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SYMPOSIUM

# Connections: Strategies for Bringing Community and Science Together

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

### Victor Sutton, PhD, MPPA

Director of the Office of Preventative Health,  
Jackson Heart Study Group, Mississippi

The Jackson Heart Study (JHS) is the largest and longest running study of cardiovascular disease in African Americans. JHS researcher discoveries include a gene variant in African-Americans doubling heart disease risk, a link between a sickle cell trait and increased kidney disease risk, and that even small blood pressure spikes can lead to a higher risk of death.



We invite you to submit an abstract for one of the *limited* poster session spots available.

Please see the **CRISP website** for poster requirements, registration (**required**), speakers, and symposium agenda.

**WHEN** Saturday, May 17, 2025  
9:30am to 3:00pm

**WHERE** The Venue at Highlander  
2120 N. 30th St.  
Omaha, NE 68111



**FEE**

- \$0.....Community & Students
- \$20...CRISP Members\*
- \$30...Non Members (Academics & Healthcare Professionals)\*

*Registration required*

*Buffet lunch included*

*\*ANCC CE Eligible*

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