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**NEW VIDEO!**  
**Follow Our Lead - Roll Up Your Sleeves- Get Vaccinated**



Emily Hutson, pictured above, is a physician's assistant at Park Hill Family Health Center in Denver. And, she is jumping for joy after receiving her second dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Emily and countless other DFM family medicine providers want to encourage us all to take advantage of the vaccines when our opportunity comes around.

So, they took some vaccination selfies and decided to share them and their message with us and the world!

Check out the finished product - available now on the DFM homepage. Just click on the button below to watch the video.

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[Watch The Video](#)

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**GIVING**  
 **back.**

**Philanthropic Giving Gains Strength:  
DFM Receives Generous Donations**

The COVID-19 pandemic has negatively affected so many areas and aspects of life - from public health to the economy.

But, one thing that is bucking that trend is - surprisingly - philanthropic support for health care and health care education organizations.

The Department of Family Medicine is a prime example. Despite the pandemic, we've had some generous donors come forward to reinforce our foundation to thrive.

Click on the button below to read the full story.

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## In The News: DFM Docs Hit The Airwaves

Between public radio and podcasts, our DFM experts are getting noticed. This month, two of our colleagues stepped up to the mic to share their knowledge.

Dr. Kyle Leggott is featured in a Colorado Public Radio story on the hidden tolls of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Click on the button below to read the story and look for the "Listen Now" button on the story page to listen to the complete story.

[Find The Story](#)



And, Dr. Cleveland Piggott joins co-authors of their recent, celebrated publication, ***Dear White People***, on American Family Physician (AFP) Podcast.

Just click on the button below to listen to the podcast.

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## Big News From The Sports Medicine Fellowship!

The Sports Medicine Fellowship is on the grow!

Details are still being worked out, but program director, Dr. Jack Spittler is



excited to let us all in on the new developments.

Just click on the button below for the complete story.

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# UPDATES

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## Research and Innovation

**Here are the newly funded projects for January 2021:**

Biomedical Prevention Technologies for HIV: Developing a Differentiated Care Model for Young Women of Color

PI: Brooke Dorsey Holliman

(Contact: [Brooke.Dorsey@cuanschutz.edu](mailto:Brooke.Dorsey@cuanschutz.edu))

Sponsor: University of Colorado Denver Office of Research Services

Enhancing Maternal/Birth-outcomes Research by Advancing Culturally-informed Engagement (EMBRACE)

DFM PI: Brooke Dorsey Holliman

(Contact: [Brooke.Dorsey@cuanschutz.edu](mailto:Brooke.Dorsey@cuanschutz.edu))

Sponsor: PCORI

Transformation Transfer Initiative

PI: Kyle Knierim/Practice Innovation

(Contact: [Kyle.Knierim@cuanschutz.edu](mailto:Kyle.Knierim@cuanschutz.edu))

Sponsor: State of Colorado/OBH/SAMHSA

***If you want to learn more about these projects or get involved, be sure and reach out to the contacts listed.***

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## Education and Training

Dr. Sean Llewellyn is a second year resident with the University of Colorado Family Medicine Residency.

He just wrapped up a medical journalism elective with a major, national news network.



And, boy, does he have a story to tell. Click on the button below to check out his story of innovation in communication and so much more.

Read The Story



Family Medicine  
**UNITED**  
for Colorado

Family Medicine United for Colorado is a collaborative volunteer community of solutions organized around the principle of collective action in response to Colorado's growing primary care crisis.

Check out the new helpful information and resources available for Colorado primary care and family medicine practices.

Visit The Website



## Something Fun!

The Mars Perseverance Rover is set to touch down on the Red Planet around 1:55 pm our time today!

Fingers crossed for a successful landing and the beginning of the search for fossilized microbial life.



## Professional Development Pro Tip!

Since 2019, the **Women in Leadership Series** has been presented by a number of influential women (mostly from the Anschutz Campus) who have talked about their journeys and how they have balanced career and family while making their way.

The sessions (when in-person) included breakfast and networking time for women from all corners of the campus. Now that we're remote, some of the recent speakers (including our own Regina Richards) have been captured on video and their talks can be viewed [here](#) (scroll all the way down to the bottom of the page).

These sessions are always informative and inspiring. Be on the lookout for the next talk, coming up in April.

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