

## Spring 2010 Lecture Series Dates

• January 20

• February 3

• February 17 Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday

March 3

March 17

March 31—Special Edition 12:00 noon CST (11:00 am MT)

April 7

• April 21 Room ACB 120

May 5

May 19

## **LUNCH IS BACK!!!**

Free lunch will be provided to the first 35 attendees!

(Lubbock Campus only)



Persons needing assistance are requested to call 806-743-1524 or e-mail CIMA@ttuhsc.edu

## CIMA Lectures on World Health featuring Chandice Covington, PhD, RN

Interim Dean, Professor & Endowed Chair Anita Thigpen Perry School Of Nursing

Maisha Mabii: Life of Grandmothers of Kenya

> Wednesday, April 7 12:00 noon CST Room ACB 120

Chandice Covington, PhD, RN currently serves as the Interim Dean for the Anita Thigpen Perry School of Nursing. She is a professor and the Florence Thelma Hall Endowed Chair for Nursing Excellence in Women's Health. Her professional expertise includes maternal-child-family and women's health issues. Her research areas of expertise include women and substance abuse issues, breast cancer prevention, sleep debt and it's effect on women's health, and prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV.

Dr. Covington is interested in improving the health of women globally. Her interest in preventing mother-to-child transmission of HIV via breast milk has taken her to Kenya, Africa. In addition, a research project using a breast shield proposed by Dr. Covington to prevent HIV transmission through breast milk has received a \$100,000 Grand Challenges Exploration grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.