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Immunize Kansas Coalition to Host First Spanish Language-Predominant Conference for Women’s Health in Kansas City

Entre Mujeres: The Health of Women addresses women's wellness, including how to protect against six different cancers through immunization

TOPEKA, KS -- Immunize Kansas Coalition (IKC), a leader in the immunization community, is thrilled to announce the details of their highly anticipated conference, *Entre Mujeres: The Health of Women*, a premier event for women of all ages across Kansas! This one-day conference will be held on April 28th with check-in beginning at 11:30 a.m., lunch and exhibits at noon, and the program starting at 1:00 p.m. The full event will take place from 12:00-4:00 p.m. at Memorial Hall in Kansas City, KS. The event will feature key speakers, offer networking opportunities, and provide a space for women to learn about preventative health measures to ensure lifelong wellness for themselves and their children.

Entre Mujeres: The Health of Women is an empowering event and the first-ever Spanish language-prominent conference series in the Kansas City area (*with English interpretation provided*)! At the event, attendees can expect to hear from key speakers, bringing awareness to current health issues relating to cancer, prenatal care, and maternal and infant health.

The compelling speaker and event line-up includes: Executive Director of Immunize Kansas Coalition, Geovannie Gone, LMAC, MPH; Consul of Mexico in Kansas City, Soileh Padilla Mayer; Associate Professors of Population Health at the University of Kansas Medical Center, Sharla Smith, Ph.D., and more. Trio Aztlan will also provide mariachi entertainment.

Geovannie Gone shared, “*Entre Mujeres: the Health of Women* is a conference unique of its kind. It seeks to provide education in a culturally and linguistically sensitive way, addressing preventative care tools, and offering resources to all women in attendance. It is no secret that women are important in our society and their influence cannot be underestimated!”

According to the CDC, “the HPV vaccine has the potential to prevent more than 90% of HPV-related cancers.” Following the conference, from 4:00 – 5:00 p.m., HPV vaccines will be

provided to all, including those unable to attend the event. Immunizations will be of no charge for the under and uninsured.

“I hope that attendees leave the conference equipped with education, empowered, and inspired to self-care,” Gone expressed.

Are you excited about this upcoming opportunity? Invite a friend, colleague, daughter, or niece – all are welcome! Learn more about the event and register at:

www.immunizekansascoalition.org/entre-mujeres. Tickets can also be purchased at the door!



**Entre Mujeres:
The Health of Women**

Sunday, April 28 | **Memorial Hall**
12:00 - 4:00 p.m. | **Kansas City, KS**

Featuring

- Motivational and Informative Speakers
- Lunch provided
- Mariachi Band
- Entertainment by Trio Aztlan
- Local Vendors
- Women’s Health & Cancer Prevention Education
- And MORE!



Immunize Kansas Coalition:

Immunize Kansas Coalition (IKC), launched in 2015, is a group of more than 600 engaged individuals with diverse perspectives – healthcare providers, health departments, researchers, educators, healthcare payers, associations and nonprofits, vaccine producers, school nurses, pharmacists, parents, grandparents, and more who bring their expertise to support our mission: To protect all Kansans from vaccine-preventable diseases.

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