METRO HEALTH NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2023

April is <u>Autism Awareness Month</u> - Let's work towards increasing Global Understanding & Acceptance of People with Autism.

Organizational Updates

PATIENT RECRUITMENT STRATEGY

Metro Health is planning to roll-out a gift-card policy where patients can earn a \$5 Starbucks gift card if they refer friend/family as a a new patient to receive primary care at Metro Health, after they complete an annual visit. This offer is redeemable up to 4 times, and is not applicable for referring already existing patients.

COVID-19 UPDATES

Globally, nearly 4.5 million new cases and 32 000 deaths were reported in the last month. As of 5 March 2023, over 759 million confirmed cases and over 6.8 million deaths have been reported globally.

Outreach Team Events and Support Groups

Love Your Heart with <u>*Kimberly</u></u> <u>Carpenter</u></u>*

Support group for people with HIV centered on topics and issues about cardio health.

My Sister and Me with <u>Keiva Young</u>

Support group for Women centered on topics and issues about women's health and wellness.

Long Term Survivors Chat and Chew with <u>Reggie Williams</u>

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Support group for Persons Living With HIV centered on topics and issues that affect Long Term Survivors of HIV and their supporters.

Staff Birthdays

MONIQUE ALEXANDER April 08

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