

## Tobacco Cessation with Telehealth Coffee Chat

Thursday, July 23, 2020 1:00-2:00pm EST



**Kimber P. Richter, PhD, MPH** conducts federally-funded research on tobacco treatment in rural primary care and hospitals and pursues research and advocacy to expand access to high-quality treatment among the medically underserved. Dr. Richter directs UKanQuit at KUMed, a bedside tobacco treatment service for hospital inpatients, which has treated over 20,000 inpatients since 2006, and has conducted research on telemedicine for smoking cessation among rural primary care patients. She is the former president of the Kansas Public Health Association and the U.S. Association for Medical Education and Research on Substance Abuse (AMERSA). She has a national certificate in tobacco treatment practice (NCTTP) and is certified to deliver the University of Massachusetts Tobacco Treatment Specialist (TTS) training.



**Theresa Hankin RRT, NCTTP** is a Registered Respiratory Therapist for 40 plus years and a Tobacco Treatment Specialist certified at Mayo Clinic. She runs the Tobacco Treatment Program and is the Tobacco Treatment Education Coordinator for Upstate Medical University which includes Upstate Cancer Center in Syracuse NY. Theresa is on the Board of Directors for ATTUD and serves as ATTUD's Behavioral Health Committee's chair.



**Jon Roberts** is the Business Office Manager at Upstate University Hospital which is located in Syracuse, NY. He is responsible for leading the hospital's billing and chargemaster departments. Jon has worked at Upstate in finance for six years. He received a BA in Public Relations from SUNY Oswego and is pursuing a MBA in Healthcare Leadership through SUNY ESC where he finished his capstone course in May 2020. His specialties include hospital billing and reimbursement. Jon lives in Syracuse with his wife and four children.