

Collaborators

[The American Cancer Society](http://www.cancer.org) (www.cancer.org) is a nationwide, community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem.

[The American Kidney Fund](http://www.kidneyfund.org) (www.kidneyfund.org) combats kidney disease through direct financial support to patients in need, health education & prevention efforts.

[The American Heart Association/American Stroke Association](http://www.heart.org) (www.heart.org) is dedicated to building healthier lives, free of cardiovascular diseases and stroke through a number of national initiatives and state and local affiliates.

[Association of Black Cardiologists](http://www.abcardio.org) (www.abcardio.org) promote the prevention and treatment of cardiovascular disease, including stroke, in blacks and other minorities and to achieve health equity for all through the elimination of disparities.

[Eli Lilly](http://www.lillyforbetterhealth.com) (www.lillyforbetterhealth.com) Lilly for Better Health® goes beyond medicine to help people live healthy, active lives

[Get Covered Mississippi!](http://www.getcoveredms.org) (www.getcoveredms.org) is a state-wide faith-based coalition focused on raising public awareness and engaging consumers about health insurance options including the Affordable Care Act (ACA) and promoting the importance of a culture of health.

[Mid-South Churches Cooperative Conference \(Baptist\) State Convention](http://www.midsouthchurches.com) (www.midsouthchurches.com) is a fellowship of Mid-South (Mississippi, Tennessee, and Arkansas) churches dedicated to the promotion of Christian education and a culture of health.

[The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services](http://www.cms.gov) (www.cms.gov) administers the Medicare program and works in partnership with state governments to administer Medicaid, the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP), and health insurance portability standards.

[National Institutes of Health All of Us Research Program](http://www.allofus.nih.gov) (www.allofus.nih.gov) The *All of Us* Research Program is a large research program. The goal is to help researchers understand more about why people get sick or stay healthy.

[WomenHeart: The National Coalition for Women with Heart Disease](http://www.womenheart.org) (www.womenheart.org) is a nationwide patient advocacy organization including women heart patients and their families, health care providers, advocates and consumers committed to helping women live longer, healthier lives

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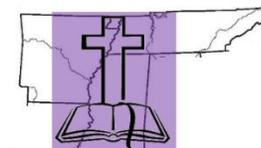
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H.O.P.E. Overview Fall 2017



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H.O.P.E. Health and Human Services Partnership Overview

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The National Baptist Convention, USA, Incorporated's Health and Wellness Initiative is a collaborative effort of National Baptist churches, medical professionals, and health related organizations committed to health outreach and prevention education (H.O.P.E.).

Vision. We see a day when all National Baptist churches will have vibrant health and wellness ministries resulting in members being good stewards of their health and wellness.

Mission. We will achieve this vision by reaching across our denomination to inspire and enable our fellow National Baptists to commit to healthier lifestyles through

- health and wellness education;
- resource materials and services;
- support networks of trained resource persons and facilitators; and
- evidenced based outcomes assessment.

Challenge. We want to make the NBCUSA the healthiest major denomination in America over the next ten years as measured by the ABCS (aspirin use for those needing it, blood pressure, cholesterol, and smoking cessation).

For more information, to inquire about training, or join one of our H.O.P.E. initiatives, e-mail hope@nationalbaptist.com

National Initiatives

The NBCUSA, Inc. H.O.P.E. National Health Fair, held during the Convention's three annual sessions, is part of our multi-faceted approach to health concerns providing delegates information, health screenings, resource referral, and government benefit updates that would benefit them and their families.

9-5-2-1-0 VBS Health Curriculum is a project that provides a health and wellness addendum for existing Sunday School Publishing Board Vacation Bible School curriculum.

The What's Cooking? Initiative is a collaborative effort with the American Diabetes Association, promotes healthy ingredients in and preparation of the meals served in our churches and homes. Demonstrations of healthy food preparation is also highlighted. Our churches are asked to observe Taste Test Sunday the 3rd Sunday in March when members will sample diabetic safe desserts followed by observance of Diabetes Alert Day, the 4th Tuesday of March.

The Church and Community Garden Project promotes the development of gardens to encourage increased access to and consumption of fruits and vegetables and to assist congregational members in being physically active. These gardens provide fresh, healthy produce, and opportunities for building community activity.

Fit for Service is a faith-based coalition focused on promoting activities designed for increasing the number of, and, engaging the families of seasoned saint involved in Trinity Wellness for improved quantity and quality of life.

Let's Move! This effort is identifying local church first spouses to be advocates in promoting physical activity and healthy eating especially with our youth through establishing or working with the existing H.O.P.E. Health Ministry in their churches to help recruit Health Ambassadors and inspiring children, youth, and young adults to join or start H.O.P.E./Let's Move! Clubs.

My Brother's Keeper is a collaborative, multi-disciplinary approach to build ladders of opportunity and unlock the full potential of boys and young men of color. We are calling on NBC, USA, Inc. men to understand the problem, take action, and share their stories.

A Better Way (ABW) is NBCUSA H.O.P.E.'s substance abuse prevention ministry focused on illicit drug use, opioid abuse, and alcoholism. ABW has a three-pronged approach - education, referral, and reconciliation.

All of Us (AoU) is NBCUSA H.O.P.E.'s collaboration with the National Institute of Health's ambitious effort to gather data from one million or more people living in the United States to accelerate research and improve health.

The H.O.P.E. Health Ministry Training offers 3 levels of health promotion and education training.

Level I - 8-hour training course providing the basics for developing a congregational health ministry resulting in the NBCUSA Certified Health Ministry Ambassador.

Level II - 8-hour training course providing additional health and wellness promotion for the Certified Health Ministry Ambassador resulting in the NBCUSA Certified Health Ministry Promoter.

Level III - 8-hour advanced training course providing networking, tools of the trade and assistance promote a congregational community health focus resulting in the health ministry leader as the NBCUSA Certified Congregational Health Leader

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