

Dr. Eric Griggs, MD...

"Doc Griggs" is the health and wellness awareness persona of Eric D. Griggs, M.D., a New Orleans-based Community Medicine Doctor and Health Educator who has dedicated his professional life to raising health and wellness awareness in communities, nationally and internationally. In addition to being recently appointed as an Adjunct Assistant Professor at the Tulane School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, he also serves in the same capacity at the LSU School of Medicine and the Xavier University College of Pharmacy. He maintains a continued role as Director of Community Medicine at Access Health Louisiana, a Federally-Qualified Health Center. Dr. Griggs proudly serves as the founder and Executive Director of the Doc Griggs Foundation, a community-driven, student-activated, and professionally-mentored organization that promotes community health by empowering the community to 'Get Checked. Get Fit. Get Moving!'® Dr. Griggs currently serves as the chapter president of the 100 Black Men of Metro New Orleans and is proudly a member of the national 100 Black Men of America's Health and Wellness Committee, where he serves as the national COVID-19 Chair and spokesperson.

In 2020, the world was affected by the global pandemic of the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19). Since then, Doc Griggs has become a local, state, national and international figure in explaining the risks, exposure, care, prevention, and treatment strategies against COVID-19. He remains consistently vigilant, adamant, and intentional in providing up-to-date information and opportunities for testing and vaccinations to the community. Through community town hall meetings, news media outlets, animations, policy support, in-person events, community health clinics, and more, Dr. Griggs has stood steadfast.

In an ever-changing world of uncertainty, Dr. Griggs has proven a trusted voice of calm and reliable, evidence-based information for the community as the world continues to strive for a new sense of 'healthy normal.'

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