

Issues Today 23-40

Date Aired: 10/1/23 Time Aired: 8:30pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Abigail Zapote, Social Security Senior Adviser

She detailed information about the Supplemental Security Income program. She also explained their outreach programs to minority communities.

Issues covered:

1. Disabled Rights
2. Poverty

2. Fran Kern, Attorney, Division of Marketing Practices at FTC

She talked about the latest online scams that are going on. She also discussed what to do if you are a victim of a scam.

Issues covered:

1. Crime
2. Education

3. Jazmin Albarran, Executive Director of Seed Your Future

She gave a history of the organization and then talked about their efforts to produce more jobs in the horticultural industry. She also talked about education programs in the industry.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Careers

Issues Today 23-41

Date Aired: 10/8/23 Time Aired: 8:30pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Ron Siarniski, Bethany Shields, Members of National Fallen Fighters Foundation

They discussed their efforts to gain more donors for kidney transplants. They also talked about new national education campaigns.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Education

2. Jordan Crenshaw, Sen. VP of U.S. Chamber of Commerce Technology Engagement Center

He commented on how AI is helping small business. He also answered questions about whether AI will replace human jobs.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. AI

3. Mitch Petterson, Public Safety Engagement Lead for Onstar

He detailed why personal disaster preparedness is so important for everyone. He also gave some tips on what items are needed to get ready for a possible disaster.

Issues covered:

1. Emergency Preparedness
2. Communication

Issues Today 23-42

Date Aired: 10/15/23 Time Aired: 8:30pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Jonas Bordo, CEO and Co-Founder of Dwellsy

He gave some tips on how renters can better navigate leases. He also commented on the health of the rental market in the country.

Issues covered:

1. Rental Costs
2. Consumerism

2. Jeff Arnold, Consumer Advocate

He discussed how people can save money on insurance. He also commented on the effects of inflation on insurance costs.

Issues covered:

1. Insurance Costs
2. Inflation

3. Dr. Kami Hoss, Oral Health Expert

He discussed the problems that vaping has on oral health. He also talked nicotine addiction.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Drug Abuse

Issues Today 23-43

Date Aired: 10/22/23 Time Aired: 8:30pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Shushanna Mignot, Program Director of Safe Kids Worldwide

She gave some tips on how to educate kids about railroad safety. She also cited stats on injuries that do occur.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Education

2. Shannon Pope, Head of Diversity and Sustainability, Sony

She discussed new hearing aid options for those suffering hearing loss. She also talked about how to choose the right products.

Issues covered:

1. Hearing Loss
2. Health

3. Anand Varma, Wildlife Photographer with National Geographic

He detailed new exhibits that focus on wildlife photography. He also talked about the National Geographic Wonder Lab.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Education

Issues Today 23-44

Date Aired: 10/29/23 Time Aired: 5:30am
Length: 28 Min.

1. Mae Stevens, CEO of American Business Water Coalition

She gave a report on the status of water infrastructure in the country. She also talked about better public education on the subject.

Issues covered:

1. Water Pollution
2. Education

2. Melissa Mullampby, Mental Health Expert

She gave some tips on how people can better advocate for themselves regarding health care. She also talked about rising healthcare costs.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

3. Rosemary Britts, Executive Director of Sickle Cell Assn.

She defined the symptoms of Sickle Cell Disease. She also talked about treatments and ongoing research on the disease and the need for more blood donations.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Blood Donations