

iHeartRadio Communities: Public Affairs Special

30min show for all English stations to run in place of current show or in addition to.

Designed to focus on the biggest issues impacting you this week.

To air: 10/3/21

Guests & Topics:

- **Shari Sinwelski the Deputy Director of the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.** For an in-depth discussion on suicide in the United States. Also joining the show is **Onney Crawley, Chief Marketing Officer at Goodwill Industries International**, to talk about Goodwill's work to close America's skills gap.

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To air: 10/10/21

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Ilan Shapiro, a pediatrician and Medical Director of Health Education and Wellness for AltaMed**, who speaks to health and wellness issues within the Hispanic community for Hispanic Heritage Month. Also joining the show are **Reverend Markel Hutchins, Founder, Chairman, and CEO of Movement Forward Inc.**, and **lead organizer of the national faith and blue weekend, and NYC Police commissioner Dermot Shea.** They discuss the upcoming nationwide event and different ways to bring law enforcement and communities together to solve problems.

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To air: 10/17/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Officials with the Federal Trade Commission and the National Association of Attorneys General** to discuss pandemic-related scams. Also, **Chloe Demrovsky, President & CEO of Disaster Recovery Institute International**, joined the show to explain the supply-chain disruptions and shipping delays impacting Americans right now.

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To air: 10/24/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Ken Seeley, an interventionist and featured expert on the Emmy award-winning A&E series Intervention.** They discuss the underlying reasons for addiction, the importance of interventions, and the growing fentanyl crisis. **Dr. Murtaza Akhter, Clinical Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine** and an **ER physician at the University of Arizona College of Medicine-Phoenix**, also joined the show to talk about life on the frontline of the pandemic.

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To air: 10/31/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Dorraya El-Ashry, Chief Scientific Officer for the Breast Cancer Research Foundation.** In light of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, they discuss the ongoing battle against breast cancer. Also, **Dr. Pooja Shah, Division Medical Director and OBGYN for Banner Health in Phoenix,** joined the show to discuss concerns about pregnancy and fertility and the COVID-19 vaccines.

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To air: 11/7/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Kenneth Alexander, Chief of Infectious Diseases at Nemours Children's Hospital in Florida,** who discussed the new COVID-19 vaccine for kids ages 5-11. Also joining the show are **Dr. Matthew Miller, a US Air Force Veteran and National Director of Suicide Prevention at the Department of Veterans Affairs,** and **Heidi Aurthur, the Chief Campaign Development Officer at the Ad Council.** They talk about the "Don't Wait, Reach Out" campaign, which aims to prevent veteran suicide.

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To air: 11/14/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Children's Miracle Network Hospitals President and CEO Teri Nestel** joins the show to discuss the history of the organization and the lifesaving work they do across North America. **Ava Paige, the 2022 Children's Miracle Network Hospitals National Champion,** also checked in to talk about her experience receiving cancer treatment at the Children's Miracle Network Hospital, along with her work as an ambassador for the organization. And finally, the mother of a child who received life-saving care at a Children's Miracle Network Hospital shared her powerful story, offering insight into the tremendous work these institutions do for kids with severe medical conditions.

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Guests & Topics:

- **Colleen Tressler, a Consumer Education Specialist with the FTC's Division of Consumer and Business Education; Heather Allen, Assistant Director for the FTC's Division of Financial Practices; and Abby Stempson, Director of the National Attorneys General Training and Research Institute's Center for Consumer Protection at the National Association of**

Attorneys General. They offer practical advice about budgeting, understanding your credit, dealing with debt, and organizing your finances. Plus, how to spot, stop, and report scams and bad business practices that went to separate you from your money and personal information. Also, **Rear Admiral Denise Hinton, Deputy U.S. Surgeon General,** who was recently the Chief Scientist at the Food and Drug Administration, joins the show to talk about COVID-19 safety tips for the Thanksgiving holiday.

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To air: 11/28/21

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. William Schaffner, Medical Director of the National Foundation for Infectious Diseases,** discusses flu season and COVID-19. Also, **Dale Bannon, National Community Relations & Development Director for the Salvation Army, and Ken Fisher, CEO of the Fisher House Foundation,** join the show to talk about their organizations' work this holiday season.

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To air: 12/5/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Steven Gordon, Chair of the Department of Infectious Disease at Cleveland Clinic.** Dr. Gordon offers an update on the state of the pandemic across the U.S. Also, **Dr. Carrie Tibbles, Director of Graduate Medical Education at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston,** joins the show to discuss her firsthand experience on the frontlines of the pandemic.

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To air: 12/12/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **NBC News Radio Correspondent Rory O'Neill's conversation with Dr. Francis Collins, Director of the National Institutes of Health.** Discuss balancing pregnancy with professional responsibilities. Plus Ryan Gorman Hosts talks to **Arianna Taboada, author of the Expecting Entrepreneur.**

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To air: 12/19/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Rachel Villanueva, an OBGYN and Clinical Assistant Professor at the NYU Grossman School of Medicine.** She's also President of the National Medical Association, and she joined the show to discuss the pandemic, including what we know about the Omicron variant. Also, **FBI**

Supervisory Special Agent Sandra Torres-Cone checked in to discuss the process of investigating and prosecuting hate crimes.

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To air: 12/26/2021

Guests & Topics:

- **Dr. Adi Rosario, a scientist, and lieutenant in the U.S. Public Health Services**, serving in the office of the U.S. Surgeon General. Dr. Rosario provides the latest information on the Omicron variant and explains why vaccines and booster shots are vital for preventing severe illness from COVID-19. **Dr. Kelly Sanders, Technical Lead of the Pandemic Response Initiative at the UCSF Institute of Global Health Sciences**, also checks in to talk about the impact of COVID-19 on children and to assess our country's response to the pandemic.