announcements that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that address community issues.

ISSUE	ORGANIZATION OR TITLE	DURATION RUNS
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Mortgage Assistance	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO- AL Housing Finance Authority	000:29	22
Tourism	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO- All In One Tickets	000:29	22
Hepatitis A	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO –AL Dept of Public Health	000:29	21
VA Benefits	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO – AL Dept of Veterans Affairs	000:29	79
Getting Back to Work, Unemployment Fraud, Career Opportunities	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO – AL Dept of Labor	000:29	60
Move Over Law, ALGO Traffic App	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO –AL Dept of Transportation	000:29	39
Adoption	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO – AL Dept of Human Resources	000:29	40
Elder Abuse	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSO – AL Dept of Adult Protective Services	000:30	21
Community Service and Protection	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSOC –Al National Guard	000:30	39
Electric Cars	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION –AL Clean Fuels Coalition	000:29	14
COVID-19 Testing and Vaccination	ALABAMA BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION – AL Dept of Public Health	000:30	80
LGBT Issues	CENTERLINK	000:29	4
END RACISM	STOP AAPI HATE	000:30	16
Jazz Event to fund program providing free medication to uninsured individuals in South Alabama	Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy	000:30	30
Environment	iHEART RADIO EARTH	000:29	4
Environment	iHEART RADIO EARTH	000:30	4
Sign The Petition To Reopen Museum to All Citizens	Naval Aviation Museum, Pensacola	000:30	45
Environment	iHEART RADIO EARTH	000:30	4
Family Issues	AL Dept. of Human Resources	000:29	19

LGBTQ Advocacy	GLAAD	000:29	5
Children With Critical Illnesses	MAKE-A-WISH	000:30	12
MENTAL HEALTH	CHILD MIND INSTITUTE	000:29	6
MILITARY AND VETERANS	HOME BASE	000:30	21
Advocacy & services for LGBTQ+ Elders	SAGE	000:29	4