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Virtual Family Medicine Residency Fair

KAFP/KU Rural Health & Education Services

Calling all medical students! You are invited to attend this virtual Kansas Family Medicine Residency Fair featuring presentations from our four residency programs:

- Ascension Via Christi Family Medicine Residency
- KU Family Medicine Residency
- Smoky Hill Family Medicine Residency
- Wesley Family Medicine Residency

Don't miss this opportunity to engage with each of the residency program's residents and faculty!

Sign up today!

[Learn More!](#)

CAJ Family Medicine International Scholarship Award Application Closes August 15

KAFP-Foundation

Attention all second- and third-year Kansas family medicine residents: The KAFP-Foundation's, "Carol A Johnson MD Family Medicine International Scholarship" application deadline is **Aug.15, 2020**. If you have a passion for international health care missions and a story of your mission work to share, don't miss this opportunity to earn a \$1,500 scholarship and the opportunity to present your work during *Fam Med Forward 2021*.

[Apply Today!](#)

Apply for Committee Sign-Ups by Aug. 3

KAFP

KAFP invites members to serve on a 2020-21 committee or task force and [complete your interest form](#) today. If you volunteered last year, you still need to sign-up for the new year. Through committee involvement you can provide input into Academy activities and help advance the mission of the KAFP.

The following active committees and task forces are seeking volunteers:

- Communications and Awards Committee
- Governmental Advocacy Committee
- Membership and Member Services Committee
- Professional Development Committee
- Governance Restructure Task Force
- Implicit Bias Training Task Force
- Rural Health Summit Task Force

You can review the descriptions, time commitments and expected outcomes of our committees and task forces on the KAFP website. We are requesting sign-ups by Aug. 3 to get committees and task forces started. However, you may sign-up for a committee or task force at any time during the year. You can [Apply here](#).

If you have questions, please contact info@kafponline.org. Thank you for your interest in serving and your commitment to KAFP.

[Volunteer Today!](#)

Education

Medicaid Expansion and You: Strengthening Our Advocacy Together

Alliance for a Healthy Kansas

The Alliance for a Healthy Kansas is hosting virtual meetings on Zoom this summer to inform citizens and candidates for public office about Medicaid expansion in Kansas.

Learn how you can step up your advocacy efforts on this critical issue. Your feedback is important to your community. Please plan to attend a summer virtual tour.

Medicaid Expansion and You: Strengthening Our Advocacy Together (Johnson Co)
When: July 30, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. [Register to receive Zoom link and information.](#)

Check back frequently to learn what virtual meetings are being offered at <http://www.expandkancare.com/events/>

Resources

Pneumococcal Vaccine Patient Education Available

AAFP

FamilyDoctor.org has new vaccine information and handouts available for print and download to share with your patients. Check it out!

- [Pneumococcal vaccines for seniors \(English\)](#)
- [Pneumococcal vaccines for seniors \(Spanish\)](#)
- [Do I need a pneumococcal vaccine? \(handout\)](#)

Important Dates

July 30-August 1 | Virtual AAFP National Conference Family Medicine Residents
August 28 | Virtual Kansas Family Medicine Residency Fair
October 13-17 | Virtual AAFP FMX