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# HEALTH & WELLNESS

NEWS & VIEWS ON: HEALTHIER LIVING, NUTRITION, MEDICAL ADVANCEMENTS AND FITNESS



## American Heart Association applauds City of Milwaukee for supporting healthy food access

The American Heart Association commends the City of Milwaukee, with leadership from Alderman Khalif Rainey, for launching the Fresh Food Access Fund, to assist in building a healthier Milwaukee.

“We want to thank the City of Milwaukee for investing in strategies to improve access to, and education about, healthy and affordable foods in our community,” says Dr. Anoop Singh, President of the American Heart Association’s Metro Milwaukee Board of Directors.

In November 2018, the City of Milwaukee, with advocacy support from the American Heart Association and other groups, allotted \$400,000 to the Fresh Food Access Fund (FFAF).

Starting on Wednesday, January 29, this money will start funding grants that support both capital expenditures and education programs for consumers.

The FFAF will be available to for-profit and

not-for-profit businesses, who are working to increase fresh food access and healthy food choices in underserved communities.

These areas, commonly referred to as “food deserts,” are filled with fast food restaurants and other unhealthy options.

This investment will help create more healthy outlets where residents can purchase and learn about the foods necessary for a nutritious diet.

“I am pleased to see the work of the American Heart Association alongside many other community organizations, come to fruition with this grant program,” said Singh.

“We know that so many groups and individuals in Milwaukee have the ideas and the passion to transform health. I’m excited to see how this investment from the City will jump start those innovations.”

To learn more about the Fresh Food Access Fund, please visit: [www.milwaukee.gov/ffaf](http://www.milwaukee.gov/ffaf).



## Outbreak of Novel 2019-nCoV, “CORONAVIRUS”

The City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) along with state and federal partners are monitoring an outbreak of respiratory illness caused by a novel (new) coronavirus (termed 2019-nCoV) that was first detected in Wuhan, China and which continues to expand. The United States announced their first infection with 2019-nCoV detected in a traveler returning from Wuhan on January 21, 2020. It’s not clear yet how easily 2019-nCoV spreads from person-to-person.

Coronaviruses are a large family of viruses, some causing illness in people and others that circulate among animals, including camels, cats and bats. Rarely, animal coronaviruses can evolve and infect people.

When person-to-person spread has occurred, it is thought to have happened via respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes, similar to how influenza and other respiratory pathogens spread. Common signs of infection include respiratory symptoms, fever, cough, shortness of breath, and

breathing difficulties. In more severe cases, infection can cause pneumonia, kidney failure, and even death.

On January 17, 2020, CDC began implementing public health entry screening at San Francisco (SFO), New York

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## Alverno College Launches State’s First Neonatal Nurse Practitioner, Dual Adult-Gerontology Primary and Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Programs

Alverno College has launched two new Master of Science in Nursing programs — a Neonatal Nurse Practitioner program and a Dual Adult-Gerontology Primary and Acute Care Nurse Practitioner program — both designed to educate nurse practitioners who will serve vulnerable populations.

The programs are the first of their kind in Wisconsin and will advance the work of Alverno’s strategic plan, which aims to support workforce development in southeastern Wisconsin and beyond, significantly contributing to the evolution of health care by improving accessibility, increasing care quality and lowering costs.

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# The Waiting Room

## News and Notes on Health and Wellness

### NEW YEAR, NEW SMILE: RESOLUTIONS FOR A HEALTHY MOUTH

The New Year is coming, and it's time to make your resolution! Choosing one can be easy, but sticking with it can be challenging.

If you're still undecided on your resolution, or have room for one more, make your goal a healthier smile with some simple changes to your oral hygiene routine.

### Board of Health Announces New President and Vice President

On Tuesday, October 8, 2019, the Board of Health held their first meeting at the Frank P. Zeidler Municipal Building. The board voted on its first officers. We are pleased to announce the selection of Dr. Marylyn Ranta and Mrs. Caroline Gomez-Tom, respectively. Dr. Ranta will be the President and Mrs. Gomez-Tom will be the Vice President. They will serve in these roles through September 2020.

Dr. Ranta is currently the Associate Chief Medical Officer at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin.

She is a pediatrician who has worked in private practice as well as public health. Her work at Children's includes addressing social determinants of health and advocating for effective vaccine policy.

Mrs. Caroline Gomez-Tom is the Director of Patient and Community Engagement at Sixteenth Street Community Health Centers. Gomez-Tom previously worked at Covering WI and played a significant role in Milwaukee winning the 2015 Healthy Cities Challenge by enrolling over 38,000 individuals in health coverage.

"I am very encouraged by the level of engagement and dedication of our Board of Health.

Improving the health department will continue to require an "all hands on deck" approach. I am confident that our Board of Health and our new leadership will enable us to move forward" said Commissioner of Health, Dr. Jeanette Kowalik.

The City of Milwaukee Health Department and the Board of Health congratulates these two outstanding individuals and we look forward to their leadership in advancing the vision and mission of the department.

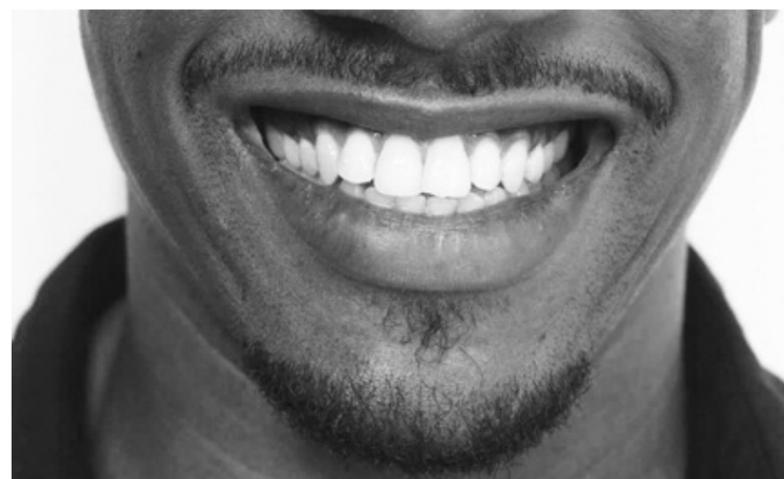
There's no better time to start caring more about your teeth and gums than right now," says WDA President-Elect Dr. Paula Crum, a periodontist in Green Bay. "Good oral hygiene is important for a number of reasons – it helps prevent cavities and gum disease, lowers your risk to other serious health problems and can save you from pricey dental procedures later on.

Caring for your mouth can go a long way toward your overall wellness, and is an important element of daily self-care.

Practicing a consistent and proper routine is not only a worthwhile goal, it's also easier than you may think."

The WDA recommends these tips to better your oral health:

• Treat flossing as important as brushing. In addition to brushing in the morning and at bedtime, an essential part of a good oral health routine is cleaning between your teeth.



You may be thinking, "Aren't I already doing this when I brush?"

Unfortunately, toothbrush bristles alone are unable to effectively clean these tight spaces.

When left uncared for, these areas can develop plaque that is harmful to your gums and teeth. Interdental cleaning should be done at least once

per day, at any time of your choosing. The most important factor in flossing isn't necessarily when it is done during the day, rather how. Next time you're with a dentist, talk to them about proper flossing technique and recommendations on the best-suited products for you.

• Improve your diet. If you're

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**Denise Cullen**

Age 61 yrs. January 19, 2020. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 1, 2020 at 12 Noon at Gospel Lutheran Church 1535 W. Capitol Dr. Visitation Saturday 11AM at the CHURCH until time of services. The family is served by:



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# Alverno College Launches State's First Neonatal Nurse Practitioner, Dual Adult-Gerontology Primary and Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Programs

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"The demand for health care professionals, particularly advanced practice nurses, continues to rise, so these new nurse practitioner tracks are a logical step forward for us," said Patricia Varga, Ph.D., RN, CNE, dean of the Alverno College JoAnn McGrath School of Nursing and Health Professions. "Through this work, we are concretely addressing gaps in health care delivery for the people of Wisconsin, especially the most vulnerable among us. This is essential work."

Both programs, open to women and men, are accepting applications now.

Working in hospital settings, neonatal nurse practitioners provide care, order and interpret diagnostic tests, and develop complex treatment plans designed to maximize the health of their patients and prevent complications.

Under the leadership of Program Chair Media Esser, Ph.D., NNP-BC, APNP, CWN, the Neonatal Nurse Practitioner program will prepare students to provide acute and critical advanced practice nursing care to preterm (infants born after fewer than 37 weeks of pregnancy) and full-term newborns, infants and children up to 2 years old. The program will be offered online, except for an advanced clinical procedures course and clinical practicum experiences.

Dually certified adult-gerontology primary and acute care nurse practitioners work in primary and specialty care outpatient clinics and acute and critical care hospital settings. Under the leadership of Program Chairs Laurie Kunkel-Jordan, Ph.D., ANP-BC, CCRN, and Sarah Foster, DNP, APNP, AGACNP-BC, FNP-BC, NP-C, the Dual Adult-Gerontology Primary and Acute Care Program will prepare students to promote health, prevent disease, and manage chronic, episodic and complex health conditions across adult populations.

Students in the dual track will complete 50 credits in theory, advanced clinical procedures and clinical practicum experiences, including 1,200 supervised practice hours. Graduates of this track will be ready for dual certification as adult-gerontology primary care nurse practitioners and adult-gerontology acute care nurse practitioners, providing them with an expanded scope of practice and employability.

Students in Alverno's JoAnn McGrath School of Nursing and Health Professions build crucial interprofessional relationships; provide holistic, patient-focused, evidence-based care; and construct strategies for change in health care environments.

For more information, visit [alverno.edu/msn](http://alverno.edu/msn) or call the Alverno Admissions office at 414-382-6100.

# Outbreak of Novel 2019-nCoV, "CORONAVIRUS"

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(JFK), and Los Angeles (LAX) airports. This week CDC will add entry health screening at two more airports – Atlanta (ATL) and Chicago (ORD).

While the MHD and other public health authorities considers this a serious public health concern, based on current information, the immediate health risk from 2019-nCoV to the general American public is considered low at this time. This is a rapidly evolving situation. The City of Milwaukee Health Department will continue to update the public as circumstances warrant. For questions, please contact:

City of Milwaukee Health Department at 414-286-0924  
Wisconsin Department of Health Services at 608-266-1683  
Department of Public Health Bureau of Communicable Diseases at 608- 267-9003

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\* "25 Most Dangerous Cities In America", USA TODAY, August 14, 2019

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# Effort To Control Opioids In An ER Leaves Some Sickle Cell Patients In Pain

India Hardy has lived with pain since she was a toddler — from dull persistent aches to acute flare-ups that interrupt the flow of her normal life.

The pain is from sickle cell disease, a group of genetic conditions that affect about 100,000 people in the U.S., many of them of African or Hispanic descent.

Sitting in the afternoon heat on her mom's porch in Athens, Ga., Hardy remembers how a recent "crisis" derailed her normal morning routine.

"It was time for my daughter to get on the bus, and she's too young to go on her own," Hardy recalls. "I was in so much pain I couldn't walk. So, she missed school that day."

Sickle cell disease affects red blood cells, which travel throughout the body carrying oxygen to tissues.

Healthy red blood cells are shaped like plump and flexible doughnuts, but in people with sickle cell disease, the red blood cells are deformed, forming c-shaped "sickles" that are rigid and sticky.

These sickle-shaped cells can cause blockages in the blood vessels, slowing or even stopping normal blood flow.

An episode of blockage is known as a sickle cell "crisis" — tissues and organs can be damaged because of lack of oxygen, and the patient experiences severe spells of pain.

## 'It's like torture'

Hardy tries to manage these crises on her own. She'll take a hot bath or apply heating pads to try to increase her blood flow. Hardy also has a variety of pain medications she can take at home.

When she has exhausted all those options, she needs more medical help. Hardy would prefer to go to a specialized clinic for sickle cell patients, but the closest is almost two hours away and she doesn't have a car.

So, Hardy often goes to the emergency room at nearby St. Mary's Hospital for relief. Until recently, the doctors there would give her injections of the opioid hydromorphone, which she says would

stop her pain.

Then, some months ago, the emergency room changed its process: "Now they will actually put that shot in a bag which is full of fluids, so it's like you're getting small drips of pain medicine," Hardy says. "It's like torture."

It's the same for her brother, Rico, who also has sickle cell disease and has sought treatment at St. Mary's. The diluted medicine doesn't give the same pain relief as a direct injection, they say.

## Striking a balance

St. Mary's staffers explain that they're trying to strike a balance with their new treatment protocol between adequate pain treatment and the risk that opioid use can lead to drug dependence.

It's a local change that reflects a national concern. The U.S. is in the midst of an addiction and overdose crisis, fueled by powerful opioids like hydromorphone.

That crisis has made medical providers more aware of the risks of administering these drugs.

More than 47,000 Americans died in 2017 from an overdose involving an opioid, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

That has prompted some emergency room leaders to rethink how they administer opioid medications, including how they treat people, such as Hardy, who suffer from episodes of severe pain.

"We have given sickle cell patients a pass [with the notion that] 'They don't get addicted' — which is completely false," says Dr. Troy Johnson, who works in the emergency room at St. Mary's. "For us to not address that addiction is doing them a disservice."

Johnson proposed the ER's shift to intravenous "drip delivery" of opioids for chronic pain patients because of personal experience.

His son has sickle cell disease, and he says he has seen firsthand how people with the disease are exposed to opioids when very young.

"We start creating people with addiction problems at a very early age in sickle cell disease," Johnson says.

He brought his concerns to the director of the ER, Dr. Lewis Earnest, and found support for the change. Hospital officials say they also consulted national guidelines for treating sickle cell crisis.

"We're trying to alleviate suffering, but we're also trying

not to create addiction, and so we're trying to find that balance," Earnest says. "Sometimes it's harder than others."

St. Mary's says the new IV-drip protocol is for all patients who come to the emergency

room frequently for pain, and most of their sickle cell patients are fine with the change.

## Caught in the crossfire

The national guidelines

cited by St. Mary's also say doctors should reassess patient pain frequently and adjust levels of opioids as needed "until pain is under control per patient report."

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**NEWS & VIEWS ON THE FAITH-BASED COMMUNITY**

**SOULS TO THE POLLS!**  
Army of Ministers Lead House-to-Door Canvass on Milwaukee's North Side

Central City religious leaders from diverse denominations mobilized voters for Nov. 6

More than 40 Ministers from City of Milwaukee churches convened at Canaan Missionary Baptist Church — 2975 North 11th Street — to hold a press conference before they launched a massive canvass door-to-door effort.

Ministers and members of their congregations knocked on every door in an 80 square block area urging people to vote on November 6 and leaving information on where and when they can vote.

According to Rev. Greg Lewis of St. Gabriel's Church of God in Christ, "Our people must use their voice as a megaphone to call for jobs, health care, police accountability, safe streets and quality schools."

"Our religious leaders, we can rebuild hope that voting makes a difference in who makes decisions that can help or hurt us."

In the 2016 elections, there were 40,000 fewer voters in Milwaukee than in 2012 — 28,000 were African American. Most lived in the five poorest districts in the city.

Over 9,000 had no voter ID. Souls to the Polls is addressing both the lack of voter engagement and the problems with health care voting lines. Voting coordinator Krista Johnson is working to make sure

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—Rev. Greg Lewis (pictured above), Assistant Pastor at St. Gabriel's Church of God in Christ

In 2016, we are going to show political leaders that our voting block matters and we better be a priority in the future.

The canvass went south from Chambers Street to North Avenue.

Souls to the Polls is a network of Churches building a groundswell of voters in 2018.

For more information, please call Rev. Greg Lewis at (414) 326-1620 or email at [greg@stgabriel.com](mailto:greg@stgabriel.com)

# FIRST SUNDAY

The NEW MCJ Weekend focus on the news and views in Milwaukee's Faith-Based Community

If you have news about your church and its activities and outreach efforts, we'd like for you to place it in "First Sunday," the new edition to the Weekend Edition that will appear in area churches on or before the first Sunday of each month. The information will also appear on the religious page of the MILWAUKEE COMMUNITY JOURNAL. This new focus joins the Weekend Edition focus family, and is part of our restructured roster of focuses, which includes: "Family Time," "Health & Wellness," "In The Black" (business and personal finance).

Below is the list of things we would like you to include when sending us your news! Email your event news to: [editorial@milwaukeecommunityjournal.com](mailto:editorial@milwaukeecommunityjournal.com)

We look forward to hearing from you and putting your "good news" in the Milwaukee Community Journal.

## Sunday has its own newspaper

**WHO:** (The name of your church)

**WHAT:** (What religious or non-religious event are you holding or sponsoring at your church)

**WHERE:** (The location of your church [the address])

**WHEN:** (Day, Date, and Time)

**WHY:** (Why is this event being held and the person or group, in or outside the church, who will benefit)



India Hardy, and her brother, Rico, suffer regular bouts of severe pain when their sickle cell disease flares up. They say they used to find relief at St. Mary's, their local hospital in Athens, Ga., until the facility changed the pain treatment protocol in its emergency room. —Johnathon Kelso for WABE

Some people who work closely with sickle cell patients, upon hearing about the new approach to pain management at St. Mary's, called it "unusual."

"When individuals living with sickle cell disease go to emergency departments, they are living in extreme amounts of pain," says Dr. Biree Andemariam, chief medical officer

of the Sickle Cell Disease Association of America.

It's more common for ERs to give those patients direct "pushes" of pain medication via injection, she notes, not slower IV drips.

People with sickle cell disease aren't fueling the opioid problem, Andemariam says. One study published in 2018 found that opioid use has re-

mained stable among sickle cell patients over time, even as opioid use has risen in the U.S. generally.

"If anything, individuals with sickle cell disease in our country have really been caught in the crossfire when it comes to this opioid epidemic," Andemariam says.

She thinks ER doctors and nurses need more education

on how to care for people with sickle cell, especially during the painful crisis episodes, which can lead to death.

A study of some 16,000 deaths from 1979 to 2005 related to sickle cell found that men in the group only lived to be 33, on average. Women didn't fare much better, living to an average age of 37.

The same study suggested that a lack of access to quality care is a factor in the short life spans of people with sickle cell disease.

Researchers who study sickle cell say the opioid epidemic has made it harder for patients with the condition to get the pain medication they need.

The American College of Emergency Physicians is focusing on the problem, asking federal health officials to speak out about sickle-cell pain and fund research on how to treat it without opioids.

"We in the physician community are looking for ways to make sure they get adequate pain relief," says Dr. Jon Mark Hirshon, vice president of the group. "

We recognize that the process is not perfect, but this is what we're striving for — to make a difference."

### Considering a move to find relief

In the meantime, India Hardy says she feels those imperfections in the process every time she suffers a pain crisis, and she's not alone.

In addition to her brother, Hardy says she has another friend in Athens with sickle cell disease, and that friend has also reported difficulty in finding pain relief at the St. Mary's emergency room.

"It's just really frustrating, because you go to the hospital for help — expecting to get equal help, and you don't," Hardy says, her voice breaking.

"They treat us like we're not wanted there or that we're holding their time up or taking up a bed that someone else could be using."

Hardy filed a complaint with the hospital but says nothing has changed, at least not yet. She still gets pain medication through an IV drip when she goes to the St. Mary's emergency room.

At this point, she's considering leaving her relatives and friends behind in Athens to move closer to a sickle cell clinic. She hopes doctors there will do a better job of helping to control her pain.

## NEW YEAR, NEW SMILE

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not choosing nutritious foods as part of your everyday diet, you're missing out on countless physical and oral health benefits.

It's essential to eat a well-rounded diet, while limiting foods with added sugar that contribute to tooth decay.

Eating appropriate amounts of whole grains, lean proteins, low-fat dairy, fruits and vegetables not only positively impacts your mouth, but your total physical and mental health, as well.

When your diet excludes nutrient-rich choices, gum tissues can weaken, becoming less likely to fight-off infection and may even lead to periodontal disease (a major cause of tooth loss for adults).

To learn more about which foods are best for you and how to plan healthy meals, visit ChooseMyPlate.gov.

© Add mouthwash to your routine. Similar to flossing, mouthwash can help clean the hard-to-reach areas in your mouth. There are two types of mouthwashes — cosmetic and therapeutic — with key distinctions between them.

Cosmetic options temporarily relieve bad breath, but do not aid in preventing cavities or gum disease. Therapeutic options, however, do and contain bacteria-killing ingredients like fluoride.

Both options are available over the counter, so be sure to select products that are ADA-approved and fit your dental health needs. Mouthwash should not be used by children younger than 6 years due to risk of swallowing, which can cause nausea and vomiting.

© Conquer your fear of the dentist's office. You know you'll visit the dentist eventually, so why not schedule that visit today? There are many anxieties that can keep someone from seeing a dentist — cost, nervousness about pain, embarrassment about your oral health and more. These are all too common, but can also be overcome.

In most cases, dental offices are willing to work with you to create a comfortable financial arrangement.

If pain is your worry, be up front with your den-

tist so that they can appropriately administer anesthesia and work at a rate suitable for you.

Regardless of your situation, you shouldn't be shy about your smile or concerns with your dentist.

They've likely seen it all, so if it doesn't bother them, don't let it bother you.

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Unfortunately, fluoride levels in bottled waters can vary greatly and be difficult to determine. Regardless of where you get your water, staying hydrated is an important part of good oral health to prevent dry mouth, bad breath and cavities.

No matter what time of year, you should always consider what you can do to improve your oral health care routine.

A healthy mouth and confident smile can be a powerful asset to your physical and mental well-being, and change your life for the better. For more information on the best oral health practices for adults and children, please visit WDA.org.

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### About the Wisconsin Dental Association

The Wisconsin Dental Association, with 3,100 member dentists and a number of dental hygienists, is the leading voice for dentistry in Wisconsin. WDA members are committed to promoting professional excellence and quality oral health care.

Established in 1870, the WDA is headquartered in West Allis and has a legislative office in Madison.

The WDA is affiliated with the American Dental Association - the largest and oldest national dental association in the world. For more information, call 414-276-4520, visit WDA.org and find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn.

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# LEGALS & CLASSIFIEDS

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**  
**FOR FINDING OF CONTEMPT**  
**Case No. 18FA006811**

In Re: Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A: CHARLESTON BUSATERI  
Respondent/Joint Petition B: ANTHONY J BUSATERI

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
IN RE THE MARRIAGE

Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A  
CHARLESTON BUSATERI 3604 S.  
18th Street Milwaukee WI 53221  
Vs.

Respondent/Joint Petitioner B  
ANTHONY J BUSATERI 2069 N  
Cambridge Ave Apt 214 Milwaukee  
WI 53202

The State of Wisconsin (Child Support Agency) is not a party to this action.

The affidavit was filed on (Date) June 11 2019

IT IS ORDERED THAT CHARLESTON BUSATERI appear in person:

Before: Judge CAROLINA MARIA STARK Location: Milwaukee County Courthouse ROOM 513 901 N 9th St., Milwaukee Wisconsin 53233  
Date: 5/7/2020 Time: 9:00 A.M. or as soon as the matter may be heard.

To show cause why YOU should not be found in contempt of court as requested in the affidavit. You must appear and provide the court information about your compliance with the court order, including your ability to pay or otherwise comply with the order. If you do not appear as indicated, the court may hold the hearing without you and grant the request, including issuing an order to have you arrested and committed to the county jail. You also have a right to be represented by an attorney at this hearing. Unless good cause is shown, failure to appear without an attorney will be deemed a waiver of that right.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

• A Copy of the order to show cause and affidavit must be personally served upon all other parties at least 5 business days before the date of the hearing. See Service Packet (FA-5000) for more information.

• Both parties bring a fully completed, dated, and signed Income and EXPENSE STATEMENT TO COURT.

Date: 1-10-2020  
BY: ANTHONY J BUSATERI  
039/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV000153**

In the matter of the name change of:  
AARON DEVONTIA CHILES  
By (Petitioner) LAKEYA SHANA BOYD

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: AARON DEVONTIA CHILES  
To: AARON JAVON WHITE  
Birth Certificate: AARON DEVONTIA CHILES

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK BR 22 Room 415  
PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 21, 2020 TIME 11:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-8-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK  
Circuit Court Judge  
038/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV000220**

In the matter of the name change of:  
ADRIAN GIEBEL

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: ADRIAN GIEBEL To: MARCO ADRIAN CORDOVA  
Birth Certificate: ADRIAN GIEBEL

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM S POCAN Room 401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 26, 2020 TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-8-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM S POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge  
042/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV000228**

In the matter of the name change of:  
AMANDA JO AMON  
By (Petitioner) AMANDA JO AMON  
NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: AMANDA JO AMON To: AMANDA JO AMON-BRELLENTHIN  
Birth Certificate: AMANDA JO AMON

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. JEFFREY A CONEN Room 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 13, 2020 TIME 3:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given

by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-8-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. JEFFREY A CONEN  
Circuit Court Judge  
037/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV000306**

In the matter of the name change of:  
ANGEL ARIANA STEWART-WALTERS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: ANGEL ARIANA STEWART-WALTERS To: ANGEL ARIANA WYN  
Birth Certificate: ANGEL ARIANA STEWART-WALTERS

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. JEFFREY A CONEN Room 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 11, 2020 TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-10-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. JEFFREY A CONEN  
Circuit Court Judge  
041/1-17-24-31-2020

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-10-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. JEFFREY A CONEN  
Circuit Court Judge  
041/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**Case No. 19FA6282**  
**Divorce-40101**

In Re: The marriage of: CHO OO Petitioner and Respondent: LOR EH

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:  
You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a Petition for divorce or legal separation against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Petition within 40 days from the day after the first day of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at: Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th St Room 104 Milwaukee WI 53233 and to CHO OO 1819 N 32nd St Milwaukee WI 53208

It is recommended, but not required that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect

in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of 948.31 Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under 49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under 767.511 (1m). Wis Stats. are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in 767.105 Wis.Stats.

767.105 Information from Circuit Court Commissioner.

(2) Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.59 or 767.451:

(a) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced:

1. The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action
  2. The major issues usually addressed in such an action.
  3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties.
  4. The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders.
- (b) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.

Date: 1-13-2020  
BY: CHO OO  
040/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV359**

In the matter of the name change of:  
LAUREN MARIE THOMAS  
By (Petitioner) LAUREN MARIE THOMAS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: LAUREN MARIE THOMAS To: LUCIAN MYKAL THOMAS  
Birth Certificate: LAUREN MARIE THOMAS

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK BR 22 Room 415  
PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 20, 2020 TIME 11:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 1-14-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK  
Circuit Court Judge  
043/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION)**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**CIRCUIT COURT**  
**MILWAUKEE COUNTY**  
**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR**  
**NAME CHANGE HEARING**  
**Case No. 20CV000141**

In the matter of the name change of:  
LONDALE QUINTAE STRICKLING

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: LONDALE QUINTAE STRICKLING To: KABIR ELOHIM ISREAL  
Birth Certificate: LONDALE QUINTAE STRICKLING

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. LAURA GRAMLING PEREZ Room 404  
PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 20, 2020 TIME 3:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 1-7-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. LAURA GRAMLING PEREZ  
Circuit Court Judge  
036/1-17-24-31-2020

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated: 1-7-2020  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. LAURA GRAMLING PEREZ  
Circuit Court Judge  
036/1-17-24-31-2020

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**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2019CV9041**

In the matter of the name change of: LEKONJA CROOK HARRINGTON By (petitioner) LEKONJA CROOK HARRINGTON

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: LEKONJA CROOK HARRINGTON To: LILY LE'ANN CROOK-HARRINGTON Birth Certificate: LEKONJA CROOK HARRINGTON

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. MARY E TRIGGIANO Room 412 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 18, 2020 TIME 2:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-16-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. MARY E TRIGGIANO Circuit Court Judge 044/1-17-24-31-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 20CV000464**

In the matter of the name change of: ARTHUR ANDERSON BROWN By (Petitioner) ARTHUR ANDERSON BROWN

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: ARTHUR ANDERSON BROWN To: GENEVIEVE BROWN Birth Certificate: ARTHUR ANDERSON BROWN

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS Room 403 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 13, 2020 TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-16-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS

Circuit Court Judge 046/1-24-31/2-7-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 20CV000420**

In the matter of the name change of: MAYA BERYL SARGENT By (Petitioner) JESSICA IRENE CO-HODES By (Co-Petitioner) RYAN MICHAEL SARGENT

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: MAYA BERYL SARGENT To: MILO BERAL SARGENT Birth Certificate: MAYA BERYL SARGENT

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS Room 403 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 17, 2020 TIME 3:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-15-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS Circuit Court Judge 045/1-24-31/2-7-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 20CV000504**

In the matter of the name change of: SARAH ROSE LIEBERT By (Petitioner) SARAH ROSE LIEBERT

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: SARAH ROSE LIEBERT To: CAMERON ROSE LIEBERT Birth Certificate: SARAH ROSE LIEBERT

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS Room 403 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 17, 2020 TIME 1:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County,

State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-17-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. KEVIN E MARTENS Circuit Court Judge 047/1-24-31/2-7-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY Case No. 20FA000215 Divorce-40101**

In Re: The marriage of: ALEJANDRO GONZALEZ CONCEPCION Petitioner and Respondent: GERTRUDIS DE JESUS CUEVAS

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT: You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a Petition for divorce or legal separation against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Petition within 40 days from the day after the first day of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at: Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th St Room 104 Milwaukee WI 53233 and to ALEJANDRO GONZALEZ CONCEPCION 2538 S 9th St Milwaukee WI 53215

It is recommended, but not required that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of 948.31 Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under 49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under 767.511 (1m). Wis Stats. are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

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767.105 Information from Circuit Court Commissioner.

(2) Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a

revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.59 or 767.451: (a) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced: 1. The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action 2. The major issues usually addressed in such an action. 3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties. 4. The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders. (b) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.

Date: 1-29-2020 BY: ALEJANDRO GONZALEZ CONCEPCION 051/1-31/2-7-14-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 20CV000575**

In the matter of the name change of: AVERIE GRACE ZBINDEN By (Petitioner) LAURA JEANETTE PITTMAN

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: AVERIE GRACE ZBINDEN To: AVERIE GRACE PITTMAN Birth Certificate: AVERIE GRACE ZBINDEN

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. JEFFREY A CONEN Room 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: February 24, 2020 TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-22-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. JEFFREY A CONEN Circuit Court Judge 049/1-31/2-7-14-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 20CV000552**

In the matter of the name change of: JOSE G VALDEZ By (Petitioner) JOSE G VALDEZ

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: JOSE G VALDEZ To: JOSE G SILVA Birth Certificate: JOSE G VALDEZ

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM S POCAN Room 401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: March 25, 2020 TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 1-21-2020 BY THE COURT: HON. WILLIAM S POCAN Circuit Court Judge 050/1-31/2-7-14-2020

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 19CV006924**

In the matter of the name change of: MALIK DAMAR SLOAN By (Petitioner) CHANA ANTIONETTE BURNS

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: MALIK DAMAR WHITE To: MALIK DAMAR SLOAN Birth Certificate: MALIK DAMAR WHITE

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. LAURA GRAMLING PEREZ Room 404 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: March 20, 2020 TIME 11:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 9-9-2019 BY THE COURT: HON. LAURA GRAMLING PEREZ Circuit Court Judge 048/1-31/2-7-14-2020

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# BEING BLACK IS STILL BAD FOR YOUR HEALTH

## Racial disparity for Black Americans is more apparent around heart disease.

By Nick Charles

Conversations about income inequality and pay equity have been elevated in recent years so much so that Democrats seeking the presidency have made the issues planks in their political platforms. But another chasm that is as yawning as ever, but doesn't get nearly as much attention, is the health equity gap.

According to a recent study by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention's National Center for Health Statistics, African Americans specifically are at greater risk for the seven deadly diseases, which include diabetes, asthma, stroke and high blood pressure. The disparity is no more apparent than around heart disease, the No. 1 killer of Americans. Overall numbers have declined in the last 20 years; in 1999, non-Hispanic black deaths per 100,000 were 337.4; in 2017, 208. But for whites, it was 156.5 and 85.5.

"The CDC's info highlights the risk factors for heart disease, and that is predominantly hypertension, which is a big problem, and it

also points out that diabetes is higher in African Americans, particularly African American women," said Dr. Thomas Price, associate director of cardiology at Montefiore Mount Vernon Hospital, just north of New York City. "African Americans tend to be less proactive about their health. They'll come in when they have a problem. But they don't come in for check-up or maintenance. And like everything else, it's always less complicated and cheaper to do maintenance than repair."

There are socio-economic reasons for African Americans' lack of aggression in monitoring their health, including not having the financial resources or comprehensive insurance to visit a physician regularly. Where you live is also a factor. Physicians point out that your zip code is an indicator of your likelihood of heart disease. According to a recent study in the Journal of the American Medical Association, if you're a man in the top 1 percent of income, you can expect to live 13 years longer than someone in the bottom 1 percent.

In a statement, the New York state Department of Health said that while it cannot comment on the CDC study, "New York's Prevention Agenda tracks targeted interventions to address health inequalities, including social determinants of health such as housing, educational attainment and insurance coverage, that contribute to health disparities statewide."

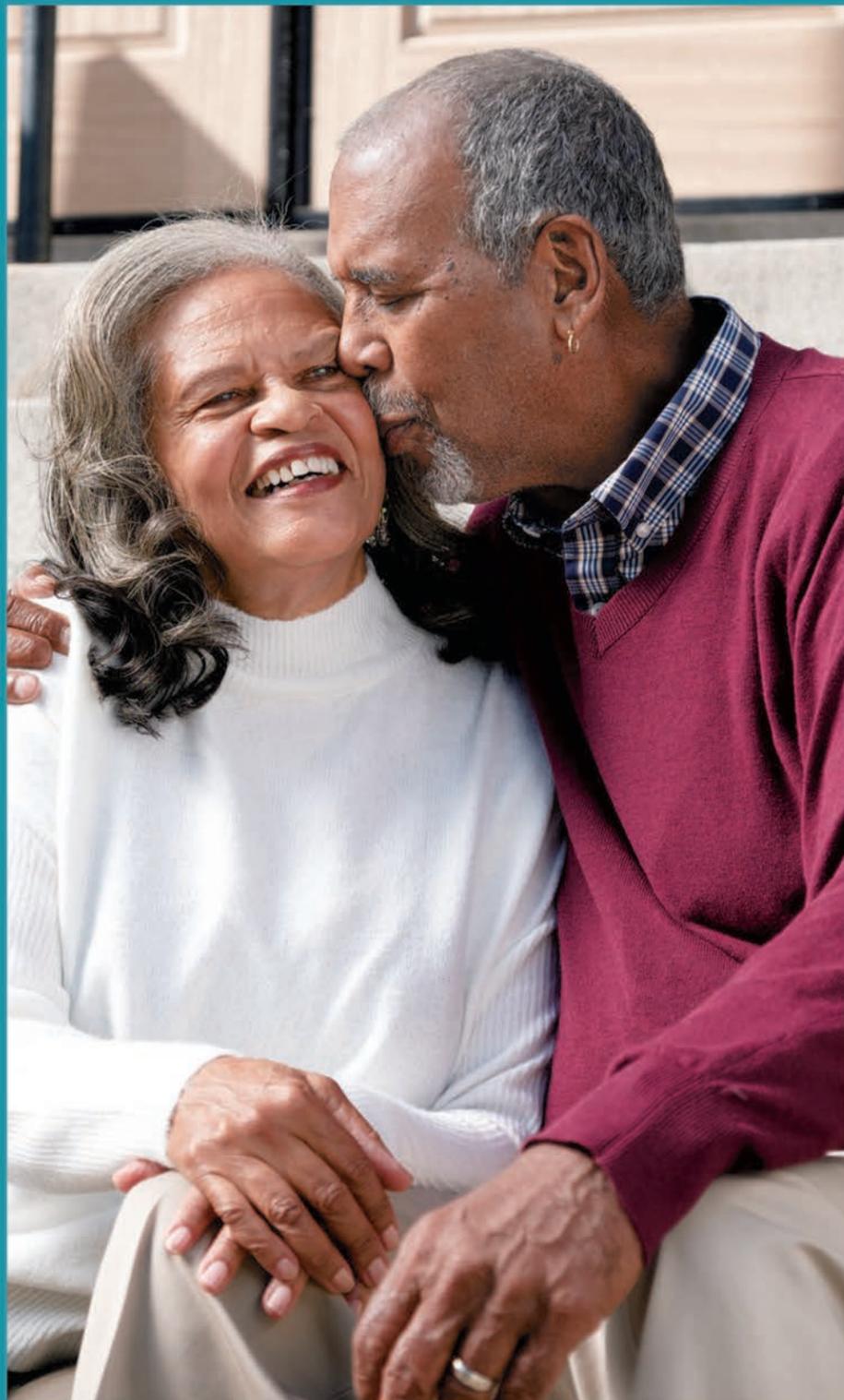
There are cultural barriers, too. African Americans, who often don't trust the medical establishment, are less likely to follow medical protocols.

"One of my favorite sayings is, 'Don't be afraid of the pill more than the problem'," Price said. "I have patients who have been diagnosed with hypertension and I say, 'Here's the medication, let's have you take this and come back in six to eight weeks.' And how was the medication? 'Well, I didn't take it. I wanted to see how I would do with a little garlic and exercise.'"

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