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Senator Schaefer to Speak on Smoking Cessation Pilot Program

JEFFERSON CITY – Missouri Senator Kurt Schaefer will speak on the new Missouri smoking cessation pilot program on Monday, April 19. The approximately \$8 million pilot program is available for Missouri residents currently on Medicaid, and was added to the state budget earlier this week.

The Legislative Delegation from Boone County has been invited to the conference, and Boone County doctors will also speak on the benefits of the new program. A press conference will take place at 9:30 a.m. in the lobby of the University of Missouri-Columbia Hospital, located at One Hospital Drive in Columbia, Missouri.

For questions about this program, please contact Sen. Schaefer's office at 573-751-3931.

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