

Issues Today 20-40

Date Aired: 10-4-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Ben Kehl, Vice President of United Healthcare Medicare and Retirement

He detailed medicare options for those who are eligible. He also talked about the differences in plans.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

2. Jill Gonzalez, Analyst with Wallethub

She detailed the results of research into which states are lowering unemployment rates the fastest. She also discussed lingering effects of Coronavirus.

Issues covered:

1. Unemployment
2. Coronavirus

3. Al Kovach, Former Navy SEAL and Past President of Paralyzed Veterans of America

He commented on difficulties some vets have in voting. He also announced a website with voting options for vets.

Issues covered:

1. Veterans
2. Disabled Rights

Issues Today 20-41

Date Aired: 10-11-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min,

1. Cousin Brucie Morrow, Legendary DJ

He discussed the state of the radio business. He also talked about his move to New York station WABC from Sirius XM.

Issues covered:

1. Consumerism
2. Communication

2. Julie Swann, Professor at North Carolina State University

She defined herd immunity as it relates to the Coronavirus. She also talked about getting America back to good health.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Health

3. Kia Malone, Lifestyle Expert and Health Advocate

She talked about pain management. She also gave some new treatments that include heat and cold remedies.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Communication

Issues Today 20-42

Date Aired: 10-18-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Derek Black, Professor at University of Southern Carolina Law School

He discussed inequalities in education throughout the United States. He also talked about the differences between charter and public schools enrollment policies.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Youth

2. Jeff Salinger, Journalist and Author

He defined who gets into college and why. He also talked about ways for students to save tuition costs.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Youth

3. Jim Hartung, Author of "Rational Tax Reform"

He detailed a new system of taxation that would include a value added tax. He also talked about health insurance programs.

Issues covered:

1. Taxes
2. Economy

Issues Today 20-43

Date Aired: 10-25-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dwayne Bryant, Author of "The New Conversation"

He commented on perceived racism in America. He also talked about efforts to defund the police.

Issues covered:

1. Racism
2. Defund Police

2. Danielle Di Martino, CEO and Chief Strategist for Quill Intelligence LLC

She answered the question about whether the United States still needs the Federal Reserve. She also commented on the economy.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Big Government

3. Dr. Jonathan Graff-Radford, Viral Neurologist at Mayo Clinic

He gave an updated on research and treatments for Alzheimers disease. He talked about a new book from the Mayo Clinic for patients and caregivers.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

Issues Today 20-44

Date Aired: 11-1-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length : 28 Min.

1. David Ribeiro, Member of American Council for Energy Efficient Economy

He gave a report on American cities who have adopted environmental policies. He also commented on possible effects of Covid on future efforts.

Issues covered:

1. Environment
2. Coronavirus

2. Dr. Cornelius Grove, Education Researcher and Author

He commented on why some Asian students excel in America. He also talked about cultural differences between Asia and the United States.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Culture

3. Stacey Miller, Book Publisher, Writer and Editor

She commented on the growing problem of bullying in schools. She recalled her school days and how she has dealt with past tensions.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Bullying

Issues Today 20-45

Date Aired: 11-8-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Richard Levine, Author and Researcher

He discussed his book on the emergence of China as a huge influence on affairs of the world. He also talked about the need for better communication between China and the United States.

Issues covered:

1. Big Government
2. Communication

2. Nathaniel Turner, Author of "The Amazing World of STEM"

He talked about how to get young women interested in STEM education and careers. He also commented on school efforts to improve science education.

Issues covered:

1. Women
2. Education

3. Darris Cooper, Petco Dog Training Expert

He detailed some tips for those who are training dogs in the home. He also commented on increased time pets and owners are spending together.

Issues covered:

1. Pet Safety
2. Consumerism

Issues Today 20-46

Date Aired: 11-15-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dr. Christine Lovely, Cancer Specialist

She discussed why there have been less cancer cases during the pandemic. She urged everyone to get treatment and don't delay.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Communication

2. Andrew Parker, Founder of Papa.com

He commented on why seniors have felt more isolation during the pandemic. He also talked about his new service that matches Papa Pals with seniors.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Coronavirus

3. Dr. Karl Kern, Professor of Medicine, University of Arizona's Sarver Heart Center

He detailed new guidelines for CPR. He also discussed the importance of heart health and early diagnosis for problems.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Education

Issues Today 20-47

Date Aired: 11-22-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Neil Romano, Chairman of National Council on Disability

He discussed 30 years of the ADA. He also talked about challenges that still exist for the disabled.

Issues covered:

1. Disabled Rights
2. Health

2. Dr. Patrick Porter, Neuroscientist

He gave some tips for seniors to fight Alzheimers. He also talked about the importance of early detection of dementia.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

3. Dr. Elena Ratner Shanana Hazel, Ovarian Cancer Experts

They commented on rising rates of ovarian cancer. They also detailed symptoms and the importance of early detection.

Issues covered:

1. Women
2. Health

Issues Today 20-48

Date Aired: 11-29-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Jean Chatsky, CEO of Hermoney.com

She detailed various options for Medicare She also talked about the importance of health savings accounts.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

2. Dr. Kimberly Berens, Education Reform Expert

She described why so many students fail. She gave some solutions that include training teaches differently.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Youth

3. Dr. Satjit Bhusri, Diabetes Researcher

He detailed the various symptoms of diabetes. He also talked about the growing problem of juvenile diabetes.

Issues covered:

1. Seniors
2. Health

Issues Today 20-49

Date Aired: 12-6-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Matt DiBara, Home Improvement Expert

He gave tips on how to find the right contractor. He also talked about the increase in unethical contractors.

Issues covered:

1. Consumerism
2. Communication

2. Steve Simpson, Suicide Awareness Expert

He commented on growing teenage suicide rates during the pandemic. He also talked about warning signs of troubled teens.

Issues covered:

1. Suicide
2. Youth

3. Dr. John Jaquish, Fitness Expert

He defined how to set up a home gym. He also discussed parameters for individual workouts.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Fitness

Issues Today 20-50

Date Aired: 12-13-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Danielle McCoy, Vice President and Fair Lending Officer, Fannie Mae

She detailed options that people can use to keep from falling into foreclosure. She also explained forbearance from Fannie Mae.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Coronavirus

2. Dr. Timothy Smith, Alzheimers Researcher

He gave some tips on how people can reduce the symptoms of Alzheimers. He also stressed the need for early diagnosis.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Seniors

3. Andrew Ragusa, Broker at REMI Realty

He gave a report on the state of the real estate market. He also detailed how to find the right real estate agent.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Consumerism

Issues Today 20-51

Date Aired: 12-20-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. David Dozier, Professor and Author

He commented on efforts to end the death penalty. He also cited the high costs of continuing the practice.

Issues covered:

1. Death Penalty
2. Crime

2. Mary Ann Burke, Co-Founder of Generational Parenting Blog

She detailed new programs for on-line learning. She also talked about new programs for teachers.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Youth

3. Allan Stevo, Author of "Face Marks in One Lesson"

He discussed research into the wearing of masks. He also talked about ways people can legally not wear masks.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Health

Issues Today 20-52

Date Aired: 12-27-20 Time Aired: 6:30a
Length: 28 Min.

1. Rhett Buttle, National Business Advisor for Biden Campaign

He detailed ways minority business owners can be helped. He also talked about how the Coronavirus has affected national programs.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Coronavirus

2. Neil Bradley, Chief Policy Officer of U.S. Chamber of Commerce

He commented on efforts to get a new economic stimulus. He also discussed the effects of shutdowns.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Big Government

3. Dr. Judith Orloff, Psychiatrist and Author

She detailed ways people can deal with post-holiday depression. She also talked how to deal with people who are detrimental.

Issues covered:

1. Depression
2. Communication

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1. Health
2. Coronavirus
3. Communication
4. Youth
5. Seniors
6. Education
7. Big Government
8. Economy
9. Consumerism
10. Women

There were a total of 26 issues covered this quarter.