

## THE 2022 BLACK HISTORY MONTH

# Virtual FESTIVAL

THE 2022 BLACK HISTORY THEME: BLACK HEALTH AND WELLNESS

ALL MONTH LONG DURING FEBRUARY

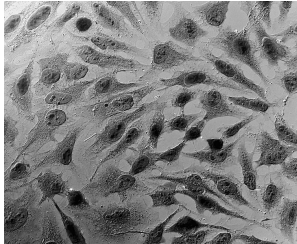
## BLACK BODIES: FROM EXPLOITATION TO EXCELLENCE

### 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



HELA CELLS



VERTUS HARDIMAN



BRAIN SCAN



FOOTBALL INJURY

## BLACK BODIES, PART I

### Exploitation in Medicine

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2022

12:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M. EST

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 race, gender and the origins of American gynecology, Henrietta Lacks HeLa cells, and the Lyles Station radiation experiments.

## BLACK BODIES, PART II

### Race Norming in the NFL

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022

5:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M. EST

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.

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**MS. LINDA VILLAROSA**

**MODERATOR**

Writer and Journalist,  
NY Times Magazine



**DR. DEIRDRE  
COOPER OWENS**

Professor,  
University of Nebraska-Lincoln



**DR. ROLAND PATTILLO**

(Invited)  
Vice President,  
Henrietta Lacks Foundation



**DR. WILBERT SMITH**

Author and Film Producer



**DR. CLYDE YANCY**

Member, Board of Directors,  
Henrietta Lacks Foundation

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**MR. RYAN HEATHCOCK**  
**MODERATOR**

Former Howard University  
Bison Football Player



**MR. ROBERT MOORE**

Former Professional Athletic/NFL Trainer  
Washington, DC



**MR. TIM HIGHTOWER**

Washington Football Team Executive  
Former Arizona Cardinal



**MR. SEAN VANHORSE**

Former San Diego Charger,  
Detroit Lion and Minnesota Viking



**MR. ROGER JACKSON**

Former Denver Bronco



**MR. TAZIM WAJED**  
**(FORMERLY TIM WATSON)**

Former Green Bay Packer, Kansas City Chief,  
New York Giant, and Philadelphia Eagle

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