

UT Southwestern Medical Center

A Celebration of Employee Service and Dedication

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Today begins Employee Recognition Week, when we honor the service and dedication of all our co-workers – but especially those who have devoted 25 or more years of their careers to UT Southwestern and its missions.

Their contributions over the years have helped to make UT Southwestern a premier academic medical center. In addition, our longtime colleagues have also served as role models and mentors for other employees.

I encourage you to read the special Employee Recognition issue of *Center Times*, which features employees who are marking 25, 30, 35, and 40 years of service this year. This issue of *Center Times* is available throughout the campus and is posted online. A video featuring several longtime employees has been posted, and employees celebrating 5, 10, 15, and 20 years of service are listed on the MyUTSW intranet site. Through their profiles and comments, the featured employees demonstrate that UT Southwestern is an exceptional workplace that offers many opportunities to grow and contribute throughout the years.

I congratulate the longtime employees who will be honored at a Quarter-Century Club luncheon this week, and I thank all UT Southwestern employees for everything they do, day in and day out, to contribute to UT Southwestern's achievements in advancing knowledge about the causes and treatments of disease; educating the next generation of scientists, physicians, and other caregivers; and providing patients with the highest possible quality of care.

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