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TODAY
Genomic Surveillance of the 2014 Ebola Outbreak
Pardis Sabeti
October 30
4:00–5:00 PM
Kresge 502
Read about Sabeti's work in the effort to analyze Ebola's genetic code and track its mutations.

Approaching 2014 election, polls show deep partisan divide over ACA
An analysis of public opinion polls found that most Americans still do not approve of the Affordable Care Act. The findings suggest that the outcome of congressional races will likely impact the law's future direction.

Replacing saturated fat with polyunsaturated fat linked with lower heart disease risk
People who swap 5% of the calories they consume from sources such as red meat and butter with polyunsaturated foods, including vegetable oil, nuts, and seeds, lowered their risk of coronary heart disease.

Event Highlights

Harvard Longwood Campus
Lunch & Learn: Healthy Eating on a Budget
November 4
12:00–1:00 PM
Countway Library, Ballard Rm.

Live webcast: The 2014 U.S. Midterm Elections—What's at Stake for Health Reform
HSPH Forum
November 7
12:30–1:30 PM

Senior Leader Administrative Forum Breakfast
November 13
9:00–10:30 AM
FXB G13

Stop Hunger Now Meal Packaging Event
November 19
5:00–7:00 PM
Kresge Cafeteria

Featured video

Reflections on Leadership: Kathleen Sebelius, former U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services

Around the School
Calculating the cost of
maternal deaths
A panel at HSPH recently discussed findings from five African countries where maternal death rates are high.

The “incredible possibilities” of big data
Kent Walker, senior vice president and general counsel for Google, Inc., recently spoke at HSPH about the big data revolution for patients and doctors.

Faculty news
Ankur Pandya has been appointed assistant professor of health decision science in the Department of Health Policy and Management.

Harvard plans for ‘a more sustainable future’
Harvard recently launched a plan to improve the University’s environmental footprint, as well as the health and well-being of its community.

Learn more about health benefits changes
Online and in-person educational opportunities are available for faculty and nonunion staff affected by the 2015 benefits changes.

Research news
Ebola: U.S. should learn from West Africa’s response
Drones may be boon to public health research
Americans mistrust medical profession, but like their own doctors
U.S. hospitals prepare for Ebola
HSPH and Mexico: Ties that bind
Wide variation in c-section rates not explained by maternal diagnoses