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Community-Centered Symposium on Rural Health & Economic Vitality

Convened by BioSTL



November 2, 2021

Lee Theater at the Touhill Performing Arts
Center, University of Missouri-St. Louis

Presented By **CENTENE**
Corporation



Michael Neidorff
Chief Executive Officer, Centene



Dr. Mun Y. Choi
President, University of Missouri



Mike Parson
Governor of Missouri



Mike Kehoe
Lieutenant Governor of Missouri

9:00 AM Opening Remarks and Keynote by
Michael Neidorff

9:30 - 10:15 AM Covid: Rural Health's "Pinecone"
Moment of Revitalization and Lasting Change

10:15 AM - 12:15 PM Improving Healthcare
Access & Affordability

12:15 PM Lunch and Keynote by Dr. Mun Choi and
remarks by Lt. Gov. Mike Kehoe

1:15 - 2:15 PM Innovation in Rural Healthcare
Workforce Development and Access

2:15 - 3:30 PM Showcase of Innovators Curated
for Rural Health

3:45 - 4:45 PM Innovative Models for Deploying
Affordable Broadband

5:00 - 7:00 PM Cocktail Reception and Keynote
by Governor Parson

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For More Information Contact Katy Dowd at kdowd@biostl.org or 314.504.3693

9:30 - 10:15 AM

Covid: Rural Health's "Pinecone" Moment of Revitalization and Lasting Change



Sameer Vohra, MD, JD, MA, FAAP

Department Chair
Department of Population Science
and Policy
SIU School of Medicine



Chris Thompson

President and Chief Executive Officer
West Central Community Action
Agency



Hrishue Mahalaha

Economic and Community
Development Leader, Innovation
Economy Partners

10:15 - 11:00 AM

Part I: Improving Healthcare Access & Affordability



Garrett Weldon, PT, DPT

Co-Founder
Health2Business



Stacie Adams

Vice President, Human Resources
Wada Farms



Mark Baker

Assistant Administrator, Bingham
Memorial Hospital

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Part II: Improving Healthcare Access & Affordability



Kirk Matthews
Chief Transformation
Officer, Office of
Medicaid Transformation,
State of Missouri



Marcus Zachary
Global Lead, Value Based Care
Babylon Health



Nathan Landsbaum
President and CEO
Sunshine Health
Former CEO, Home State Health



Lisa Moore, RN, CCN
Missouri Manager, Babylon360
Babylon Health

1:15 - 2:15 PM

Innovation in Rural Healthcare Workforce Development and Access



Kathleen Quinn, PhD
Associate Dean for Rural Health
Associate Teaching Professor
University of Missouri School of
Medicine
Senior Program Director for
Health and Safety
MU Extension



**Steven Waldman,
MD, JD, MBA**
Campus Dean
UMKC School of
Medicine- St. Joseph



Lori Scheidt
Executive Director
Missouri State Board of Nursing



Brent McGinty
President and CEO
Missouri Behavioral
Health Council

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Innovative Models for Deploying Affordable Broadband



Tim Arbeiter, CEcD

Director of Broadband
Development
Missouri Department of
Economic Development



Alison Copeland, PhD

Deputy Chief Engagement Officer
Office of Engagement and
Outreach
UM System



Garrett Hawkins

President
Missouri Farm Bureau



Nathan Stooke

Chief Executive Officer
Wisper



Caleb Jones

Chief Executive Officer
Association of Missouri Electric Co-ops
(Invited)

And a showcase of innovations curated for rural health

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