

UT Southwestern COVID-19 Resources and Information

March 10, 2020

To keep you fully informed on our COVID-19 actions, UT Southwestern has established an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) dedicated to addressing issues and providing essential communications related to our response.

The EOC is staffed by a multidisciplinary team that includes leaders from the health system, academic affairs, business affairs, and institutional advancement to identify, manage, and address in a comprehensive manner current and future issues posed by the spread of COVID-19.

William Daniel, M.D., Vice President and Chief Quality Officer for the Health System who holds the William T. Solomon Professorship in Clinical Quality Improvement, will lead the Emergency Operations Center.

The EOC will address all challenges we could face including: supply chain issues, changes in patient volumes, emergency responses, coursework continuity, virtual coursework, seminars or meetings, information resource needs, legal issues, human resource needs, and general business continuity for our institution.

We have centralized all information online at <u>What to Know About COVID-19</u> where all updates will be posted as decisions are made.

Please continue to provide your ideas, suggestions, and feedback to <u>COVID-</u>
<u>19Questions@utsouthwestern.edu</u>. Please also plan to join our <u>Virtual Town Hall</u> on Wednesday, March
11, from 7-8 a.m. CDT.

Thank you for all of your support and work thus far and for your patience and understanding as we continue to follow and respond to this evolving challenge.

All future COVID-19 updates will come from EOC@UTSouthwestern.edu.

Sincerely,

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