

# QUARTERLY REPORT

## WKZF Morton, IL

**4th Quarter  
October 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023**

### **Program List**

#### ISSUES

COVID-19 Vaccinations and Coverage  
Diversity Issues  
Morton Pumpkin Festival Information  
Traffic Information and Reports on Significant IDOT Road Re-Construction  
Severe Weather Information  
Political and Legislative News  
Local Morton Economy  
Local Tax Increases and Municipal Budget Deficits  
Economic Development/Attracting Business  
Small Business Issues  
Employment Levels  
Workforce Development  
Law Enforcement Issues and Local Crime  
Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life  
Future of Local Education  
Morton Healthcare  
Race Issues  
Veteran's Issues  
Local Arts  
Poverty and Homelessness

During this quarter, this station gave particular attention to the issues listed in the following pages of this report. These issues are not listed in order of importance and it should be noted that the station may have also aired other programming that was responsive to the community's informational needs.

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**General Coverage** - This station routinely conveys news-related issues including but not limited to the COVID-19 pandemic.

**Week In Review** - A thirty-minute local magazine style show airing on Sundays from 6:30- 7am, covering a variety of local issues.

**Severe Weather Coverage** - Local weather reports and coverage provided during severe weather such as Winter Weather Warnings, Tornado Warnings, and other significant weather events. The station joins a simulcast of sister station 1470 and 100.3 WMBD for continuous coverage during more significant weather events.

**Community Service Projects** - This station provides exposure to issues, events, and other activities in the community through a combination of efforts, including public service messages by on-air personalities, produced announcements, remote broadcasts, on-air interviews, and personality appearances at community events. Community service projects receive at least six promotional announcements per day for a period of two weeks.

**Promotions/Contests** - This station addresses issues in the community by providing an opportunity for listeners to win financial assistance or other items which assist them in addressing those issues. Promotions/Contests receive a variety of on-air promotional announcements, website, and social media exposure.

**Public Service Announcements** - This station provide exposure to issues, events, and other activities in the community through the airing of pre-recorded 30 or 60 second announcements at no charge to the sponsoring organization. A minimum of thirty announcements is aired for each issue or activity.

**Radio Health Journal** - A half hour magazine style show, Radio Health Journal airs Sunday from 6- 6:30am and covers a variety of current issues.

Subsequent pages of this report detail the specific Issues and Programs.

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## Specific Issues and Programs with Associated Air Dates

### Week in Review

Issue:	Political and legislative news, Education, Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life, Workforce Development, Small Business Issues
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	October 8, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Shawn Sollberger, Peoria Fire Chief; and Tom Stimeling, Peoria Fire Battalion Chief</u> The Peoria Fire Department holds its annual Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service</p> <p><u>2) Doug Cruitt, Executive Director, Distillery Labs</u> Cruitt talks about a visit to the local business incubator by University of Illinois president Timothy Kileen.</p> <p><u>3) Megan Rimmel, Assistant Political Science Professor, Bradley University</u> Rimmel talks about the ouster of Kevin McCarthy as U.S. Speaker of the House.</p>

Issue:	Political and legislative news, Diversity Issues, Law Enforcement Issues, Race Issues, Workforce Development, Economic Development
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	October 15, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.



Narrative:	<p><u>1) Illinois Gov. JB Pritzker, Illinois Comptroller Susana Mendoza</u> Pritzker and Mendoza speak at a solidarity rally hosted by an Illinois Jewish organization, following the attack on Israel by the terrorist group Hamas.</p> <p><u>2) Judge Joe McGraw, candidate for Congress, 17<sup>th</sup> District</u> McGraw talks about his run for office at an event in Peoria.</p> <p><u>3) Mark Denzler, CEO, Illinois Manufacturers Association</u> Denzler and others brought the “Makers on the Move” bus tour to a Peoria employer to talk about how, in his words, “there’s a job for everyone” at manufacturers.</p>
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Issue:	Healthcare, Political and Legislative News, Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life, Local Arts, Race Issues
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	October 22, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Devereaux and Kristie Hubbard; Michael Tarantino, CEO and Chief Medical Officer, Bleeding and Clotting Disorders Institute; State Rep. Jehan Gordon-Booth</u> Inspired by the Hubbard Family, Rep. Gordon-Booth has introduced legislation in Springfield that will provide more education and resources about blood clots and how they can be both fatal and go unnoticed.</p> <p><u>2) Mayor Rita Ali, City of Peoria</u> Ali hosts a street-naming ceremony in Peoria for Annie Malone, a late cosmetics and haircare magnate who is seen as the first Black female millionaire in the country.</p> <p><u>3) Kathy Anderson, Peoria Salvation Army</u> Anderson discusses a winter coat drive for local children.</p>

Issue:	Race Issues, Poverty and Homelessness, Political and Legislative News, Local Economy, Economic Development
Program Name:	Week in Review



Date Aired:	October 29, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Susan Katz, Executive Director, Jewish Federation of Peoria</u> Katz discusses how Peoria’s Jewish population is responding to the Israel-Hamas war, and how Jewish residents here can help those in the war zone.</p> <p><u>2) Mayor Rita Ali, City of Peoria; Armeca Crawford, Executive Director, Peoria Housing Authority</u> A grant being received by the city and the housing authority could potentially revitalize a local public housing project and the neighborhood around it.</p> <p><u>3) Randy Price, Pekin developer</u> Price talks about plans to develop an indoor gymnasium for Pekin residents that he says is different than fitness gyms.</p>

Issue:	Future of Local Education, Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life, Local Economy
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	November 5, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Dr. Sharon Desmoulin-Kherat, Superintendent, Peoria Public Schools</u> Kherat talks about what she believes is improved data under this year’s Illinois School Report Card for the district.</p> <p><u>2) Shawn Sollberger, Peoria Fire Chief</u> Sollberger talks about an initiative inspired by Peoria Police that will make a chaplain available at each local fire station.</p> <p><u>3) Dr. Chris Reynolds, Athletic Director, Bradley University</u> Reynolds talks about the passing of Indiana Coach Bobby Knight. Reynolds played for Knight.</p>

Issue:	Local Economy, Severe Weather Information, Veterans' Issues, Poverty and Homelessness
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	November 12, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Chris Setti, CEO, Peoria Area Economic Development Council</u> Setti talks about how important to the local economy something is like the Illinois High School State Cross Country tournament.</p> <p><u>2) Nicole Albano, Meteorologist, National Weather Service</u> Albano talks about getting ready for upcoming winter weather during Winter Weather Preparedness Week in Illinois.</p> <p><u>3) Alexi Giannoulis, Illinois State Treasurer</u> Marking Veterans Day, Giannoulis talks about the Veterans History Project, which allows local veterans to talk about and preserve their memories about serving in the military.</p>

Issue:	Severe Weather Information, Political and Legislative News (This was the first of two programs marking the 10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the deadly 2013 Washington tornadoes.)
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	November 19, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Gary Manier, Mayor of Washington</u> Manier talks about how the City of Washington responded and helped residents in the aftermath of the 2013 tornadoes.</p> <p><u>2) Chuck Collins, Chief Meteorologist, WEEK-TV</u> Collins talks about what happened to cause the Washington Tornadoes, and how unusual of a weather day that was for the whole area.</p>



	<p><u>3) Jenn Shrock-Smith, Washington resident</u> Shrock-Smith talked about how she and her family had to pick up and rebuild after the Washington tornado.</p>
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Issue:	Political and Legislative News, Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life (This was the second of two programs marking the 10th anniversary of the deadly 2013 Washington tornadoes.)
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	November 26, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Pat Quinn, former Illinois Governor</u> Quinn talks about the state’s response to tornadoes all over Illinois in 2013, not just the Washington tornado.</p> <p><u>2) Tim Gleeson, former Washington, IL City Manager</u> Gleeson further talks about the city’s response and recovery from the Washington tornado, and how his own family was impacted.</p> <p><u>3) Darrell Crouch, Washington High School Football Coach</u> Crouch talks about how his football team came together, during the Washington Tornadoes, and how other football teams helped his, as the tornado occurred during a playoff run.</p>

Issue:	Political and legislative news, Law Enforcement Issues and Local Crime, Local Economy
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	December 3, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.



<p>Narrative:</p>	<p><u>1) Jeff Lower, Tazewell County Sheriff; John Ackerman, Tazewell County Clerk</u>                  A cyber-attack affected operations of Tazewell County government. The two talk about the investigation, and how government offices were able to work through the incident that took out phones and the county’s computer network.</p> <p><u>2) Todd Hultman, grain market analyst, DTN</u>                  Hultman, at the Greater Peoria Farm Show, talks about how technology is helping farming, and gets a preview of what farmers can expect in the next growing season.</p> <p><u>3) Nate Rice, Chief of Fire Prevention, Peoria Fire Department</u>                  Rice talks about the annual “Keep the Wreath Red” campaign, which urges residents to eliminate potential problems that could lead to a fire during the holiday season.</p>
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<p>Issue:</p>	<p>Political and Legislative News, Traffic Information and Reports on Significant IDOT Road Re-Construction</p>
<p>Program Name:</p>	<p>Week in Review</p>
<p>Date Aired:</p>	<p>December 10, 2023</p>
<p>Time and Duration:</p>	<p>30 min</p>
<p>Description:</p>	<p>A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.</p>
<p>Narrative:</p>	<p><u>1) JB Pritzker, Illinois Governor; Omer Osman, Secretary, Illinois Department of Transportation; Ericks Crookshanks, student in Illinois Central College’s Highway Construction Career Training Program</u>                  The state marks “significant completion” of the reconstruction of Peoria’s Bob Michel Bridge.</p> <p><u>2) Rita Ali, Peoria Mayor; Ray LaHood, former Congressman and former Transportation Secretary</u>                  Seen as critical to the movement, a proposed Peoria to Chicago passenger rail line has been included in a new Federal Railroad Administration Rail Corridor Identification and Development Program.</p>



Issue:	Youth Issues and Youth Quality of Life, Law Enforcement Issues and Local Crime, Future of Local Education, Political and Legislative News, Local Economy
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	December 17, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) Gary Morris, Defense Attorney</u> Morris discusses the conviction of his client, Brandon Walker, one of two people accused of the beating and starvation death of Navin Jones, 8, who was fathered by Walker.</p> <p><u>2) Stephen Standifird, president, Bradley University</u> Standifird talks about the process that led to a proposed cut of 60 faculty positions and 20 programs at Bradley University, in order to cut a \$13 million budget deficit.</p> <p><u>3) Various members of the Peoria City Council</u> Discussion was had in a recent Peoria City Council meeting about “short-term rental properties,” or, “Air-B-N-B’s,” after some problems have developed since the city’s last discussion.</p>

Issue:	Traffic Information and Reports on Significant IDOT Road Re-Construction, Political and Legislative News, Healthcare
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	December 24, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p><u>1) John Love, Resident Engineer, Illinois Department of Transportation McClugage Bridge Bridge</u> Love talks about the importance of a new metal arch being installed on what</p>

	<p>will be the new eastbound span of the bridge, and how that marks almost the last phase of the project.</p> <p>2) <u>Rob Reneau, Peoria County Board member and chair of the board's Health Committee</u></p> <p>Reneau provides an update on construction of the county's new Health and Human Services building, upon the occasion of a "beam-topping ceremony."</p> <p>3) <u>Gene Olson, Director of Airports, Metropolitan Airport Authority of Peoria</u></p> <p>Olson discusses holiday travel, and security tips.</p>
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Issue:	Political and Legislative News, Local Economy, Economic Development, Local Arts, Veterans' Issues, Poverty and Homelessness
Program Name:	Week in Review
Date Aired:	December 31, 2023
Time and Duration:	30 min
Description:	A look at some of the stories that impacted central Illinois for the previous weeks, including news stories and interviews.
Narrative:	<p>1) <u>Michael Phelan, Mayor, Village of Peoria Heights</u></p> <p>Phelan discusses the need to redevelop a property in the community, after a previous developer all but completely went out of business and abandoned a number of projects.</p> <p>2) <u>Rev. Louis Tylka, Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Peoria; Bill Conger, Chief Curator, Peoria Riverfront Museum</u></p> <p>Tylka and Conger talk about the exhibition of a religious stole worn by Fr. Jacques Marquette that dates back to 1673.</p> <p>3) <u>Dave Johnson, Peoria Heights VFW; Debbie Gaught, The Illinois Valley Fuller Center for Housing</u></p> <p>The two talk about how they're helping veterans with housing and other issues, especially during the holidays.</p>

## Radio Health Journal

Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	10/1/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: “OWN YOUR CHOICES”: GETTING HEALTHY WITHOUT MEDICATION</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Modern medicine has found incredible solutions for acute illnesses, but have we become too reliant on drugs to fix our problems? Integrative medicine approaches medical issues by treating the body as a whole instead of just cherry-picking symptoms. Our experts explain some of the lifestyle changes we can make to decrease our dependence on medication.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Tieraona Low Dog, Globally-Recognized Expert in Integrative Medicine, Founding Director, Medicine Lodge Ranch; Dr. David Katz, Specialist in Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Founder of Yale-Griffin Prevention Research Center, Yale University, Chief Executive Officer, Diet ID</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Diet ID</a>  <a href="#">Dr. David Katz</a>  <a href="#">X: @DrDavidKatz</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Tieraona Low Dog</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Low Dog</a>  <a href="#">Instagram: @lowdogmd</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: HOW TO GET A STEP AHEAD OF YOUR FOOT HEALTH</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Even though the APMA estimates that three out of four people will develop serious foot pain, foot health is often neglected until it’s too late. Plantar fasciitis is one of the most common causes of foot</p>

	<p>discomfort – and it’s preventable in many cases. Dr. Marlene Reid, a podiatric surgeon, explains proper foot care and how to mitigate any pain flare-ups</p> <p>Host: Nancy Benson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Marlene Reid, Podiatric Surgeon, National Spokesperson, American Podiatric Medical Association</p> <p>Compliance issues: Patient Safety, Public Health, Achilles Heel, Bone Spurs, Flat Foot, Foot Health, Foot Pain, Heel Stability, Plantar Fasciitis, Podiatry</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Dr. Marlene Reid, DPM - Family Podiatry Center</a>  <a href="#">American Podiatric Medical Association</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Marlene Reid</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	10/9/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: LIVING WITH AN INVISIBLE ILLNESS</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Rheumatoid arthritis is a life-changing condition but can also be invisible to everyone around you. Between finding the right medication and managing the illness, it’s often a long and frustrating process for many patients. Our experts explain the importance of community support and how to cope with an inflammatory arthritis diagnosis.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Linda Li, Professor of Physical Therapy, University of British Columbia, Leading Scientist in Arthritis Research; Talisa King, Co-Lead of the National African Americans Connect Group, Arthritis Foundation</p>

	<p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Arthritis Foundation</a>  <a href="#">Talisa King   LinkedIn</a>  <a href="#">Linda Li   Department of Physical Therapy</a>  <a href="#">Linda Li   VCH Research Institute</a>  <a href="#">An Interview with Dr. Linda Li - Featured Researcher</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: WHAT TO DO WHEN ANIMALS INVADE OUR HABITAT</u></b>                  Time: 16:10                  Duration: 6:19                  Synopsis: In a world where deforestation and environmental pollution runs rampant, it’s no surprise that wild animals have started to creep into our backyards and – in some cases – inside our homes. Mary Roach, a science author, dives into the reasons behind this steady rise of wildlife lawbreakers.                  Host: Nancy Benson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Mary Roach, Science Author, Fuzz                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Mary Roach</a>  <a href="#">Fuzz: When Nature Breaks the Law: Roach, Mary: Amazon.com: Books</a>  <a href="#">Mary Roach (@mary_roach) / X</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare, Law Enforcement, COVID-19
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	10/15/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><b><u>SEGMENT 1: WHAT CRIME SHOWS WON’T TELL YOU ABOUT HOW TO SPOT A LIAR</u></b>                  Synopsis: Many of us think that we can spot a liar by their eye movements or facial expressions, but for true deception artists those methods won’t work. Our experts explain the psychology behind why people lie and how you can avoid being duped.</p>



	<p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah, Polly Hansen                  Guests: Dr. Christian Hart, Professor of Psychology, Texas Woman’s University, Director, Human Deception Laboratory, Co-Author, Big Liars; Dr. Drew Curtis, Associate Professor of Psychology, Angelo State University, Director, The Curtis Deception Lab, Co-Author, Big Liars                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Christian Hart</a>  <a href="#">Big Liars</a>  <a href="#">Chris Hart (@chrishartpsych) / X</a>  <a href="#">Drew A. Curtis, Ph.D.</a>  <a href="#">Dr.Curtis (@Dr_CurtisPhD) / X</a>  <a href="#">Curtis Deception Lab</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: HOW THE MRNA VACCINE HAS REVOLUTIONIZED INFECTIOUS DISEASE PREVENTION</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: The FDA recently approved a new booster shot for COVID-19 and many people are still wondering what exactly we’re injecting into our bodies. Dr. William Schaffner, an infectious disease expert, breaks down the revolutionary technology and why we should feel safe going into this winter season.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. William Schaffner, Professor of Preventive Medicine and Health Policy, Vanderbilt University, Spokesperson and Past President, National Foundation for Infectious Diseases                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">William Schaffner, M.D.   Department of Health Policy</a>  <a href="#">William Schaffner, MD – NFID</a>  <a href="#">The new COVID boosters: What doctors and patients need to know   AAMC</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare; News Of The Day
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal



Date Aired:	10/22/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><b><u>SEGMENT 1: CURING CANCER WITH VACCINES OF THE FUTURE</u></b>                  Synopsis: The pandemic introduced many of us to mRNA vaccines. Now, researchers are hard at work figuring out how to use this technology to fight cancer. This delivery method would not only stop cancer from growing, but also allow our immune system to eradicate the disease. An expert explains the science behind how we may soon be able to cure cancer.                  Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Jordan Green, Professor, Vice Chair of Biomedical Engineering, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Jordan J. Green, Ph.D., Professor of Biomedical Engineering   Johns Hopkins Medicine</a>  <a href="#">Jordan Green Lab</a>  <a href="#">Biodegradable lipophilic polymeric mRNA nanoparticles for ligand-free targeting of splenic dendritic cells for cancer vaccination   PNAS</a>  <a href="#">Green Group (@JGreenGroup) / X</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: DO IT SCARED: HOW TO BECOME A MORE RESILIENT PERSON</u></b>                  Synopsis: Are resilient people born or built? Dr. Dennis Charney, an expert in neurobiology, says it’s a little of both. Dr. Dennis Charney breaks down what common characteristics resilient people share and how you can overcome hardships in your own life.                  Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Dennis Charney, Dean of the Icahn School of Medicine, Mount Sinai, Expert in Neurobiology and Mood &amp; Anxiety Disorders, Author, Resilience                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Dennis S. Charney   Mount Sinai - New York</a>  <a href="#">Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai (@IcahnMountSinai) / X</a></p>



	<a href="#">Dennis S. Charney, MD - President for Academic Affairs - Mount Sinai Health System   LinkedIn</a> <a href="#">Resilience: The Science of Mastering Life's Greatest Challenges</a>
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Issue:	Healthcare; News Of The Day
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	10/29/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><b><u>SEGMENT 1: DOPAMINE AND PARKINSON’S: CHALLENGING OVER 100 YEARS OF RESEARCH</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: Emerging research is changing everything we thought we knew about dopamine. The connection between Parkinson’s Disease and dopamine has been documented in the past, but a new study uncovers mechanisms of the chemical that were previously thought to be impossible. Our experts dive into the research and explain how this affects the future of Parkinson’s treatment.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield          Producer: Kristen Farrah          Guests: Dr. Zachary Gaertner, Neuroscientist, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine; Dr. Raj Awatramani, Sir John Eccles Professor of Neurology, Northwestern University; Dr. Daniel Dombeck, Professor of Neurobiology, Northwestern University</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Unique functional responses differentially map onto genetic subtypes of dopamine neurons   Nature Neuroscience</a>  <a href="#">Zachary Gaertner (@Z_Gaertner) / X</a>  <a href="#">Rajeshwar Awatramani: Faculty Profiles raj awatramani (@AwatramaniRaj) / X</a>  <a href="#">Daniel A Dombeck: Faculty Profiles Daniel A Dombeck (@DanielDombeck) / X</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: HOW TO PROTECT YOUR HOME FROM TOXIC MOLD AND BAD AIR QUALITY</u></b></p>





	<p>Synopsis: As the temperature drops and we’re spending more time inside, it’s important to keep our homes disease-free. Things like mold and dust mites can compromise your health. Our experts explain how to properly clean your space and give easy steps you can take to keep your family safe.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Caroline Blazovsky, Home Inspector, Founder, My Healthy Home; Dr. Gregory Charlop, Anesthesiologist, Author, Dr. Greg’s Green Home Makeover</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">My Healthy Home</a>  <a href="#">Caroline Blazovsky - Healthy Home Expert® (@healthyhomeexp) / X</a>  <a href="#">Caroline Blazovsky (@healthyhomeexpert) • Instagram photos and videos</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Gregory Charlop</a>  <a href="#">Gregory Charlop, Wellness MD (@gregorycharlopmd) • Instagram photos and videos</a>  <a href="#">Gregory Charlop Wellness MD</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare; News Of The Day
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	11/5/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: SHOULD BUSY CITIES START BANNING LEFT-HAND TURNS?</u>                  Synopsis: If you’re waiting at a streetlight to turn left, you’ll probably never be joined by a UPS truck. The company’s computer routing system has shown that left-hand turns waste time and fuel – but Dr. Vikash Gayah says they could also be dangerous to our health. Experts dive into these road rules and offer solutions to simplify your daily errands.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Vikash Gayah, Professor of Civil Engineering, Interim Director</p>



	<p>of the Larson Transportation Institute, Pennsylvania State University; Patrick Browne, Retired Vice President of Sustainability, UPS; Dan McMackin, Public Relations Manager, UPS</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Pennsylvania State University College of Engineering</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dan McMackin</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Vikash Gayah</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Patrick Browne</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: BRACE FACE: AUTHOR WHO WAS BULLIED FOR HER OVERBITE OFFERS GUIDANCE</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: Christina Wyman was born with a craniofacial deformity and spent her childhood dodging bullies -- at school and at home. After two jaw surgeries as an adult, her extreme overbite is fixed, but the trauma lives on. She offers guidance on how parents can successfully support their kids through these tough times.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson          Producer: Polly Hansen          Guests: Christina Wyman, author, Jawbreaker</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Christina Wyman Books</a>  <a href="#">Instagram: @christina.wyman.books</a>  <a href="#">X: @cwymanbooks</a>  <a href="#">Facebook: christinawymanbooks</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	11/12/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><b><u>SEGMENT 1: OPPENHEIMER’S LEGACY: RISING CANCER RISKS DUE TO IONIZING RADIATION</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: Researchers have been studying the lasting health effects of the atomic bomb for decades – but there’s a new type of radiation</p>

	<p>scientists are worried about. Nuclear workers, medical physicians, and the public are all being exposed to low-dose, long-term ionizing radiation. It causes cancer, radiation cataracts, and impaired cognition. Experts explain how we can protect ourselves from these dangerous rays.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield          Producer: Kristen Farrah          Guests: Dr. David Richardson, Professor of Environmental and Occupational Health, University of California, Irvine, Internationally Recognized Expert in Occupational Health; Dr. Mina Makary, Interventional Radiologist, The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Mina Makary MD   Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center</a>  <a href="#">Mina S. Makary, MD (@MinaMakaryMD) / X</a>  <a href="#">David Richardson, PhD</a>  <a href="#">Cancer mortality after low dose exposure to ionising radiation in workers in France, the United Kingdom, and the United States (INWORKS): cohort study   The BMJ</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: EVERYONE HAS LUMPS AND BUMPS – MAKE SURE YOURS AREN'T DEADLY</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: The US Preventive Services Task Force has recently updated its guidelines for breast cancer screenings to help curb the 42,000 yearly deaths. Our experts explain these changes, how to perform at-home exams, and why aggressive breast cancer may no longer be a death sentence.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson          Producer: Kristen Farrah          Guests: Dr. Katharine Yao, Chair of the National Accreditation Program, Breast Centers of the American College of Surgeons; Dr. Peter Schmid, Medical Oncologist &amp; Director of the Breast Cancer Center, St. Bartholomew's Hospital</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">NAPBC Board   ACS</a>  <a href="#">Katharine Yao   Profiles RNS</a>  <a href="#">Professor Peter Schmid - Barts Cancer Institute</a>  <a href="#">Pembrolizumab for Early Triple-Negative Breast Cancer</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare, Law Enforcement
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	11/19/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: FROM HOLLYWOOD TO THE HOSPITAL: JAMIE-LYNN SIGLER’S BATTLE WITH MS</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Jamie-Lynn Sigler was cast in The Sopranos as a teenager, but was soon fighting for more than just her spot in Hollywood. After being diagnosed with multiple sclerosis, Sigler found herself on a long journey of figuring out how to manage her disease while living a fulfilling life. She explains the steps she took in hopes of helping others in similar situations.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Jamie-Lynn Sigler, Actress; Dr. Sharon Stoll, Neuroimmunologist, Assistant Professor in the Department of Neurology, Yale School of Medicine</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Jamie Lynn Sigler (@jamielynnsigler) • Instagram photos and videos</a>  <a href="#">Jamie-Lynn Sigler (@JamieLSigler) / X</a>  <a href="#">Jamie-Lynn Sigler’s Relapsing MS Treatment Journey</a>  <a href="#">Sharon Stoll (@drsharonstoll) • Instagram photos and videos</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Sharon S Stoll</a>  <a href="#">Sharon S Stoll (@DrSharonStoll) / X</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: MODERN DAY WITCH HUNTS: THE PSYCHOLOGY OF FALSE CONFESSIONS</u></p> <p>Synopsis: False confessions seem far and few between, but our experts say they’re more common than most of us think. In this first installment of the two-part series, we explain the different types of false</p>

	<p>confessions and what drives people to confess to a crime they didn't commit.                  Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Allison Redlich, Distinguished University Professor in the Department of Criminology, Law, and Society, George Mason University                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Allison D. Redlich – Innocence Research</a>  <a href="#">Allison D. Redlich</a>  <a href="#">PROTOCOL: Interview and interrogation methods and their effects on true and false confessions: An update and extension - PMC</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	11/26/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: THE INFERTILITY-CAUSING DISEASE THAT MAY NOT BE AS RARE AS WE THOUGHT</u>                  Synopsis: Lisa McCarty experienced four miscarriages before finally being diagnosed with Asherman's Syndrome, a condition where scar tissue forms in the uterus or cervix. She and Dr. Sigal Klipstein, a reproductive endocrinologist, explain the signs of Asherman's – and when you should see a specialist.                  Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Polly Hansen                  Guests: Dr. Sigal Klipstein, Reproductive Endocrinologist and Infertility Specialist, Invia Fertility; Lisa McCarty, Asherman's Syndrome Patient                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Lisa McCarty</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Sigal Klipstein</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Sigal Klipstein, M.D., F.A.C.O.G.   InVia Fertility</a>  <a href="#">Asherman's syndrome   Fertility &amp; Reproductive Medicine Center</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: FALSE CONFESSIONS PT.2: USING SCIENCE TO CATCH THE</u></p>

	<p><u>REAL CRIMINALS</u>                  Synopsis: Last week our experts broke down the psychology of false confessions, and today we’re discussing the aftermath of wrongful convictions. Why do people who’ve been wrongly convicted die earlier? How can law enforcement make sure they’re catching the real criminals? Our experts explain it all.                  Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Allison Redlich, Distinguished University Professor in the Department of Criminology, Law, and Society, George Mason University; Mary Catlin, Doctoral Student &amp; Graduate Research Assistant in Criminology, Law and Society, George Mason University                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Allison D. Redlich – Innocence Research</a>  <a href="#">Allison D. Redlich</a>  <a href="#">PROTOCOL: Interview and interrogation methods and their effects on true and false confessions: An update and extension - PMC</a>  <a href="#">Mary Catlin</a>  <a href="#">Mary CATLIN   Research Assistant   Master of Science   George Mason University, VA   GMU   Department of Criminology, Law and Society   Research profile</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	12/3/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: CAN ACUPUNCTURE HELP PATIENTS RECOVER FROM OPEN HEART SURGERY?</u>                  Synopsis: Since the heart is part of a larger system in our body, treating cardiac conditions means healing the full person instead of just the one organ. Dr. Kim Feingold, a cardiac psychologist, has researched the use of acupuncture therapy as an integrative approach to treating cardiac</p>



	<p>patients. She explains her findings and how this needle stimulation may aid in recovery from open heart surgery.                  Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Kim Feingold, Assistant Professor of Surgery and Psychiatry, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, Founder &amp; Director of Cardiac Behavioral Medicine, Bluhm Cardiovascular Institute; Ania Grimone, Acupuncturist &amp; Chinese Medicine Clinician, Northwestern Medicine                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Kim L Feingold: Faculty Profiles</a>  <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Kim Feingold</a>  <a href="#">Ania Grimone, LAc   Northwestern Medicine</a>  <a href="#">Ania Grimone M.S., L.Ac., C.H., CPCC - Owner and CEO - Venus Core Leadership   LinkedIn</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: ‘EVERYONE CAN BE MADE PSYCHOTIC’ – THE TRUTH BEHIND SCHIZOPHRENIA</u></b>                  Synopsis: Hollywood often portrays schizophrenia in its most extreme form, but the disorder’s progression is much more complicated. Dr. Christoph Correll, a schizophrenia expert, pulls back the curtain on this condition. Dr. Christoph Correll explains why it’s often misdiagnosed, left untreated, and can affect anyone – including you.                  Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Christoph Correll, Professor of Psychiatry, Zucker School of Medicine, Medical Director of the Recognition and Prevention Program, Zucker Hillside Hospital                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Christoph Correll Profile   Zucker School of Medicine</a>  <a href="#">Interplay between negative symptoms, time spent doing nothing, and negative emotions in patients with schizophrenia spectrum disorders: results from a 37-site study</a>  <a href="#">NIMH » Schizophrenia</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
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Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	12/10/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: NATURAL DISASTERS ARE ONLY GETTING WORSE – HOW CAN YOU HELP?</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Natural disasters are often devastating to the surrounding communities and environment. And since they’re becoming more frequent – and occurring in places they’ve never been before – it’s more important than ever to know how to support the victims and prepare yourself for these catastrophes.</p> <p>Host: Elizabeth Westfield          Producer: Amirah Zaveri          Guests: Dr. Vickie Mays, Clinical Psychologist, Professor, Department of Psychology at University of California Los Angeles</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Vickie M. Mays</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Vickie Mays (@drvickiemays) / X</a>  <a href="#">Vickie M. Mays, PhD, MSPH</a>  <a href="#">Vickie M. Mays, Ph.D., MSPH - Distinguished Professor of Psychology and Distinguished Professor of Health Policy and Management - University of California, Los Angeles   LinkedIn</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: “IT’S A CRITICAL AGE”: WHY YOUNG KIDS SHOULD BE INVOLVED IN STEM</u></p> <p>Synopsis: Research shows that children involved in STEM courses, like engineering and science, have better reading comprehension and are more likely to be successful later in life. One national science fair is helping to keep kids, like award-winner Shanya Gill, interested in these industries and foster their passion for science.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson          Producer: Kristen Farrah          Guests: Raeva Ramadorai, Director, Thermo Fisher Scientific Junior Innovators Challenge; Shanya Gill, Ascend Award Winner</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Society For Science: Raeva Ramadorai</a></p>





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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	12/17/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><b><u>SEGMENT 1: CELEBRITY DEATHS &amp; POLITICAL POISONINGS: INSIDE FORENSIC TOXICOLOGY</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: Why do autopsy reports take so long to come back? While TV shows can make it seem like a two-step process, forensic toxicology can take weeks or months to figure out a person’s cause of death. Our expert takes us through this process and how it’s used in everyday life.                      Host: Elizabeth Westfield                      Producer: Kristen Farrah                      Guests: Dr. Barbarajeen Magnani, Professor of Anatomic and Clinical Pathology Emerita, Tufts University School of Medicine, Spokesperson, College of American Pathologist, Former Chair of the Toxicology Committee, College of American Pathologists, Author; Dr. Lily Robinson Thriller Series</p> <p>Links for more info:  <a href="#">Barbarajeen Magnani PhD, MD - Professor, Anatomic and Clinical Pathology, and Medicine - Tufts Medical Center   LinkedIn</a>  <a href="#">BJ Magnani</a></p> <p><b><u>SEGMENT 2: IS SCIENCE CLOSE TO CREATING IMMORTAL HUMANS?</u></b></p> <p>Synopsis: The key to living a long life? Chip Walter says it’s more about having less ‘bad’ genes rather than having more ‘good’ ones. But as we inch closer to finding immortality, there are some questions to be answered, such as “should we even be able to live hundreds of years?”                      Host: Greg Johnson</p>

	<p>Producer: Polly Hansen                  Guests: Chip Walter, Explorer, National Geographic, Author, Immortality, Inc.                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Chip Walter - National Geographic Society</a>  <a href="#">Chip Walter - Author - The Human Light and Power Co.   LinkedIn</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	12/24/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: MINUTE BY MINUTE: EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT STROKE PREVENTION</u>                  Synopsis: Nearly 800,000 Americans have a stroke each year, so make sure you know how to help if your loved one has a sudden attack. Our experts give you the tools to know the signs, symptoms, and actions you can take to save a life. Remember to BE FAST, every minute matters.                  Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Sheryl Martin-Schild, Vascular Neurologist, Stroke Medical Director, Louisiana Emergency Response Network; Meghan McKee, Stroke Survivor                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Sheryl Martin-Schild, MD   LCMC Health</a>  <a href="#">Dr. Sheryl Martin-Schild, MD, PhD, FANA, FAHA</a>  <a href="#">Sheryl Martin-Schild, M.D., Ph.D., FANA, FAHA</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: “NO SMOKE IS GOOD SMOKE” HOW VAPING IS INCREASING CASES OF COPD</u>                  Synopsis: COPD is a silent killer – but it doesn’t have to be. Smoking cigarettes and vaping are among the main causes of the lung disease, but manufacturing plants and air pollution can make even the healthiest</p>



	<p>person sick. Our experts explain ways to reduce your risk and how to manage COPD once you're diagnosed.                  Host: Greg Johnson                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Tony Punturieri, Program Officer in the Division of Lung Disease, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute; Dr. Siva Sivaraman, Pulmonologist, Director of the Respiratory Therapy Department, AtlantiCare Regional Medical Center                  Links for more info:  <a href="#">Dr. Sivashankar Sivaraman, MD - Galloway, NJ - Pulmonary Critical Care - Book Appointment</a>  <a href="#">Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)/Environment   NHLBI, NIH</a>  <a href="#">Punturieri, Antonello   Pri-Med</a>  <a href="#">Learn More Breathe Better®   NHLBI, NIH</a></p>
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Issue:	Healthcare
Program Name:	Radio Health Journal
Date Aired:	12/31/22
Time and Duration:	6 a.m. – 30 min
Description:	Talk program covering various health issues of the day
Narrative:	<p><u>SEGMENT 1: IF YOU HAVE A BRAIN, YOU'RE AT RISK FOR A SEIZURE - LET'S TALK ABOUT IT</u>                  Synopsis: While seizures are more common in very young and old age groups, they can happen to anyone. Our experts break down what causes seizures, who is a candidate for brain surgery, and why cannabis is becoming a popular treatment option.                  Host: Elizabeth Westfield                  Producer: Kristen Farrah                  Guests: Dr. Dipali Nemade, Epileptologist and Neurologist, Orlando Health Neuroscience Institute; Dr. Barry Gidal, Professor of Pharmacy and Neurology, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Medications Co-Editor, Epilepsy.com</p>



	<p>Links for more info: <a href="#">Barry E Gidal, PharmD, RPh</a> <a href="#">LinkedIn: Dr. Barry Gidal</a> <a href="#">Barry Gidal, PharmD   Epilepsy Foundation</a> <a href="#">Dipali Nemade, MD</a> <a href="#">Dipali Nemade, MD MPH (@drdips23) / X</a></p> <p><u>SEGMENT 2: “THEY’RE ACTIVELY TRYING TO DIE”: INSIDE THE MIND OF A TRAUMA SURGEON</u></p> <p>Synopsis: With the constant stress and chaos of emergency rooms, how do doctors keep a clear head to make life or death decisions? Dr. Stephen Cohn has been a trauma surgeon for more than 40 years. He takes us through a day-in-the-life, giving us an inside look at the hectic lives of emergency medicine physicians.</p> <p>Host: Greg Johnson Producer: Kristen Farrah Guests: Dr. Stephen Cohn, Trauma Surgeon, Hackensack Meridian Health, Author, All Bleeding Stops</p> <p>Links for more info: <a href="#">Dr. Stephen Cohn, MD - Hackensack, NJ - Surgical Critical Care</a> <a href="#">All Bleeding Stops: Life and Death in the Trauma Unit by Stephen M. Cohn M.D.   Barnes &amp; Noble®</a></p>
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