

Beyond the Bite: Understanding Ticks & Alpha-Gal

Because one bite can change a life.

Ticks are more than just a nuisance—they can carry diseases and, in some cases, trigger long-term, life-altering health conditions such as Alpha-Gal Syndrome. Join Southwind Extension to learn how to protect your family and navigate life after an Alpha-Gal diagnosis.



The program will feature two K-State experts:

- **Priscilla Brenes, MPH, Ph.D.**
 - How Alpha-Gal affects the body
 - Nutritional strategies for managing life with AGS
- **Raymond Cloyd, Ph.D.**
 - Tick species, life cycles, and behavior
 - Diseases associated with ticks
 - Prevention and personal protection tips



Whether you spend time outdoors for work, recreation, or everyday life, this program offers practical, research-based information to help reduce risk and increase awareness.

**Monday, March 23
Fort Scott Community College
Ellis Meeting Rooms
6:00 p.m.**

Call 620-244-3826 by March 20 to register.



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