ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY OF AFRICAN AMERICAN LIFE AND HISTORY®

THE 2022 BLACK HISTORY MONTH Vistan FEBRUARY 2022

BLACK BODIES: FROM EXPLOITATION TO EXCELLENCE AFRICAN AMERICAN CONTRIBUTIONS TO MEDICAL DISCOVERY AND PUBLIC HEALTH

This two-part program will feature panel discussions to explore the historic exploitation of Black bodies for the advancement of scientific and medical discovery. Both sessions will illuminate how these challenges and practices have been used to leverage change in medical practice, and to foster resilience and excellence in our community.













HENRIETTA LACKS

BLOOD PLASMA

VERTUS HARDIMA

BOXERS

BRAIN SCAN

FOOTBALL PLAYERS

BLACK BODIES, PART I: Exploitation in Medicine FEBRUARY 12, 2022 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM EST ASALH TV (YOUTUBE)

The first session will examine the history of medicine, clinical practice, and policies that have impacted African American health and contributed to disparities. Discussion will include the origins of American gynecology, Henrietta Lacks HeLa cells, and the Lyles Station radiation experiments.

BLACK BODIES, PART II: Race Norming in the NFL

FEBRUARY 27, 2022 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM EST ASALH TV (YOUTUBE)

The second session will focus on contemporary issues addressing health and well-being among Black athletes. It will feature a round table discussion among former NFL players and sports medicine professionals about issues of race norming, mental health and other relevant topics affecting the health and well-being of Black athletes.

GENERAL ADMISSION INCLUDES BLACK BODIES I & II

\$65 GENERAL ADMISSION

GENERAL ADMISSION PLUS BLACK HISTORY GREETING CARDS & LAPEL PIN \$150 GENERAL ADMISSION PLUS WOODSON HOME ORNAMENT

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