PUBLIC ISSUES

ISSUES PROGRAMS LIST

List reflects Information for quarter ending 03/31/08

. Saint Mary's Church Service

Many older citizens in the Community are unable to physically attend church services. This program

gives these citizens the ability to attend church from home and provides a much needed community

service.

aired m-s 12:00pm to 12:30 pm sun 12pm-1pm

.PSA's aired once a day randomly throughout the quarter

#### OBESITY PREVENTION

Nearly two-thirds of all adults are overweight or obese due to sedentary lifestyle and unhealthy eating habits. This campaign aims to inspire overweight adult Americans to adopt healthy habits for themselves and their children through healthy eating, portion control and increased physical activity. Viwers are encourage to visit www.smallstep.gov to learn more about small steps they can take toward a healthier lifestyle. Target Audience is the general publicand Overweight men and women 29-40 who are parents with children in the home, including specific African American and Hispanic targeted executions.

#### PATIENT INVOLVEMENT

THE US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ENCOURAGES CONSUMERS TO GET MORE INVOLVED WITH THEIR HEALTH CARE. THE CAMPAIGN OBJECTIVE IS TO ENCOURAGE CONSUMERS TO THINK ABOUT QUESTIONS THEY SHOULD ASK DURING MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS BY VISITING WWW.AHRQ.GOV. THE TARGET AUDIENCE IS THOSE WHO USE THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM FREQUENTLY, CAREGIVERS AND PARENTS.

## FORECLOSURE PREVENTION

FORECLOSURES ARE A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM IN OUR COUNTRY.

WE ESTIMATE THAT A STAGGERING ONE MILLION FAMILIES WILL FACE FORECLOUSRE THIS YEAR. NOT ONLY DO FORECLOUSRE HAVE A DISASTROUS FINANCIAL IMPACT ON A FAMILY, BUT THEY ALSO HAVE HARSH CONSEQUENCES FOR ENTIRE COMMUNITIES. JUST ONE OR TWO BOARDED UP HOMES CAN SEND A RESIDENTIAL BLOCK INTO A DOWNWARD SPIRAL, DRIVING DOWN PROPERTY VALUES AND LEASDING TO INCREASED CRIME, RUNDOWN SCHOOLS, AND FLAGGING ECONOMIC GROWTH. THE CAMPAIGN OBJECTIVE IS TO ENCOURAGE HOMEOWNERS AT RICK OF LOSING THEIR HOMES TO GET HELP. IT TARGETS LOW AND MODERATE INCOME FAMILIES WHO ARE HAVING MORTGAGE TROUBLE FOR A VARIETY OF REASONS.

### HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT PREVENTION

OBJECTIVE: TO ENCOURAGE TEENS TO STAY IN SCHOOL AND OBTAIN A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA. TARGET AUDIENCE: FRIENDS AND PARENTS OF AT-RISK HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS. DESCRIPTION: THE NEW PSAS FEATURE MEMBERS OF THE "CLASS OF '08" AND ENCOURAGE AT-RISK TEENS, PEERS AND PARENTS TO GIVE THEM A BOOST AT BOOSTUP.ORG. THE NEW BOOSTUP.ORG PROVIDES RESOURCES, TIPS, STORIES, AND AN INTERACTIVE COMMUNITY THAT ENABLES VISITORS TO SHOW THEIR SUPPORT FOR THE CLASS OF '08.

#### ELDER INVESTMENT SCAM

The more informed seniors are about financial matters, the less likely they are to fall victim to unscrupulous sales scams and schemes

# GET UP AND PLAY

Overweight adolescents have a 70 percent change of becoming overweight or obese adults.

Childhood overweight prevalence has more than tripled for children ages 6 to

### 11.

Teaching kids the importance of eating well and being physically active at a young age is crucial to reversing the trend of childhood obesity in this country.

The campaign focuses on the importance of eating healthy diet and being physically active.

It encourages children ages 6 to 13 years old to get up and play for at least one hour every day, and demonstates the fun that they can have doing it.

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