LUNG CANCER AWARENESS MONTH: November 2017
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WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1ST - 4TH:

- **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Owensboro Health
  - **DATE:** Friday, November 3rd
  - **LOCATION:** Owensboro
  - **DETAILS:** Grand Rounds – Cardiothoracic surgeon, Dr. Doug Adams, will be presenting at Grand Rounds at Owensboro Health Regional Hospital on *Low Dose CT Scanning and Lung Cancer* at Owensboro Health Regional Hospital on Friday, November 3.

- **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Lungevity’s Breathe Deep Cincinnati
  - **DATE:** Saturday, November 4th
  - **LOCATION:** Cincinnati
  - **DETAILS:** Breathe Deep Cincinnati Walk 7 Fun Run to End Lung Cancer; Saturday, November 4, 2017; Check-in begins at 9am; Race start 10am; Theodore M. Berry International Friendship Park, 1135 Riverside Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45202

- **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** St. Elizabeth Healthcare
  - **DATE:** Saturday, November 4th
  - **LOCATION:** Erlanger
  - **DETAILS:** Lung Cancer Symposium; Saturday, November 4, 2017; 6:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; St. Elizabeth Training and Education Center (SETEC); 3861 Olympic Blvd., Erlanger, KY 41018. Review current practice guidelines, new therapies and clinical trials for lung cancer: 1) The role of screening chest CT for lung cancer in at-risk patients, 2) Current diagnostic and staging modalities for lung cancer; 3) Current treatment options for different stages of lung cancer and prognosis.

  Registration is $125 and cash or check is accepted. Please **RSVP by Wednesday, November 1st** by contacting Holly Groneck at (859) 301-9756 or Holly.Groneck@stelizabeth.com

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 5TH - 11TH:

- **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Kentucky LEADS Collaborative & University of Louisville
  - **DATE:** Monday, November 6th
  - **LOCATION:** Lexington
DETAILS: 49th Annual Family Medicine Review Conference; Presentation: "Primary Care Approaches for Lung Cancer Screening, and What’s New in Tobacco Treatment and Reimbursement"; 10:15am – 12:15pm, Monday, November 6, 2017 at the Marriott Griffin Gate Resort, 1800 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40511.

LEAD ORGANIZATION: University of Kentucky BREATHE Program
DATE: Tuesday, November 14th
LOCATION: Hazard
DETAILS: The Tobacco-Free Ambassador Partnership is holding an Adult Mentor Training to learn the best ways to recruit, empower, and engage youth in policy advocacy, with an emphasis on smoke- and tobacco-free policies. The training will be delivered by staff from Yes! Youth Empowered Solutions of North Carolina. This training will take place at the Hazard Community and Technical College and lunch will be provided if you register by November 7th. To register for this event click here and enter your contact information and take a brief survey. For more information please contact: Hannah Keeler
hannahkeeler@uky.edu

LEAD ORGANIZATION: Lung Cancer Alliance
DATE: Tuesday, November 7th
LOCATION: Louisville
DETAILS: Robley Rex Veterans Affairs Medical Center Shine a Light; November 7, 2017 2:00 – 4:00 PM; Robley Rex Veterans Affairs Medical Center; 800 Zorn Avenue (West Entrance, Room E-005), Louisville, KY 40206; Organizer: Jennifer Pendleton, Jennifer.pendleton@va.gov

Join the Robley Rex VA Medical Center in celebrating their 3rd Annual Shine a Light on Lung Cancer event. Local and Veteran lung cancer patients, survivors, family members, caregivers, and the community are invited to participate in this very special event. Come and learn how our VA facility is Shining a Light on Lung Cancer, meet lung cancer experts, and learn about various resources! Light refreshments and food provided, also a chance to win door prizes. We look forward to seeing you and helping us Shine a Light on those touched by lung cancer and spread hope!

LEAD ORGANIZATION: Kentucky LEADS Collaborative & the University of Louisville
DATE: November 9th and 10th
LOCATION: Lexington
DETAILS: Exhibiting at: the 2017 Kentucky Academy of Family Physicians Annual Meeting, November 9th and 10th, Embassy Suites, 1801 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40511 and the 2017 Kentucky Primary Care Association Annual Conference to exhibit and present briefly on Thursday, November 9th at the Embassy Suites in Lexington, 1801 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40511.
• **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital  
  **DATE:** Friday, November 10th  
  **LOCATION:** Ashland  
  **DETAILS:** Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital Shine a Light; November 10, 2017, 12:00 – 2:00 PM; Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital Cafeteria Hallway; 1000 Saint Christopher Drive, Ashland, KY 41101. Organizer: Leigh Ann Holt, leigh_holt@bshsi.org  

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• **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Owensboro Health  
  **DATE:** Saturday, November 11th  
  **LOCATION:** Owensboro  
  **DETAILS:** Owensboro Health Fall Oncology Conference; Saturday, November 11, 2017 from 7am – 12:30pm; Lung Cancer Immunotherapy session is 9am-10am with Dr. Jill Kolesar; The conference is focused on physicians, who will receive CE credit, and is also attended by numerous medical personnel (RNs, Social Workers, Radiologic Technologists, and Radiation Therapists) who receive CEU hours. This year’s speakers are four highly regarded physicians in their field from the University of Kentucky’s Markey Cancer Center and we are excited to be able to offer these 4 topics, free of charge, to local healthcare providers.  

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• **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** University of Cincinnati Cancer Institute  
  **DATE:** Saturday, November 11th  
  **LOCATION:** Cincinnati  
  **DETAILS:** LUNG CANCER: Revolutionary Progress & Future Directions; Educational conference for health professionals; Saturday, November 11, 2017, 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Kingsgate Marriott, 151 Goodman Dr., Cincinnati, 45219; Visiting speaker: Giuseppe Giaccone, MD, PhD. Associate Director for Clinical Research, Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center, Georgetown; University, Immunotherapy for Lung Cancer. 4.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ of continuing medical education available; Course Co-Directors: John C. Morris, MD, and Sandra L. Starnes, MD.  

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**WEEK OF NOVEMBER 12TH – 18TH:**  

• **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Free to Breathe  
  **DATE:** Sunday, November 12th  
  **LOCATION:** Lexington  
  **DETAILS:** Central Kentucky Free to Breathe 7th Annual Lung Cancer Run/Walk; Sunday, November 12, 2017, Check-In: 12:30pm; Start time: 2:00 pm; LFUCG Coldstream Park; #freetobreathe  

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• **LEAD ORGANIZATION:** Owensboro Health  
  **DATE:** Tuesday, November 14th
LOCATION: Owensboro
DETAILS: The Doc Is In – Dr. Doug Adams, cardiothoracic surgeon, will be offering a community education session Low Dose CT Lung Cancer Screening on Tuesday, November 14th.

Owensboro Living article – Owensboro Living magazine has published an article “Are You At Risk for Lung Cancer? Find Out if You Should Be Screened,” by Dr. Doug Adams.

LEAD ORGANIZATION: American Cancer Society
DATE: Thursday, November 16th
LOCATION: Nationwide
DETAILS: Every year, on the third Thursday of November, smokers across the nation take part in the American Cancer Society Great American Smokeout event. This year, the GASO will take place on November 16th! Encourage someone you know to use the date to make a plan to quit, or plan in advance and then quit smoking that day. By quitting – even for 1 day – smokers will be taking an important step toward a healthier life and reducing their cancer risk. Find a multitude of tools and resources to promote GASO in your networks here.

LEAD ORGANIZATION: Lung Cancer Alliance
DATE: Thursday, November 16th
LOCATION: Lexington
DETAILS: Baptist Health Lexington Shine a Light; November 16, 2017; 5:30 – 7:00 PM
Baptist Health Lexington Cancer Center; 1700 Nicholasville Rd., Lexington, KY 40503.
Organizer: Sara Barker, sara.barker@bhsi.com Please RSVP to Sara Barker 859-260-3198

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 26TH – DECEMBER 2ND:

LEAD ORGANIZATION: American Lung Association
DATE: Friday, December 1st
LOCATION: Lexington
DETAILS: The American Lung Association’s LUNG FORCE Expo will take place on Friday, December 1st at the Hyatt Regency in Lexington. The Expo is a program designed for patients, caregivers and healthcare providers to learn more about the latest trends, resources and research surrounding lung cancer, COPD and asthma. Speakers from a variety of fields will present current medical information on topics that have the most impact on those whose lives are touched by these conditions, as well as provide up-to-date medical information for healthcare professionals to help support patients.