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#### Hello,

This week we learn about new research into COVID-19 and why it—and other viral infections—seem to target older people. We also learn how the baboon could be used as a model for future Alzheimer's treatments and get a look at new research that could prevent painful hip arthritis. On top of that, we learn why a little bit of extra body fat in middle age might not be such a bad thing.

Are you part of a health or life extension research organization? Our coalition has grown to over 90 member groups, including 25 major US organizations and 16 major international groups. We hope your organization will be next! Check below to find a link to join our coalition quickly and easily.

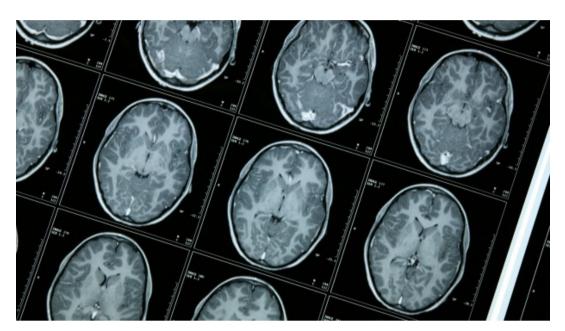
All this and more this week. Join us as we move forward into another exciting month of incredible opportunities in this burgeoning and revolutionary field.

Edwina Rogers, CEO Global Healthspan Policy Institute





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Study suggests Baboon model could aide in Alzheimer's disease interventions

Scientists at Texas Biomed indicate that baboons could be used to test potential treatments for Alzheimer's and other age-related neurodegenerative conditions.

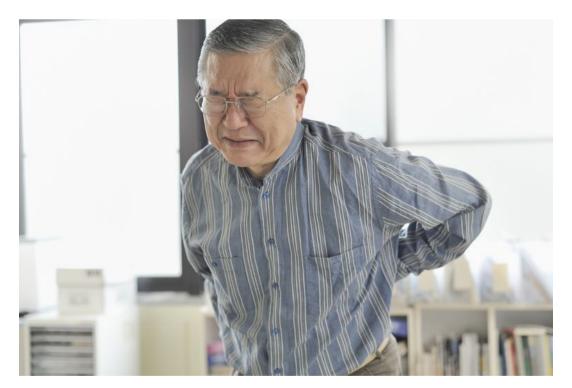
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To Better Understand COVID-19, Researchers Review Aging, Immune Response to Viral Infections

Researchers at the University of Michigan are learning exactly why COVID-19, and other viral infections tend to affect older patients more severely.

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GHPI Coalition Grows to Over 90 Members

Our coalition includes 25 major US organizations and 16 major international organizations. Will yours be next?

By joining the coalition you get access to the GHPI fellows, top experts in aging research. You gain more influence over national and world events. You are invited to our pilot projects. You get access to healthspan investment funds and our ability to promote your achievements. You get news updates, and can join our weekly coordinating call that steers the future of the healthspan movement.

### Join The Coalition Here

We're Bringing the Best Research in the World to Congress - and Your Donations Are The Fuel To Our Fire!

With your help, we're bringing the vision of a world without the spectre of diseases like cancer, heart disease, and Alzheimer's one step closer to reality each and every day. Our team works closely with industry leaders from sectors as far-reaching as biotechnology to gene therapy to pharmaceuticals and beyond – uniting our members under a common, core mission to benefit the public trust.

Help us bring new preventions and therapeutics for the benefit of all generations, today

All Call For Volunteers For Healthier, More Productive Years of Life!

What if the US Congress took the lead funding healthspan research? Or by removing barriers to treatments to new therapeutics that can prevent diseases like cancer?

Precision medicine research could help people and their pets avoid hip problems

Research being conducted at the University of Missouri is being used to develop tests that could help many older adults—and their pets—avoid painful hip arthritis.

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Pudgy middle age: Does a little fat have an upside?

New research indicates that a little bit of body fat during middle age may be good for some people.

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For the first time governments seem to be listening -- and you can help!

GHPI needs volunteers to engage with the public and ally nonprofit groups around the world.

Contact <u>dcarver@healthspanpolicy.org</u> to join the tiger team today!

# **Upcoming Events**

Note: Due to changing circumstances surrounding COVID-19 leading to cancellations, we are temporarily unable to include a list of upcoming events. We'll be sure to keep you up to date as future events are scheduled.



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