

# Improving African American Participation and Awareness in Clinical Trials for Lupus

## SUGGESTED CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SCRIPTURE: 3 JOHN 1:2

*“Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.” (KJV)*

God truly wants us to prosper and be in health! Our church is committed to empowering your spirit, soul and yes, your body. We also are called to be leaders in this world and to think not only of ourselves but of others on this life's journey. We have partnered with the Lupus Foundation of America to shine a light on clinical trials in our community and to also educate about lupus. Today we encourage you to visit the table/booth to find out more information on clinical trials and lupus.

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On \_\_\_\_\_ we will host a workshop on clinical trials and lupus for you, your family and the community. Please share this information, come out and bring others with you!

### SCRIPTURE: PROVERBS 13:22

*“A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children...” (KJV)*

Lupus is a disease that affects African Americans, particularly women, at much higher rates than others. We are committed to the Body of Christ and equipping you with information that can help you, your family and others. Our church has partnered with the Lupus Foundation of America in an awareness and education program that teaches us about clinical trials and about lupus. Clinical trials are studies that can help doctors and scientists learn more about different diseases and discover better treatments. Our faith teaches us that we have to think of others and leave a legacy of good works; participation in clinical trials is a way in which we can do just that. Please visit the information table/booth for more information.

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