



Northeast KEMA

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KEMA Board and KEMA Members:

As a part of the 2019 KEMA Conference, Shawnee County Emergency Management is providing Pre-Con activities and food opportunities on September 10, 2019.

0900-1300

The Community Blood Center will be holding a Blood Drive in honor of Gilbert Blas Valerio II. It is open to the public and coincides with the date/time Shawnee County normally holds their fall drive, except it will be held at our location this year. **See flyer for registration details.**

1145-1315

Those attending the Pre-Con or arriving early for the conference can partake of lunch (on your own) that will be provided by Food Trucks parked on the street west of the site. The diner at the site can be very slow even with advanced notice so this option is being made available. **Pre-orders are recommended and menus will be sent out when they are finalized.** (Shawnee County EM staff will be on hand to assist in this endeavor)

1600-1730

The KBI Tour for the Pre-Con will take place on the campus of Washburn University. Shawnee County Emergency Management will have some vans available to provide transportation to and from the site. In order to provide these vans and the tours, **please see the flyer for registration details.**

1600-1730

The State Capitol Tour for the Pre-Con will take place in Downtown Topeka. Shawnee County Emergency Management will have some vans available to provide transportation to the site. When the tour is complete, those on this tour will walk the 1 block to the evening meal. In order to provide these vans and the tours, **please see the flyer for registration details.**

1600-2000

The Pre-Con evening meal will be served at [The Pennant Topeka](https://thepennanttopeka.com/bowling-alley-and-arcade/) and will consist of the "Burger Bar" being paid for by KEMA. The serving will start at 1800 and there will also be a Cash Bar. Please see the site <https://thepennanttopeka.com/bowling-alley-and-arcade/> for what is available. Shawnee County Emergency Management will have some vans available to provide transportation to and from the site. I (These are county vehicles therefore no transportation of alcoholic beverages is permitted). In order to provide these vans we need to have accurate counts and sufficient drivers, **please see the flyer for registration details.**

Please contact me at nelson.casteel@snco.us for any questions.



PRE-CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

SEPTEMBER 10 2019

KEMA 2019 Gilbert Blas Valerio II Blood Drive
Grand Ballroom of the Ramada from 0900-1300

**Participants must register by September 6, 2019
by emailing Nelson.casteel@snco.us**

KBI Lab Tour starting at 1600 at Washburn University

Located at 2001 SW Washburn Ave
Park in Lot #4 Coordinates 39.033918, -95.698292
Transportation is available

**Participants must register for the tour
and any transportation by September 4, 2019 by
emailing Nelson.casteel@snco.us**

State Capitol Tour starting at 1600 at State Capitol

Located at 8th/Harrison Street Park in the Underground Garage
Coordinates 39.049789, -95.678408

**Participants must register for the tour
and any transportation by September 4, 2019 by
emailing Nelson.casteel@snco.us**

KEMA 2019 Pre-Conference Lunch (on your own)
Food Trucks will be parked from 1145-1315 directly
West of the Ramada to take orders for lunch
Once the menus are set, pre-orders can be made

**To ensure we have enough food,
please register by September 4, 2019
by emailing Nelson.casteel@snco.us**

KEMA 2019 Pre-Conference Meal and Activities
Pennant-Topeka <https://thepennanttopeka.com/>
Burger Bar provided for free to members
Serving starts at 1830
Cash Bar available at 1600
Located at 915 S Kansas Ave in Downtown Topeka
39.047712, -95.675971
Parking on street or garage is available

**Participants must register for the meal and
any transportation by September 4, 2019 by
emailing Nelson.casteel@snco.us**

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Blood Drive

Donate **blood** now...
people can't live without it.

KEMA Kansas Emergency Management Association

In memory of Gilbert Blas Valerio II

Tuesday, September 10

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

420 SE 6th Ave - Grand Ballroom



Book your appointment today at

savealifenow.org/group,
enter **Group Code: EG1W**

For additional details contact Nelson Casteel at
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Medical eligibility questions? Call 1.800.688.0900