



Keynote speaker:
Michael J. Sorrell, Ed.D.
President of Paul Quinn College

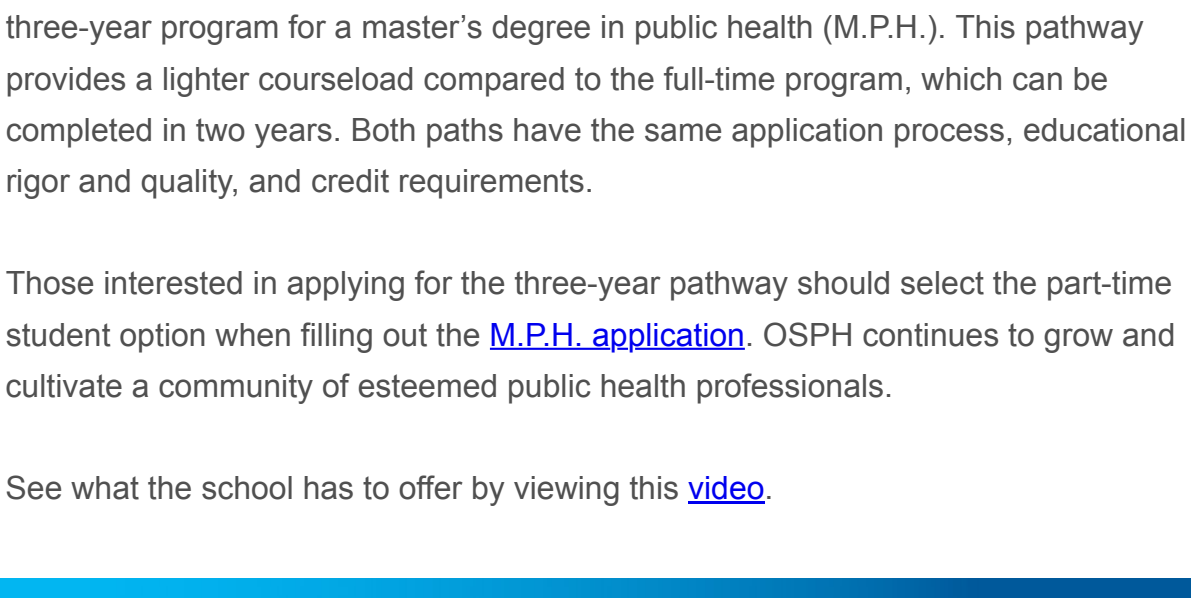
Happening today: MLK celebration

Join the UT Southwestern community for the annual Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Celebration today, which will include guest speaker **Michael J. Sorrell, Ed.D.**, President of Paul Quinn College, who was named one of the World's 50 Greatest Leaders by *Fortune* magazine for his innovative and effective approach to transforming higher education. He also is a three-time recipient of the HBCU Male President of the Year Award.

The hybrid event starts at noon on South Campus and will feature opening remarks from **Shawna Nesbitt, M.D., M.S.**, Vice President and Chief Institutional Opportunity Officer, a piano/violin duet performed by medical students, and remarks from UTSW President **Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.**

Hosted by the Office for Institutional Opportunity and the Office of Student Empowerment and Engagement, the celebration will also include an award ceremony honoring student recipients of the Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship for Community Service.

[Registration and information](#)

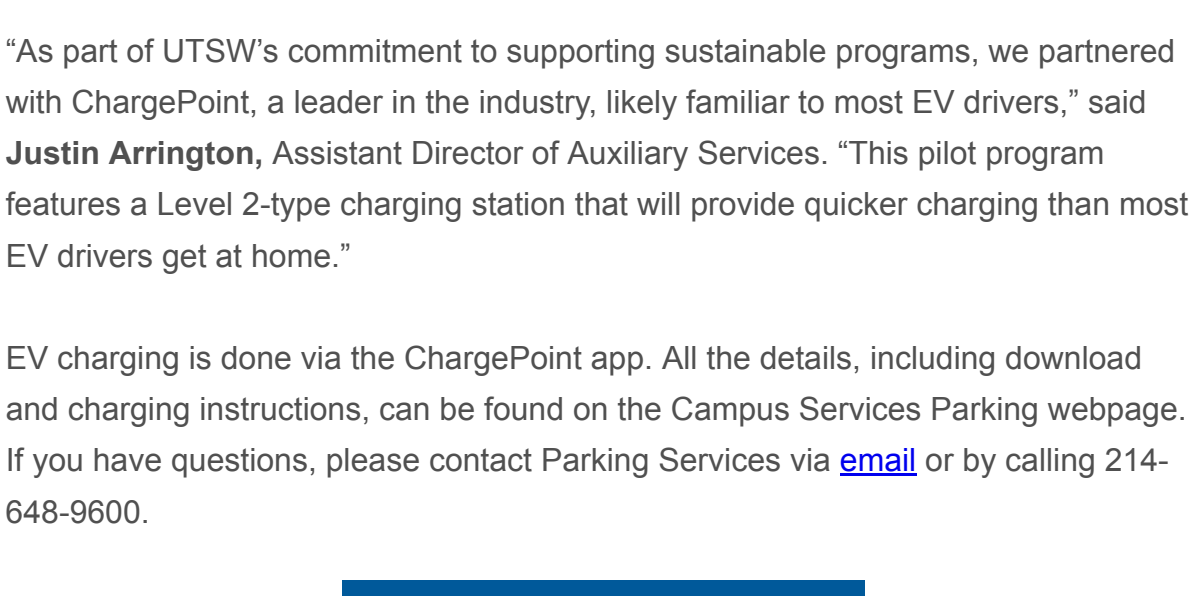


OSPH adds three-year M.P.H. pathway

To accommodate nontraditional students who may be balancing full-time commitments, the O'Donnell School of Public Health (OSPH) now offers a part-time, three-year program for a master's degree in public health (M.P.H.). This pathway provides a lighter course load compared to the full-time program, which can be completed in two years. Both paths have the same application process, educational rigor and quality, and credit requirements.

Those interested in applying for the three-year pathway should select the part-time student option when filling out the [M.P.H. application](#). OSPH continues to grow and cultivate a community of esteemed public health professionals.

See what the school has to offer by viewing this [video](#).



Electric vehicle charging stations now on campus

UT Southwestern has launched a pilot program for electric vehicle (EV) charging stations, located in the North Campus Employee Garage 1 beneath the NA-NH buildings.

"As part of UTSW's commitment to supporting sustainable programs, we partnered with ChargePoint, a leader in the industry, likely familiar to most EV drivers," said **Justin Arrington**, Assistant Director of Auxiliary Services. "This pilot program features a Level 2-type charging station that will provide quicker charging than most EV drivers get at home."

EV charging is done via the ChargePoint app. All the details, including download and charging instructions, can be found on the [Campus Services Parking](#) webpage. If you have questions, please contact Parking Services via [email](#) or by calling 214-648-9600.

[EV Charging - Parking Services](#)

Research Highlights

[Two-step screening strategy could reduce diabetic heart failure](#)

A new screening protocol that combines clinical risk assessment with biomarker testing more effectively identifies which patients with Type 2 diabetes need medication to prevent heart failure.

[Robotic surgery associated with improved outcomes for most colon cancer patients](#)

Patients undergoing robotic surgery experienced shorter hospital stays, lower rates of complications, and improved cancer staging in comparison to those undergoing laparoscopic colectomies for colon cancer.



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