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QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

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Quarterly Issues/Programming Report for 2nd Quarter 2018

During this quarter, this station gave particular attention to the issues listed in the following 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.

ISSUE: Veterans

<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time and Duration</u>	<u>Description</u>
<u>WCCQ morning show with Roy & Carol; and afternoon show with Bossman</u>	<u>06/15/18</u>	<u>6a-10a</u> <u>2p-7p</u>	<u>The show is live in the morning and afternoon from Lallo's Bar & Grill in Channahon with K9's For Veterans, NFP. They are collecting donations for the Forgotten Warrior Memorial, which was recently vandalized in Channahon.</u>

*This station also airs a weekly program, on Sundays, called Radio Health Journal. It airs every Sunday, from 5am-5:30am. The following pages contain the issues and topics discussed, along with the week it aired.

**2018-Q2 (April-June) Radio Health Journal Quarterly Report
Compliance Issues covered this quarter:**

Addictions and treatment	Health care
Adolescents	Insurance
Alcohol and substance abuse and treatment	Interpersonal relationships
Animal welfare	Legal and justice system
Anti-trust	Local government
Autism	Medicare
Business and industry	Mental health and suicide
Consumer safety	Military
Consumerism	Opioid crisis
Crime and justice system	Parenting
Disabilities	Patient safety
Drug and substance abuse and treatment	Public health
Economics	Public safety
Education	Religion
Emergency response	Sexual assault and abuse
Ethics	Social media
Family and parenting issues	Sports, recreation and entertainment
Federal government, laws, legislation and regulation	State government regulation
First responders	Underage drinking
Food safety	Vaccines
Foreign trade	Water safety
Gifted youth	Women's issues
Government regulation	Workplace issues
Harm reduction	Youth at risk

Program 18-13 Producers Polly Hansen, Reed Pence
Air Week 4/1 – 4/7/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment Dur.
2:33 SEGMENT 1: SEXUALLY ABUSIVE DOCTORS 12:10

Synopsis: The Dr. Larry Nasser case has publicized doctors who sexually abuse patients. However, the extent of these assaults is unknown, as few doctors are ever punished and their misdeeds are never known. A reporter who investigated the official response to the problem and a physician who has worked on a sexual assault crisis line discuss the issue.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Altaf Saadi, neurologist and former sexual assault crisis line worker; Danny Robbins, investigative reporter, *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*

Compliance issues covered: sexual assault and abuse, crime and justice system, women's issues, state government regulation

Links for more information: <https://www.huffingtonpost.com/author/altaf-saadi>, <https://www.ajc.com/news/danny-robbins/bOvk2t5r6yheu3XxAFNa8J/>

15:15 SEGMENT 2: TEACHING DOCTORS TO LISTEN 7:34

Synopsis: Studies have found that many doctors don't really listen to their patients, and so miss how illness is affected by the "other things" in life. Experts discuss how to help doctors consider the patient as a whole.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Dr. Saul Jeremy Weiner, Prof. of Medicine, pediatrics & Medical Education, Univ. of Illinois and co-author, *Listening For What Matters: Avoiding Contextual Errors in Health Care*; Dr. Alan Schwartz, Michael Reese Endowed Prof. of Medical Education, Univ. of Illinois, Chicago, and co-author, *Listening For What Matters: Avoiding Contextual Errors in Health Care*.

Compliance issues covered: health care, education, consumerism, patient safety

Links for more information: <http://www.contextualizingcare.org>

Program 18-14 Producers Reed Pence, Polly Hansen
Air Week 4/8 – 4/14/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment Dur.
2:06 SEGMENT 1: THE PRICE CONSEQUENCES OF DOCTOR CONSOLIDATION 12:04

Synopsis: Hospitals and very large medical groups are buying up independent physician practices to the point that in some areas, it's hard to find independent doctors. Studies show purchased practices cost more for patients. Experts discuss the incentives that have prompted consolidation and moves to eliminate them.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Laurence Baker, Prof. of Health Research and Policy, Stanford Univ. School of Medicine; Dr. Christopher Ody, Research Asst. Prof., Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern Univ.

Compliance issues covered: health care, economics, federal government and regulations, anti-trust

Links for more information: <https://profiles.stanford.edu/laurence-baker>,
http://www.kellogg.northwestern.edu/faculty/directory/ody_christopher.aspx

15:10 SEGMENT 2: THE VACCINE RACE AND ETHICS 7:38

Synopsis: Millions of lives have been saved as a result of vaccines. But in the development of desperately needed vaccines, scientists cut corners in ways that wouldn't be allowed today. An expert discusses the balance of need and ethics in science and medicine.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Meredith Wadman, reporter, Science magazine and author, *The Vaccine Race: Science, Politics, and the Human Costs of Defeating Disease*

Compliance issues covered: health care, public health, ethics, religion, vaccines

Links for more information: <http://meredithwadman.com>

Program 18-15 Producers Pat Reuter, Reed Pence
Air Week 4/15 – 4/21/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment Dur.
2:05 SEGMENT 1: ADVENTURES OF A PARAMEDIC 11:46

Synopsis: Paramedics and EMTs are the first responders of the health system and often find violent, confusing situations on their arrival. A former paramedic describes the "inside story" of the job, its dangers and rewards.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Kevin Hazzard, author, *A Thousand Naked Strangers: A Paramedic's Wild Ride to the Edge and Back*

Compliance issues covered: health care, emergency response, public safety

Links for more information: <http://udayjanimd.com>, <http://glenvillemedicalconciiergecare.com>

14:53 SEGMENT 2: THE MYSTERY OF MENIERE'S DISEASE 7:49

Synopsis: Experts discuss symptoms and treatments of Meniere's disease, an often-misdiagnosed disorder producing loss of hearing and crippling vertigo.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: James Raath, business consultant and author, *Love Mondays*; Dr. David Friedland, Prof. and Vice Chair, Otolaryngology and Communication Sciences, Medical College of Wisconsin

Compliance issues covered: health care, disabilities

Links for more information: <https://www.nidcd.nih.gov/health/menieres-disease>, <http://www.lovemondays.global/#!/blog/iphv2>, <http://www.mcw.edu/ear-nose-throat/faculty/david-friedland.htm>

Program 18-16 Producer Reed Pence
Air Week 4/22 – 4/28/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time	Segment	Dur.
2:05	SEGMENT 1: DIAGNOSING PERINATAL DEPRESSION	12:56

Synopsis: Perinatal depression (previously known as postpartum depression) is seldom brought up by a new mother, so healthcare providers must screen for it carefully. However, sometimes they err on the side of caution in efforts to prevent the mother from harming herself or her baby. Experts discuss the balancing act.

Host: Reed Pence. **Guests:** Jessica Porten, new mother diagnosed with depression; Dr. Darby Saxbe, Asst. Prof. of Psychology, Univ. of Southern California; Dr. Tiffany Moore Simas, Assoc. Prof. of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Pediatrics, Psychiatry and Quantitative Health Sciences, Univ. of Massachusetts Medical School & co-chair, Maternal Mental Health Expert Work Group, Amer. College of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Compliance issues covered: health care, women's issues, youth at risk, public health and safety

Links for more information: https://dornsife.usc.edu/cf/psyc/psyc_faculty_display.cfm?person_id=1032709,
<https://profiles.umassmed.edu/display/129886>

16:03	SEGMENT 2: FOREIGN ACCENT SYNDROME	6:56
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Synopsis: People who suddenly speak with what sounds like a foreign accent often have a brain injury due to a stroke or other trauma. Experts discuss the symptoms the syndrome and chances of recovery.

Host: Nancy Benson. **Guests:** Dr. Sheila Blumstein, Albert D. Mead Prof. of Cognitive Linguistics and Psychological Sciences, Brown Univ.; Dr. Jack Ryalls, Prof. of Communication Sciences and Disorders, Univ. of Central Florida

Compliance issues covered: health care, disabilities

Link for more information: <https://www.brown.edu/Departments/CLPS/people/sheila-blumstein>,
<https://www.cohpa.ucf.edu/directory/john-ryalls/>

Program 18-19 Producers Reed Pence, Polly Hansen
Air Week 5/13 – 5/19/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment Dur.
2:04 SEGMENT 1: FIREFIGHTERS AND PTSD 12:20

Synopsis: Firefighters have extremely high rates of PTSD, similar to combat soldiers, yet are very reluctant to seek help. Experts discuss reasons for this reluctance, results of it, and how new efforts at peer counseling may help ease the psychological strain.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dan Robertson, Oakland CA fire lieutenant and President, Local 55, International Assn. of Firefighters; Dr. Suzy Bird Gulliver, Director and Chief, Warriors Research Institute, Baylor Scott & White health, Dallas, and Prof. of Psychiatry, Texas A&M College of Medicine Health Science Center

Compliance issues covered: health care, first responders, public safety, local government, military

Links for more information: <https://twitter.com/ofd20dr?lang=en>, <http://researchers.sw.org/wri/team>

15:26 SEGMENT 2: AUTISM AND PRODIGIES 7:30

Synopsis: Behavioral similarities between prodigies and some people with autism have long been noted. Now some researchers are beginning to find genetic links between the two phenomena. Experts discuss findings and their implications for autism treatment.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Joanne Ruthsatz, Asst. Prof. of Psychology, The Ohio State Univ. and author, *The Prodigy's Cousin: The Family Link Between Autism and Extraordinary Talent*; Dr. Jennifer Gerds, Asst. Prof. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Univ. of Washington and attending psychologist, Seattle Children's Autism Center

Compliance issues covered: youth at risk, gifted youth, health care

Links for more information: <http://www.prodigycousin.com>, <http://theautismblog.seattlechildrens.org/author/jgerds/>

Program Log for *Radio Health Journal*

Program 18-22 Producer Reed Pence
Air Week 6/3 – 6/9/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment Dur.
2:04 SEGMENT 1: DOCTOR SUICIDE 12:13

Synopsis: Doctors are attempting suicide in high numbers, and are much more likely than the general population to complete it. Experts discuss the coverup of doctor suicides, the reasons behind depression in doctors, and why doctors who are depressed are less likely than normal to get help.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Pamela Wible, founder, Ideal Medical Care movement and author, *Physician Suicide Letters, Answered*; Dr. Louise Andrew, founder, MD Mentor

Compliance issues covered: health care, public health, mental health and suicide, education, government regulation

Links for more information: <http://www.idealmedicalcare.org/blog>, <http://www.mdmentor.com/who-we-are/>

15:20 SEGMENT 2: ENHANCING FOOD SAFETY 7:27

Synopsis: Increasing recalls for food contamination have scared many Americans. A noted expert discusses why contamination scares are becoming more common, what government and producers are doing to protect us, and what we can do in our own kitchens to make foods safer.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Mark Tamplin, former food safety adviser, World Health Organization and US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and author, *Phage*.

Compliance issues covered: food safety, consumer safety, health care, public health, government regulation, agriculture, business and industry

Links for more information: <http://marktamplin.com/index.html>

Program Log for *Radio Health Journal*

Program 18-23 Producer Reed Pence
Air Week 6/10 – 6/16/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment

2:05 SEGMENT 1: TACKLING HIGH DRUG PRICES

Dur.

12:13

Synopsis: The White House has rolled out a plan to reduce the cost of prescription drugs nationally. Experts and those involved discuss elements of the plan and how it might work.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Donald Trump, President of the United States; Eric Hargan, Deputy Secretary, US Dept. of Health and Human Services; Dr. David Hyman, Prof. of Law, Georgetown Univ. Law Center and co-author, *Overcharged: Why Americans Pay Too Much for Healthcare*; Alex Azar, Secretary, US Department of Health and Human Services

Compliance issues covered: health care, public health, Medicare, federal government, laws, legislation and regulation, economics, foreign trade, insurance

Links for more information: <https://www.whitehouse.gov>, <https://www.hhs.gov/about/leadership/eric-d-hargan/index.html>, <https://www.law.georgetown.edu/faculty/david-hyman/>, <https://www.hhs.gov/about/leadership/secretary/alex-m-azar/index.html>

15:20 SEGMENT 2: THE “BASEBALL RULE”

7:35

Synopsis: People injured by foul balls at major league baseball games have little chance of recovering damages against teams because of a more-than century old judicial rule that essentially says fans know the risk they’re taking by attending. Experts explain the rule and recent moves by teams to play it safe.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guests: Eldon Ham, sports attorney and faculty member, Chicago-Kent College of Law; Nathaniel Grow, Assoc. Prof. of Business Law and Ethics, Kelley School of Business, Indiana Univ.

Compliance issues covered: sports, recreation and entertainment, legal and justice system, youth at risk

Links for more information: <http://eldonham.com>, <https://kelley.iu.edu/faculty-research/faculty-directory/profile.cshhtml?id=GROWN>

Program Log for *Radio Health Journal*

Program 18-24 Producer Polly Hansen and Reed Pence
Air Week 6/17 – 6/23/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment

Dur.

2:05 SEGMENT 1: DRUG ABUSE AND HARM REDUCTION

12:21

Synopsis: As the opioid crisis continues, the city of Vancouver, BC, has found that a harm reduction approach helps addicts move to safer drug use and eventually getting clean. An author who's watched the process discusses the controversial approach of officially allowing drug use, but in safer conditions.

Host: Reed Pence. Guest: Travis Lupick, author, *Fighting for Space: How a Group of Drug Users Transformed One City's Struggle With Addiction*

Compliance issues covered: drug and substance abuse and treatment, opioid crisis, local government, harm reduction

Links for more information: <https://www.fightingforspace.com>

15:28 SEGMENT 2: LIVING THROUGH EXCRUCIATING PAIN

6:59

Synopsis: Pain is an often misunderstood reality for millions of people. A noted university professor who became a quadriplegic in a bicycle accident discusses her constant pain and the way it changes life.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Christina Crosby, Prof. of English and Feminist, Gender and Sexuality Studies, Wesleyan Univ. and author, *A Body, Undone: Living On After Great Pain*

Compliance issues covered: consumerism, health care

Links for more information: <http://magazine.wesleyan.edu/2016/04/05/christina-crosby-a-body-undone/>

Program Log for Radio Health Journal

Program 18-25 Producer Reed Pence
Air Week 6/24 – 6/30/2018 Production Director Sean Waldron

Time Segment

2:05 SEGMENT 1: VANISHING TEEN RITES OF PASSAGE Dur. 12:39

Synopsis: Teenagers used to experience rites of passage including getting a driver’s license, going out on dates, drinking, having sex, & getting a job. They’re engaging in these activities much less often today. It means less risk, but may leave adolescents less ready for adulthood and independence. Experts discuss.

Host: Reed Pence. Guests: Dr. Jean Tweenge, Prof. of Psychology, San Diego State Univ. & author, *I-Gen: Why Today’s Superconnected Kids Are Growing Up Less Rebellious, More Tolerant, Less Happy and Completely Unprepared for Adulthood*; Rachel Simmons, Leadership Development Specialist, Smith College and author, *Enough As She Is: How to Help Girls Move Beyond Impossible Standards of Success to Live Happy, Healthy and Fulfilling Lives*; Dr. Dan Siegel, Clinical Prof. of Psychiatry, UCLA School of Medicine, Exec. Director, Mindsight Institute and author, *Brainstorm: The Power and Purpose of the Teenage Brain*

Compliance issues covered: youth at risk, adolescents, parenting, education, underage drinking, social media

Links for more information: <http://www.jeantwenge.com>, <https://www.rachelsimmons.com>, <http://www.drdansiegel.com>

15:42 SEGMENT 2: BABIES AND THEIR GUT BACTERIA 7:22

Synopsis: Children have up to five times as much asthma and allergies as their grandparents, and a new study shows that an imbalance of gut bacteria in the first year of life may be why. An expert pediatrician discusses why this occurs and ways to address the problem.

Host: Nancy Benson. Guest: Dr. Tanya Altmann, Asst. Clinical Prof. of Pediatrics, UCLA Mattel Children’s Hospital and Editor In Chief, American Academy of Pediatrics parenting book series

Compliance issues covered: youth at risk, public health, consumerism

Links for more information: <https://www.drtanya.com>