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Karen Emmons welcomed back to faculty
On November 1 Karen Emmons began her tenure as professor and Dean for Academic Affairs. She was a faculty member in the Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences from 1994 to 2014, and from 2009 to 2013 was associate dean for research.

‘Hot-spotting,’ how gun violence spreads, and living in America on $2 a day
At the 2016 Forum on Population Health Equity, 1,000 experts examined how to improve the health of society’s most vulnerable people.

New research highlights risks of exposure to phthalates
Phthalates—synthetic chemicals used in scores of products—may increase both the risk of miscarriage and risk factors for gestational diabetes.

In the news
Comparing procedure costs

Event Highlights
Realizing the Potential of Cancer Prevention in a Precision Era
November 14
2:00-6:00 PM
Dana Farber Yawkey Conference Center

Voices in Leadership: Bob Schieffer
Live webcast
November 17
12:30-1:00 PM

Fall Social
November 17
3:00-4:00 PM
Kresge Cafeteria

November 10, 2016
Around the School

Improving health and safety on the job
The Center for Work, Health and Wellbeing aims to find new approaches to address how jobs affect health and safety, from potential exposures to physical hazards, to work-related stress.

Benefits Open Enrollment for 2017 ends November 16
Benefits Open Enrollment for 2017 will run through November 16. This is your annual opportunity to review and make changes to your Harvard benefits, including Medical, Dental, Vision Care, Supplemental Life Insurance, Long-term Disability, Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) and Health Savings Accounts (HSAs). You have until 8:00 PM on Wednesday, November 16 to make your selections.

Neurodiversity: Inclusion, Acceptance, and Human Rights
On Friday, November 18, from 3:30-5:00 PM in Kresge G1, author Steve Silberman and autism rights advocate Ari Ne’eman will lead an interactive discussion on the history of autism and the pursuit of human rights and inclusion for people with autism. RSVP here.

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