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Weekly Update

Week of November 2nd, 2020

Happy Wednesday CHN family! We wanted to make you aware of some resources that were sent our way this week. **FREE Coronavirus testing sites for this week can be found [here](#).**

****Scroll to the bottom to read about and register for our [most exciting COVID-Call yet!](#)**

REMINDER: UCF Development Grant Applications are DUE: November 15th! Head to the **Member Portal** for details and relevant documents. [Email Christianna Barnard](#) with questions or concerns.

Have a great week!



Important News:

The Health Resources and Services Administration released the [HRSA 2019-2020 Health Equity Report: Special Feature on Housing and Health Inequalities](#).

Highlights include:

A special feature on housing and health inequalities in the United States shows the impact of housing status and housing conditions, a key social determinant, on population health and health equity.

Life expectancy for all Americans increased from 68.2 years in 1950 to 78.6 years in 2017, yet for American Indians/Alaska Natives and non-Hispanic Blacks life expectancy was 74.3 and 76.0 years respectively.

Infant mortality rates in the U.S. decreased overall from 6.9 per 1000 live births in 2000 to 5.8 in 2017, yet Black infants are still at more than twice the risk of mortality as White infants.

Children living in subsidized housing units are 4 times more likely to be in fair/poor health than those living in owner-occupied homes (4.4 percent vs. 1.1 percent).

COVID-19 Guides for Keeping Safe and Healthy Homes and Places of Worship from the Office of Minority Health

Please see the attached COVID-19 Guides for keeping safe and healthy at Home and in Sacred spaces. These guides share practices for households and spaces of worship that can help people protect themselves, their loved ones and their communities from further spread of COVID-19.

[At Home Guide](#)

[Faith Leaders Guide](#)

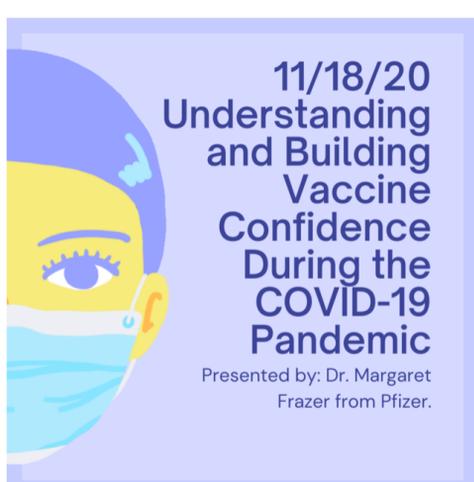
Fauci Says First U.S. COVID-19 Vaccines Could Ship Late December or Early January

Check out this article ([click here](#)) discussing the latest information about COVID-vaccine roll-out. If all goes well, the first doses of a safe and effective coronavirus vaccine will likely become available to some high-risk Americans in late December or early January, according to Dr. Anthony Fauci, the top U.S. infectious diseases expert. Moderna and Pfizer started the final stage of clinical testing in late July for a vaccine, with tens of thousands of people taking part in each trial. Pfizer, which was expected to announce interim data in October, is now unlikely to release data before November.

Want more information about the COVID vaccine and distribution?

[Join our COVID-Call on November 18th](#) to hear from a Pfizer representative!

COVID-19 Discussion Group:



The Charitable Healthcare Network is hosting a **bi-weekly** virtual discussion group for Ohio's charitable healthcare organizations. Here we will check-in with one another as well as share resources and strategies on our approach to handling the COVID-19 pandemic. Meetings will be held Wednesdays from 11am-12pm. Download the recording from our most recent meeting below or register to join live!

November 18th, 2020 at 11 am

Margaret [Meg] Frazer, MD is a neurologist, and senior medical director, within Pfizer Medical Affairs. She has a research background in Neuroimmunopathological diseases outside of Pfizer and currently works in the arena of vaccines research and education for Pfizer.

Through her talk she will discuss:

- Vaccine attitudes overview
- Vaccine confidence – why it is important
- Vaccination rates and trends
- Pandemic vaccine development process
- Building Vaccine Confidence



Unlike previous calls, **this call will be open to the public** to increase interest for such an important presentation. **Invite your friends, coworkers and colleagues to attend!** Join us for this timely presentation on vaccine confidence in the era of COVID-19.

Would you or someone you know be interested in hosting a discussion? [Click Here](#).

Download, view, or watch meeting recordings here

Register for the COVID-19 Discussion Group

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