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**Hunger Free Health Care KC Coalition Announces First Annual  
Hunger Free Healthcare Summit**

(Olathe, Kan.) August 31, 2017 – Hunger Free Healthcare KC, a coalition of nonprofits, government organizations, and hospitals is pleased to announce the first annual Hunger Free Healthcare Summit, bringing together local hunger advocates and health care professionals from around the metro for a dynamic discussion on the intersection of hunger and health.

Summit attendees will have the opportunity to learn about national trends and connect with local resources for patients and families. One in seven individuals in our community are impacted by food insecurity, or the lack of affordable fresh food. This summit is timely and will give healthcare professionals the tools they need to impact hunger on the front lines.

Health care professionals who support patients in accessing community resources are encouraged to attend.

The summit is from 8:30 a.m-10:30 a.m., Wednesday, September 13, 2017 at the Kauffman Foundation Conference Center, 4801 Rockhill Rd., Kansas City, Mo 64110.

This is a free event and breakfast will be provided. Seating is limited, register today. RSVP: <http://bit.ly/HungerFreeHealthcareKC>. **For questions or help with registration, please contact Carey Yale at 913-477-8333 - [Carey.Yale@jocogov.org](mailto:Carey.Yale@jocogov.org),**

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