



Welcome to 50 Hoops'™ LEGENDS 2022 PREMIER of



"The 10 Commandments for Recruiting African Americans Into Clinical Trials."- A DOUBLE TREAT!

Ed and Pat Sanders, Founders (1998-2022)

50 Hoops™ is proud to celebrate 24 years as one of the oldest African American-founded small nonprofit Patient and Medical Education organizations in the nation.

In October, our exciting Workshops WILL BE A DOUBLE TREAT! BOTH ON Thursday, October 13 at Noon and 6:00. Both will feature "The 10 Commandments..." with great LIVE interaction, health-related information about Cancer and **the 3-HEADED MONSTER dominating the 21st Century: COVID, Monkey Pox and HIV.** Participants can listen or watch and participate on Zoom, Facebook Live or YouTube Live. Most importantly, these events are rebroadcast as patient education videos online in 50 Hoops LEGENDS Video Library and at other LEGENDS' patient events. In September, 50 Hoops™ The LEGENDS PREMIERED a sample of their **NEW "Munch and LEARN with a LEGEND" workshop a 30-minute (maximum) MINI Series coming in 2023.**

As we continue the 10-part How-To of **"The 10 Commandments for Recruiting African Americans Into Clinical Trials"** 50 Hoops LEGENDS are creating more diverse events to keep and hold our interests. In October Speakers heavily involved in **Diversity and Inclusion have Tips and loads of resources for YOU TO TAKE home.** Both Workshops are **under an hour:** A **Noon Workshop** and a new **DINNER LECTURE Series WORKSHOP.** REGISTER for BOTH and better understand how grass-roots communities are finding SOLUTIONS for accomplishing this critical problem in medical and patient communities. This year our LEGENDS will further show the **IMPACT of 50 Hoops' Sustaining Power** as we near A QUARTER CENTURY Silver Anniversary!

LEGEND: Dr. Lester Singleton

50 Hoops Board Chaplain

Dr. Lester Singleton, Invocation and Benediction

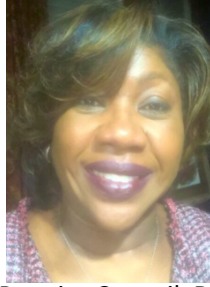


Dr. Lester Singleton is a Doctor of Ministry in Pastoral Leadership at Andersonville Theological Seminary. He received his PhD in Educational Administration from Texas A&M University-Commerce. He is Vice Chairman of the Beautification and Environmental Sustainability Board with the city of Cedar Hill. Associate pastor at St. Matthew Baptist Church in Fort Worth, TX; Communication Manager at Dallas ISD, and Vice Chairman of Brookhaven College Advisory Board, and author of "Public School Students Worst Enemy". **Dr. Singleton has recently been elected to the 50 Hoops Board of Directors (2022)**

“The 10 Commandments For Recruiting African Americans into Clinical Trials”

Commandment #7

LEGEND Dr. Cynthia Berfect-Shelby, DNP, MSN, APRN, BC, FNP



Dr. Berfect-Shelby is the Congressional Wellness Leader at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church. She is a board-certified Family Nurse Practitioner with 30 years of experience. She received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing from Dillard University and Master of Science in Nursing from Southern University A&M College in Baton Rouge, LA. In 2019, she earned a Doctorate in Nursing Practice (DNP) from Abilene Christian University. Dr. Berfect-Shelby is an adjunct clinical instructor for Dillard University College of Nursing program. She conducted research and Co-Chairs the Nursing Research and Evidence Based Practice Council. Dr. Shelby is a member of Sigma Theta Tau, Alpha Chi National Honor Society, and ANA.

When: (Meeting)

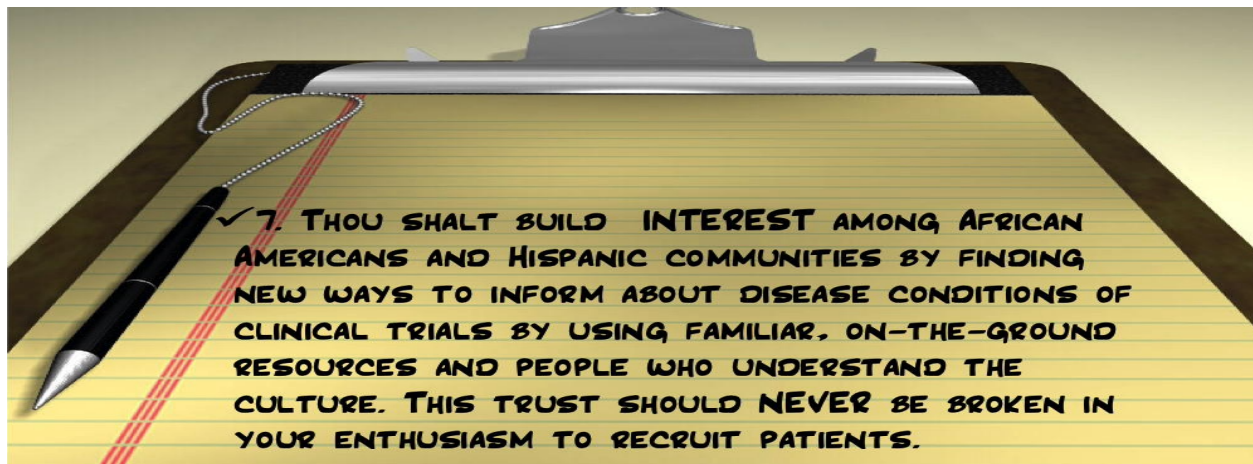
Thursday, Oct 13, 2022 12:00/NOON PM (CT/1:00 PM (ET)/ 10:00 AM (PT)

Topic: LEGEND Dr. Cynthia Berfect Presents the 7th COMMANDMENT

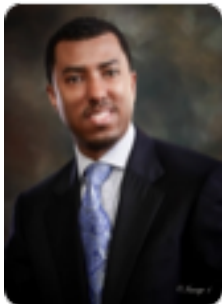
Register in advance for this meeting:- Commandment #7

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After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.



INVOCATION



Reverend Jamaal Weathersby, Senior Pastor, New Hope MBC

Rev. Jamaal Weathersby is Pastor of the New Hope Baptist Church in New Orleans, LA. A native New Orleanian, he is a graduate of Loyola University in New Orleans, where he earned a bachelor's degree in Psychology, with a minor in Religious Studies. He has been guest lecturer for the Faith and Values component of the Black Man Piece by Piece workshop hosted by Tulane University in New Orleans, and the keynote speaker for various Loyola University New Orleans, collegiate and community events. He served on the Board of Directors of the Dryades Street YMCA in New Orleans, the Foreign Mission Board of the National Baptist Convention of America, Inc., and currently serves on the Advisory Board of the IC3, Church Growth and Development Conference.



Ms. Jodie Laurent, MPH, *CHERISH, Tulane University*

Jodie Laurent is currently the Senior Research Coordinator of the CHERISH Study at Tulane University's School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine. CHERISH stands for Church Based Health Intervention to Eliminate Racial Inequalities in Cardiovascular Health. Being a native of New Orleans, Jodie is dedicated to improving the health outcomes of her community. She received her Master's in Public Health from Tulane University and bachelor's degree from Louisiana State University. Jodie decided to pursue a career in research to be a voice for her community and understand how to implement solutions to bring forth change.



Mr. Jelani Regan, Epidemiology, *Tulane University (SOTM)*

Jelani (*jah-la-knee*) Regan. Born in the Bronx, NY but grew up in Atlanta, GA. I attended school in St. Louis at Maryville University & ran track as a sprinter and served as captain of the sprints team for two years. I got my MBA right after and worked as a track coach and a medical scribe until getting accepted into medical school. I'm currently an MD/MPH student on the Epidemiology track for public health at Tulane University School of Tropical Medicine. At Tulane I'm the treasurer of SNMA and one of the leaders for Patient Education



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LEGEND Dr. Maisha Standifer, Phd., Mph, Director, Morehouse School of Medicine



Maisha N. Standifer, Phd MPH

Dr. Standifer is Director, Health Policy, David Satcher Health Leadership Institute, at Morehouse School of Medicine. She has over 20 years' experience in applied social science and public health. Her expertise includes program development and assessment in the fields of health policy, social determinants of health, health equity and community-based participatory research. She is particularly interested in research relative to culture, health, and community-based education with the African Diaspora of the U.S. and abroad. Dr. Standifer received a Master's Degree in Public Health from the Rollins School of Public Health at Emory University and Bachelor's Degree, Sociology from Spelman.

When: (Webinar)

You are invited to a Zoom webinar. Commandment #8

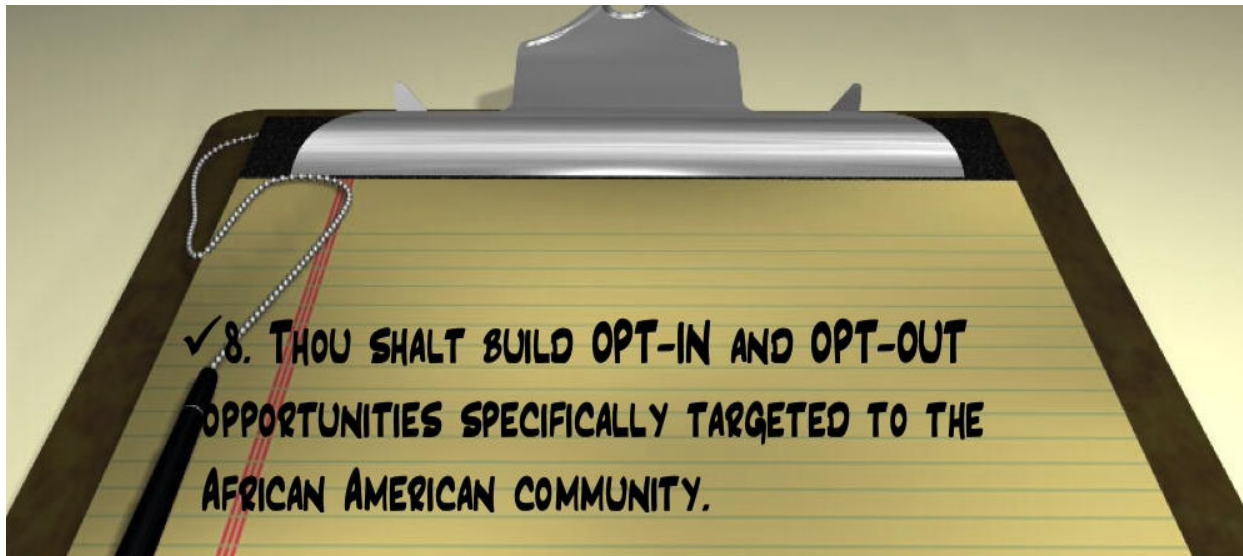
When:

Thursday Oct 13, 2022 5:00 PM (CT)/6:00 PM (ET)/ 3:00 PM (PT)

Topic: LEGEND Dr. Maisha Standifer Presents The 8th COMMANDMENT

Register in advance for this webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_YUe8x-PMRvOfr96aLnN8Yw

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50 hoops Chaplain, Dr. Lester Singleton



Dr. Rohan D. Jeremiah, *Associate Dean for Global Health, University of Illinois- Chicago.*

Rohan D. Jeremiah, PhD MPH, is the Interim Associate Dean for Global Health; and Associate Professor, Department of Human Development Nursing Science with the University of Illinois Chicago. He received his B.S. in Anthropology from Michigan State University; MPH in Health Behavior and Health Education from the University of Michigan, his doctorate in Applied Anthropology from the University of South Florida, with postgraduate studies at the University of Michigan, School of Public Health. Dr. Jeremiah is a founding member of Public Health Action Support Team (PHAST), a global initiative that assists local, state, and international health departments/organizations on public health events, disasters, and investigations. He has served as a Technical Advisor to the United Nations; the US President's Emergency Plan for Aids Relief; and the U.S. Agency in International Development.



Dr. Desiree Rivers, *Community Health Morehouse School of Medicine*

Dr. Desiree Rivers, PHD MSPH is the Assistant Professor, Community Health and Preventative Medicine; and the Director of Undergraduate Medical Education at the Morehouse School of Medicine. She received her Bachelor of Psychology degree from Vanderbilt University; an M.S in Public Health from UAB of Public Health, and her Doctor of Philosophy degree from Texas A&M University; with post graduate studies as a Fellow at Moffitt Cancer Center. The author of numerous publications and the recipient of various awards, her research interests focus on health care disparities in access and utilization of health care services. Including prevention, treatment and survivorship of cancer among minority and medically underserved populations.



Dr. Eugene Manley, Jr. , *Director LUNgevity Foundation*

Dr. Eugene Manley, Jr. is the Director of Community Engagement for the LUNgevity Foundation , where he oversees the Minority Scholars Training Program and other key health equity initiatives. He received his B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Michigan Technological University; his M.S. in Biomedical Engineering from the University of Wisconsin - Madison; and his PhD in Molecular Biology, Cell Biology, and Biochemistry from Boston University. He has co-authored publications on gene therapy, combination drug therapies, and patient advocacy; serves on various advisory boards. And has been featured on numerous panels and speaking engagements.

