

September 9, 2020



Action

Register today for "Building Cultural Intelligence to Breakdown Racism" KAFP

Join this virtual half-day CME event and learn how to be more culturally intelligent by developing awareness skills for people of other races and ethnic backgrounds through understanding biases towards other cultures, races and traditions.

Title: Building Cultural Intelligence to Breakdown Racism

Date: Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2020

Time: Noon - 5:00 p.m.

Cost: \$200 KAFP Active, Life, Supporting | \$130 Resident | \$100 Student **CME:** 4.50 Prescribed credits by the American Academy of Family Physicians

Host: American Academy of Family Physicians and Ohio Academy of Family Physicians

Sign Up Today!

You can expect a highly interactive half-day program with a professional diversity speaker driving the conversation. As a family physician, you will also be able to apply your knowledge toward the American Board of Family Medicine's (ABFM) recently released Health Equity Performance Improvement activity.

COVID-19 Web Page "Back to School" Resources Includes Education on Masks for Children

KAFP

We continue to update and reorganize KAFP's COVID-19 resource page on the KAFP website for our members, including most recently a section for "Back to School" resources. This week we feature our newest resources addressing masks and children, such as "No Doctor's Notes for Masks," Mask Myth Busters," "How to Address Mask Anxiety," and MORE! Check it out at https://kafponline.org/COVID-19 under the "Back to School" section.

If you have additional resources, please let us know at info@kafponline.org.

Your Feedback Needed

Help KAFP provide the best resources for you and your colleagues on the <u>COVID-19 web page</u> by answering the following questions:

- 1.) What is your "best practice" during the pandemic you would like to share?
- 2.) What obstacles or issues have you, your staff or your clinic/hospital encountered during the pandemic?

Email your answers to info@kafponline.org. We will publish all best practices at https://kafponline.org/COVID-19

Complete Telehealth Survey by Sept. 11

KAFP

If you have already completed the "Telehealth in Kansas during COVID-19" survey, we thank you! If you have not taken the survey, please take a few minutes to help us examine how telehealth is changing across Kansas. The survey closes at midnight on **Friday, September 11**.

We have partnered with the United Methodist Health Ministry Fund and the University of Kansas Medical Center on this brief survey:

Take Survey

Your responses are anonymous unless you choose to identify yourself. We greatly appreciate your participation and look forward to learning about how telehealth is being utilized across the state and how we can use this information to help you improve your practice and inform policy makers about the importance of telehealth. We will also share the outcomes from this survey with you later this year.

New Member Interest Groups

AAFP

The AAFP Board of Directors recently approved creation of the following new Member Interest Groups (MIGs): Physicians for Life, Integrative Medicine, and Medical Aid in Dying.

You can find out more information about all MIGs, including the newly created ones<u>online</u>. To join, visit the individual webpage for a MIG and click on the "Visit the Community" button located near the bottom left side of the web page to be redirected to the online community for the group. Upon reaching that page, click "Join Group."

The MIGs purpose is to give AAFP members a forum where they can network and share ideas. To date, the Board has approved 21 MIGs since the Academy first launched these groups in 2014.

Members who have questions about MIGs are encouraged to email MIG support for more information.

Resources

Free CME! Beyond Rehab: Expanding the Community to Care for Addiction Treatment

KUSM-W

You are invited to attend the following virtual course free of charge and receive 4.00 AAFP Prescribed credits.

Title: Beyond Rehab: Expanding the Community for Addiction Treatment

Date: October 6, 2020 **Time:** Noon - 4:00 p.m.

Sponsored by KU School of Medicine Wichita, Department of Family and Community Medicine

For registration, schedule and objectives: CLICK HERE. Please register by Monday, Oct. 5.

2020 Kansas Cancer Policy Forum: COVID-19 and Access to Care - Oct. 8

ACS CAN

The American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN) invites you to their annual Kansas Cancer Policy Forum as a virtual event on Oct. 8 from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. This year's program focuses on the impact of COVID-19 on access to cancer care and prevention, particularly in light of the legislature's lack of action on Medicaid expansion during the 2020 session.

Plan to attend this event free if charge. Learn more and register here.

Important Dates

October 11 -13 | <u>Virtual AAFP Congress of Delegates</u> October 13-17 | <u>Virtual AAFP FMX</u>