

Required VPN migration

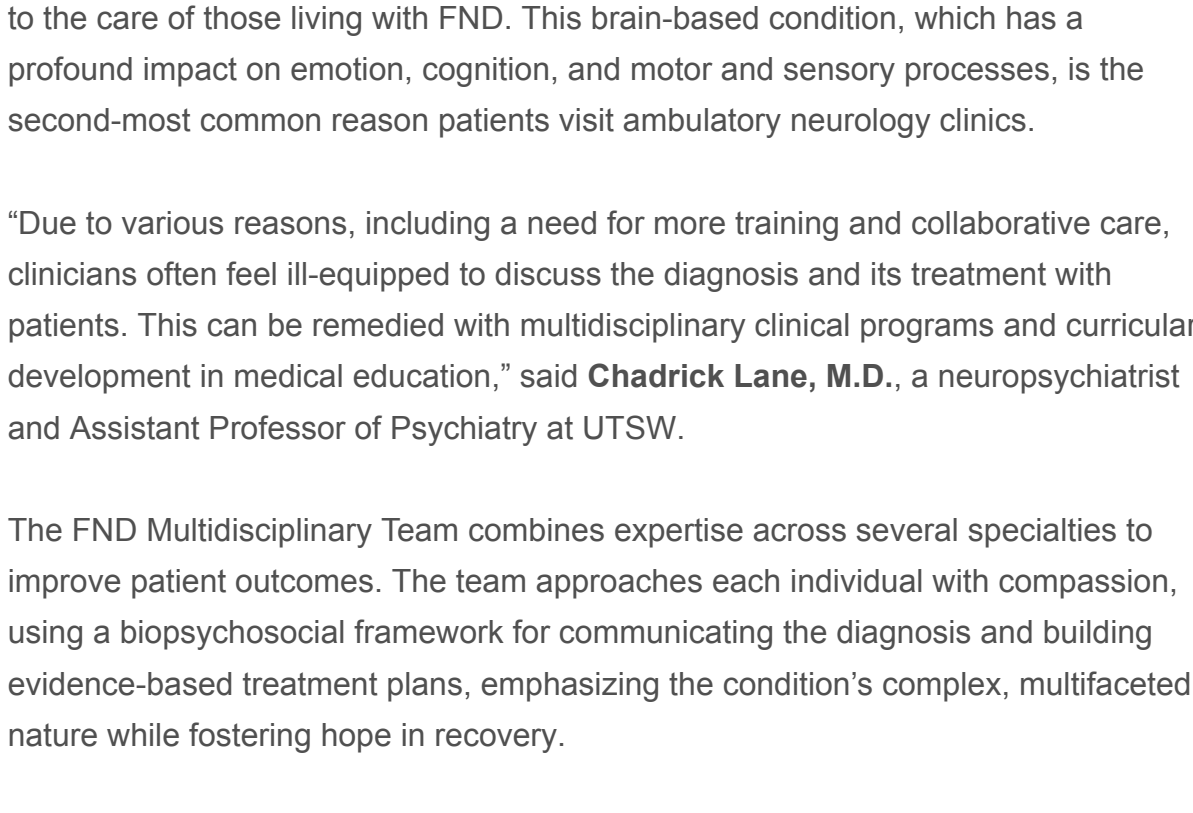
Over the past several months, UT Southwestern has been transitioning its virtual private network (VPN) from Ivanti to GlobalProtect. The new platform provides many advantages, including security enhancements and a better user experience.

All Ivanti users who have not migrated to GlobalProtect have until July 31 to do so. After that date, VPN access through Ivanti will no longer be available.

Thank you for your cooperation as Information Resources works to provide you with the best tools to perform your job at UT Southwestern.

Questions? Contact the service desk at 214-648-7600 or via [email](#).

[GlobalProtect install](#)



FND: Exploring unmet needs

At the Peter O'Donnell Jr. Brain Institute, the Functional Neurological Disorder (FND) Multidisciplinary Team, composed of psychiatrists, neurologists, psychotherapists, and rehabilitative therapists, is taking a comprehensive approach to the care of those living with FND. This brain-based condition, which has a profound impact on emotion, cognition, and motor and sensory processes, is the second-most common reason patients visit ambulatory neurology clinics.

"Due to various reasons, including a need for more training and collaborative care, clinicians often feel ill-equipped to discuss the diagnosis and its treatment with patients. This can be remedied with multidisciplinary clinical programs and curricular development in medical education," said **Chadrick Lane, M.D.**, a neuropsychiatrist and Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at UTSW.

The FND Multidisciplinary Team combines expertise across several specialties to improve patient outcomes. The team approaches each individual with compassion, using a biopsychosocial framework for communicating the diagnosis and building evidence-based treatment plans, emphasizing the condition's complex, multifaceted nature while fostering hope in recovery.

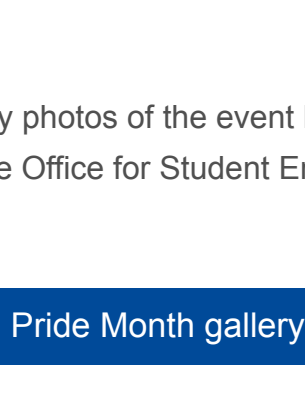
Learn more about the team's unique approach in the inaugural [Field Reports from the O'Donnell Brain Institute](#).

UTSW in the News

UT Southwestern's clinical and scientific experts are often featured in the news, with media outlets turning to us for our insights and perspectives. "UTSW in the News" highlights some of those stories:

KERA News

[How the FLiRT variant is affecting COVID-19 activity in Dallas County](#)



KERA's Sam Baker recently sat down to talk with **Jeff SoRelle, M.D.**, an Assistant Professor of Pathology at UT Southwestern, about the latest variants contributing to an uptick in COVID-19 in our community. Dr. SoRelle discussed the circulating FLiRT variants and offered best practices to stay safe, including testing.

[Read the full story](#)

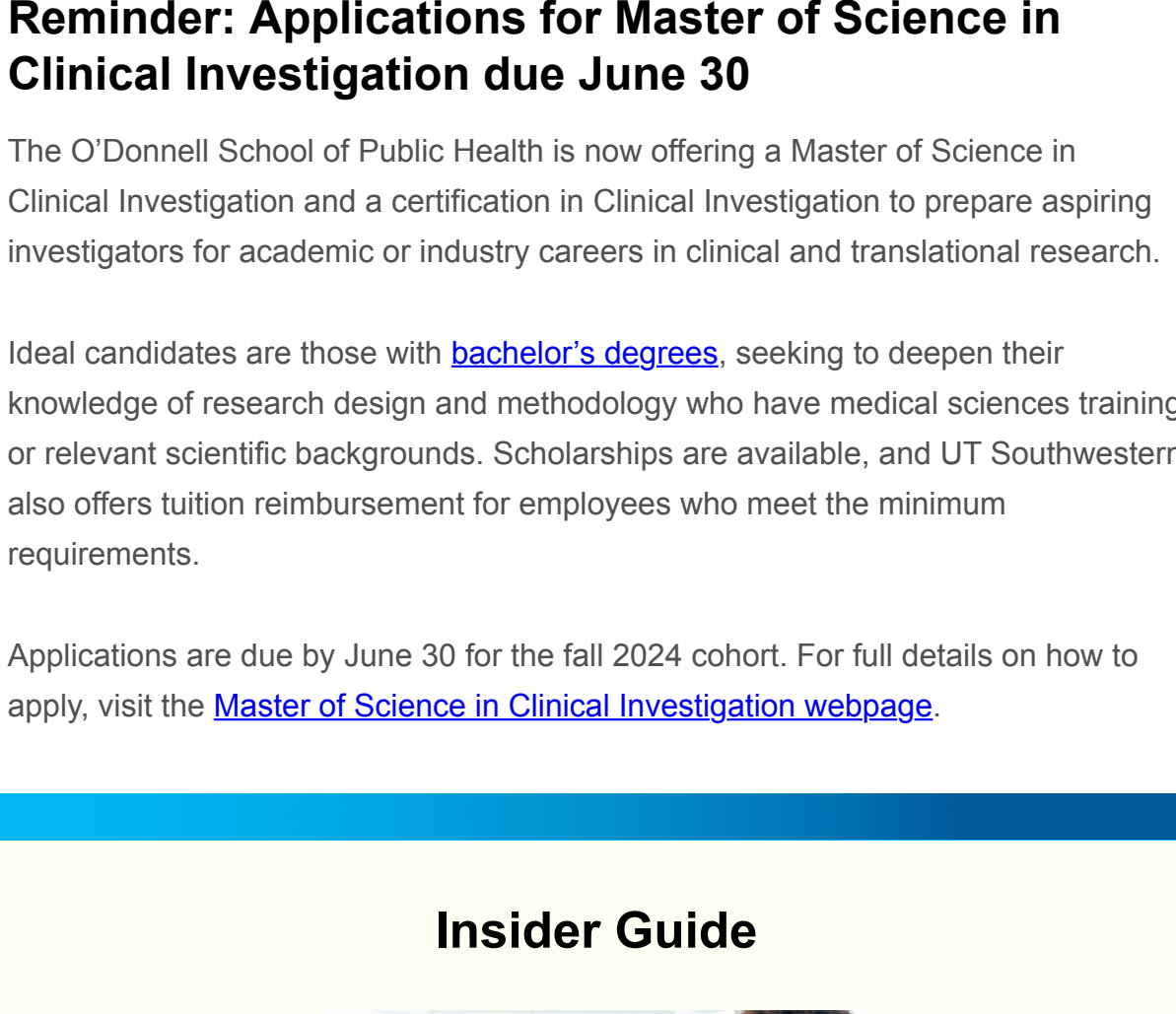
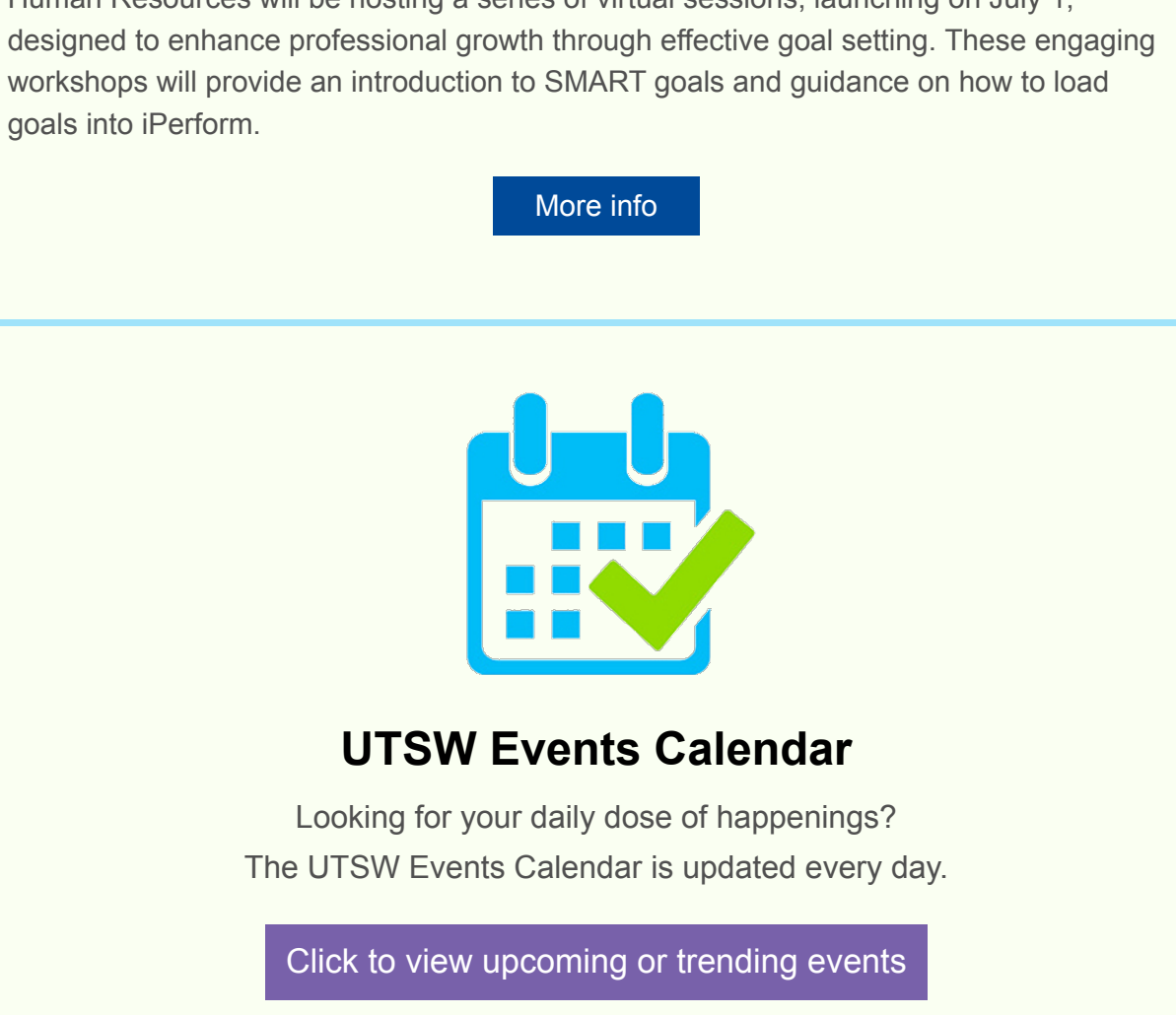


Photo gallery: UTSW celebrates Pride Month

Earlier this month, UT Southwestern faculty, staff, and learners participated in Pride Month celebrations in support of the LGBTQIA+ community. The festivities began with a celebratory Pride Brunch at McDermott Plaza on South Campus, followed by the annual Dallas Pride Parade that began at Fair Park, where UTSW won the best walking group award!

Visit [Center Times Plus](#) to enjoy photos of the event hosted by the Office for Institutional Opportunity and the Office for Student Empowerment and Engagement.

[Pride Month gallery](#)



Reminder: Applications for Master of Science in Clinical Investigation due June 30

The O'Donnell School of Public Health is now offering a Master of Science in Clinical Investigation and a certification in Clinical Investigation to prepare aspiring investigators for academic or industry careers in clinical and translational research.

Ideal candidates are those with [bachelor's degrees](#), seeking to deepen their knowledge of research design and methodology who have medical sciences training or relevant scientific backgrounds. Scholarships are available, and UT Southwestern also offers tuition reimbursement for employees who meet the minimum requirements.

Applications are due by June 30 for the fall 2024 cohort. For full details on how to apply, visit the [Master of Science in Clinical Investigation webpage](#).

Insider Guide



In-person Your Time Away information session

2-3 p.m., June 27 | T. Boone Pickens Biomedical Building (ND), NG 3.112

Please join Human Resources to hear about UTSW's new comprehensive leave program: Your Time Away. During this in-person session, employees will learn more about the program and have the opportunity to ask questions. If this session doesn't work for your calendar, check the Your Time Away [events listing](#) for additional information sessions.

[Register to attend](#)



Let HR teach you SMART goals

10-11 a.m., July 1 | Virtual

Human Resources will be hosting a series of virtual sessions, launching on July 1, designed to enhance professional growth through effective goal setting. These engaging workshops will provide an introductory to SMART goals and guidance on how to load goals into iPerform.

[More info](#)



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