

Events & Announcements:

On-line Webinars

September 10, 2013: According to the [American Diabetes Association](#), as many as 13 million men in the United States may have low testosterone levels — and more than 90 percent of them are not being treated. Dr. Kevin Billups, Director of the [Men's Health & Vitality Program](#) at the James Buchanan Brady Urological Institute and Associate Professor of Urology and Medicine at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine will discuss how early testing can help and what treatment options are available for low testosterone.

[Register Now](#) | **September 10, 2013** | 7:00 p.m.

Johns Hopkins Medicine to Establish Center of Excellence for Latino Health [Full Story](#)

Recent Academic Medicine Articles on Diversity & Inclusion

- Commentary: [Changing the Culture of Academic Medicine to Eliminate the Gender Leadership Gap: 50/50 by 2020](#)
- [Minority Faculty Face Challenges Similar to Those of Minority College Students](#)
- Letters to the Editor: [The Privilege Gap in Medicine](#); In [Reply](#)

National Childhood Obesity Awareness Month:

[The Weight of the Nation](#) is an HBO Documentary Films and [Institute of Medicine \(IOM\)](#) four-part series confronting America's obesity epidemic. The series, which originally aired in May of 2012, comprises four documentary films, a three-part series for families, 12 bonus shorts, a social media campaign, and a nationwide community-based outreach campaign to support the initiative. The goal of The Weight of the Nation is to raise public awareness of the complexity of the obesity epidemic. The films were developed in association with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the [National Institutes of Health \(NIH\)](#), and with the support of the [Michael & Susan Dell Foundation](#) and [Kaiser Permanente](#).

[The Weight of the Nation for Kids](#) documentary looks at the issue of childhood obesity. This three-part series of 30-minute films sheds light on solutions to the obesity problem at home and in school. With about 32% of children and teens ages 2 to 19 either overweight or obese, the issue has never been more urgent.

[The Weight of the Nation for Kids](#) is a fun, family-friendly companion to the 2012 four-part documentary, [The Weight of the Nation](#)[™], which highlighted the causes of obesity, as well as practical solutions to improve the diets and physical activity of Americans. [The Weight of the Nation for Kids](#) focuses on what some kids are doing at home and in their schools and communities to make healthy changes in their diets, school menus, and every day activities.

Upcoming Local Event:

- [Childhood Obesity Prevention Summit](#), will focus on how childhood obesity prevention efforts at the local and state level are influencing national efforts to promote healthy eating and active living. Marriott Inner Harbor at Camden Yards. **September 29 - October 1, 2013.**