



Updated COVID-19 vaccines now available

Yesterday you received a message from Campus Updates with key details about when, where, and how to book a COVID-19 vaccination appointment. Here are some highlights:

- We are offering COVID-19 vaccines at [our retail pharmacies](#) on a walk-in basis.
- **Weekdays beginning Thursday, Sept. 28 through Oct. 6**, employee COVID-19 vaccinations will also be available by appointment in the second-floor Education Center in Clements University Hospital (CUH). Flu shots will continue to be offered at this location through Oct. 5.
- **Oct. 9 through Oct. 13**, employee COVID-19 vaccinations will move to the Professional Office Building (POB) Conference Center (HA1.100). Flu shots also will be offered there Oct. 9 through Oct. 31.

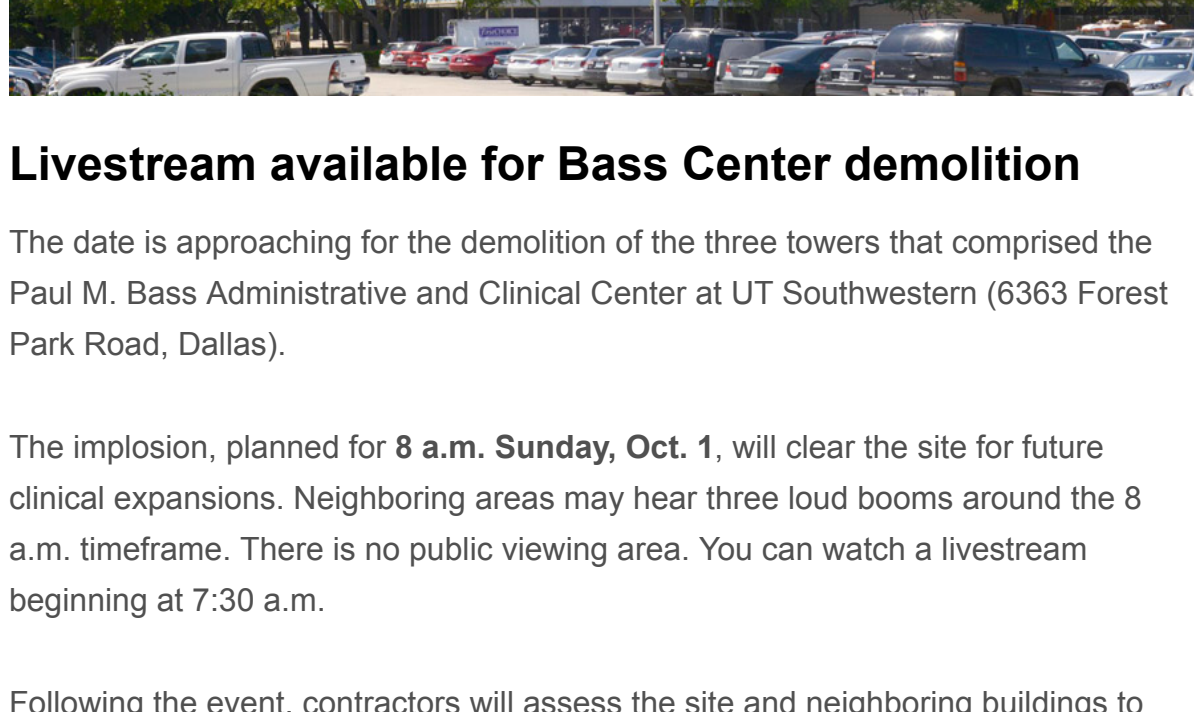
To book your COVID-19 appointment at the CUH Education Center, you will need to fill out the form linked below. As a reminder, employee flu shots should be scheduled through the ReadySet platform. Flu shot details can be found on [Campus Updates](#).

Please be prepared to provide key details on the form, including:

- How many previous doses of COVID-19 vaccine you have received
- The date of your most recent COVID-19 vaccine dose
- Preference of vaccine (e.g., Pfizer or Moderna)
- Your insurance information

More information about vaccine guidelines is available in the full message, which is posted on Campus Updates. If you have questions, please email covidvaccinator1@groups.utsouthwestern.edu.

[COVID-19 vaccination info](#)



Livestream available for Bass Center demolition

The date is approaching for the demolition of the three towers that comprised the Paul M. Bass Administrative and Clinical Center at UT Southwestern (6363 Forest Park Road, Dallas).

The implosion, planned for **8 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 1**, will clear the site for future clinical expansions. Neighboring areas may hear three loud booms around the 8 a.m. timeframe. There is no public viewing area. You can watch a livestream beginning at 7:30 a.m.

Following the event, contractors will assess the site and neighboring buildings to ensure there are no additional hazards. The UTSW community will then receive an all-clear email notification via Campus Updates.

Traffic impact: An exclusion area will be established and will border the following areas:

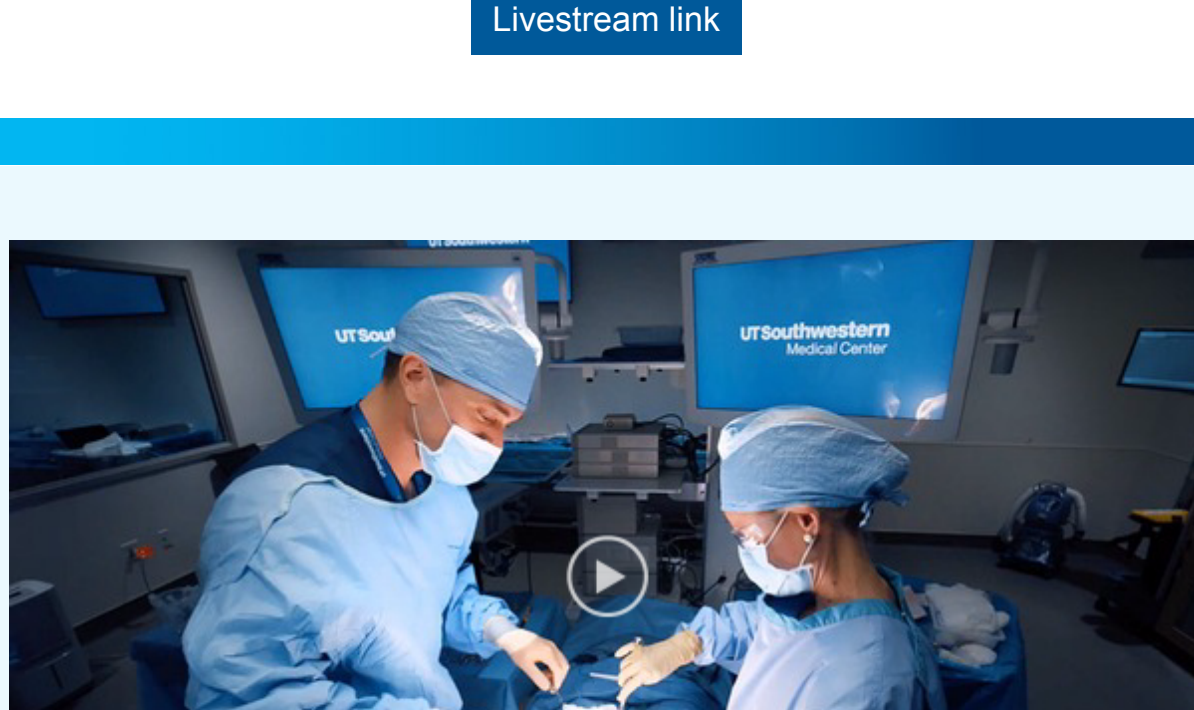
- 6300 block of Harry Hines Boulevard to the south
- 2200-2300 block of Mockingbird Lane to the west (encompassing Treadway Drive)
- 6300 block of Forest Park Road to the north
- Paul M. Bass Way (formerly North Exchange Parkway) to the east

Mockingbird Lane and Inwood Road will remain open.

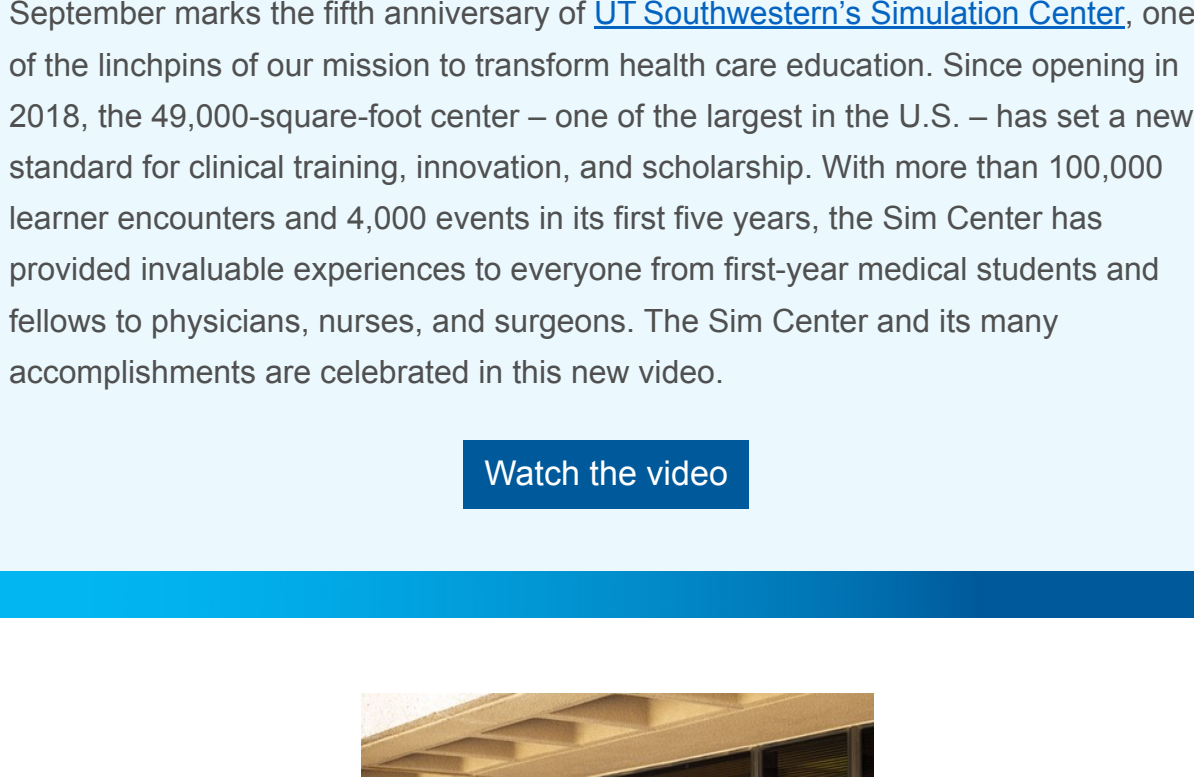
Access to William P. Clements Jr. University Hospital (CUH) will be temporarily impacted with a rolling stop on Harry Hines just before the implosion until the all-clear is provided; the delay should last approximately 5-10 minutes. CUH will be restricted to clinical operations only. Emergency vehicles will be allowed through, but regular traffic will be stopped.

Additionally, for safety reasons, the Cancer Care Outpatient Building (NM), Peter O'Donnell Jr. Biomedical Research Building (NS), C. Kern Wildenthal Research Building (NL), and the North Campus Garage 2 will be closed. ND 14 in the T. Boone Pickens Biomedical Building also will be closed.

Law enforcement will be on site to divert ambulances and other drivers as needed.



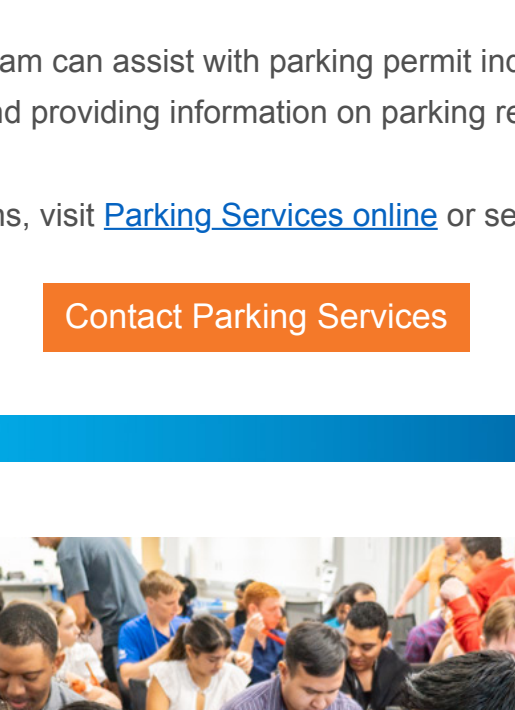
[Livestream link](#)



Video: Celebrating the Sim Center's 5-year milestone

September marks the fifth anniversary of [UT Southwestern's Simulation Center](#), one of the linchpins of our mission to transform health care education. Since opening in 2018, the 49,000-square-foot center – one of the largest in the U.S. – has set a new standard for clinical training, innovation, and scholarship. With more than 100,000 learner encounters and 4,000 events in its first five years, the Sim Center has provided invaluable experiences to everyone from first-year medical students and fellows to physicians, nurses, and surgeons. The Sim Center and its many accomplishments are celebrated in this new video.

[Watch the video](#)



Parking Services office hours change

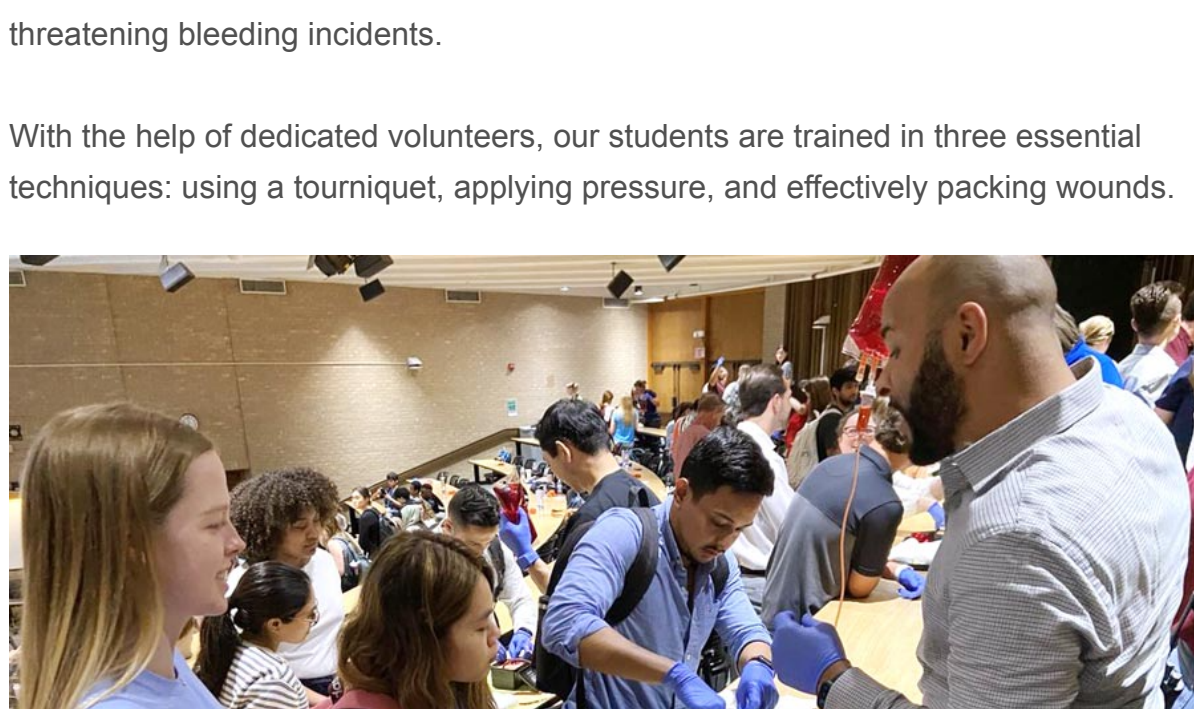
As Parking Services continues to hone its operations and add efficiency to better serve the UT Southwestern community, the hours of operations for the Parking Services office in the Visitor Information Center (building A on South Campus off Dr. Donald Seldin Plaza) will change.

Starting Oct. 2, the new hours will be **8 a.m.–4 p.m., Monday through Friday** (closed Saturday and Sunday). There will be no change to Parking Services' hours (7 a.m.–4 p.m. weekdays) at CUH.

The Parking Services team can assist with parking permit inquiries, issuing permits, answering questions, and providing information on parking regulations.

If you have any questions, visit [Parking Services online](#) or send an email.

[Contact Parking Services](#)



Students gain skills to 'Stop the Bleed'

Did you know that all our incoming medical and health professions students learn how to stop a bleed in their very first week at UTSW?

Bleeding injuries can occur unexpectedly in the workplace or everyday life. The Medical School and School of Health Professions prepare our students to become immediate responders in bleeding emergencies, through the Stop the Bleed program.

Established by the American College of Surgeons, [Stop the Bleed](#) was a response to the tragic Sandy Hook Elementary School shooting in 2012. Its primary goal is to provide crucial training to the community on how to effectively address life-threatening bleeding incidents.

With the help of dedicated volunteers, our students are trained in three essential techniques: using a tourniquet, applying pressure, and effectively packing wounds.

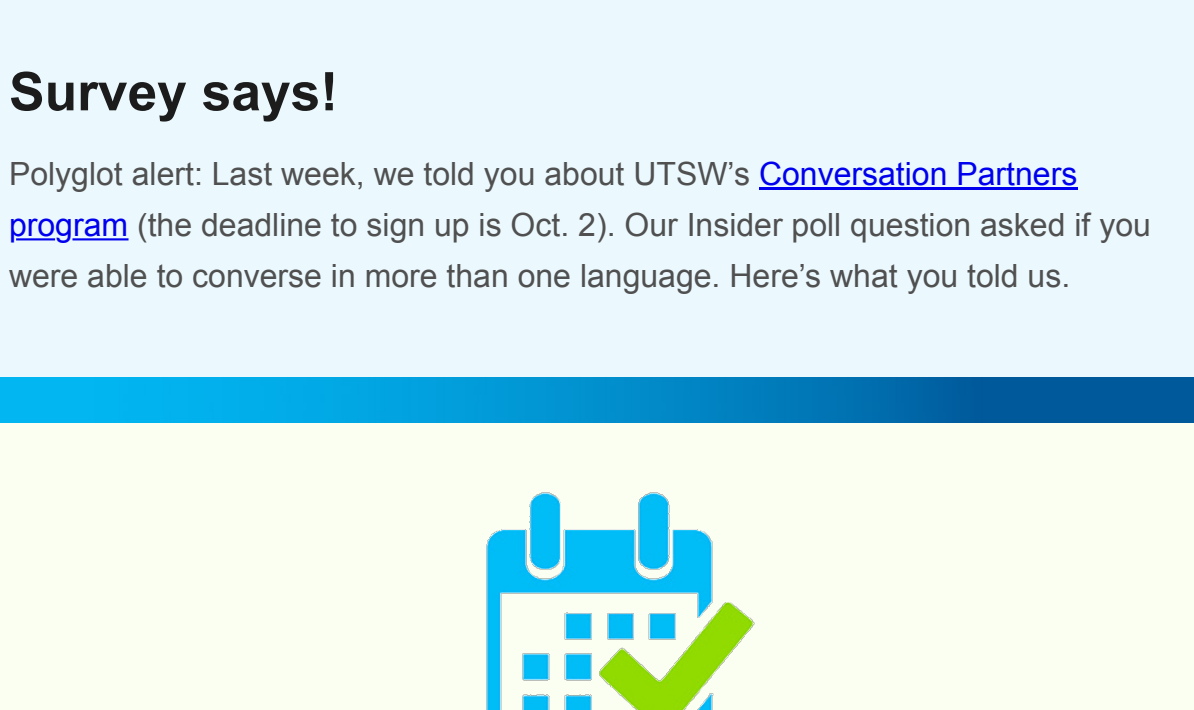
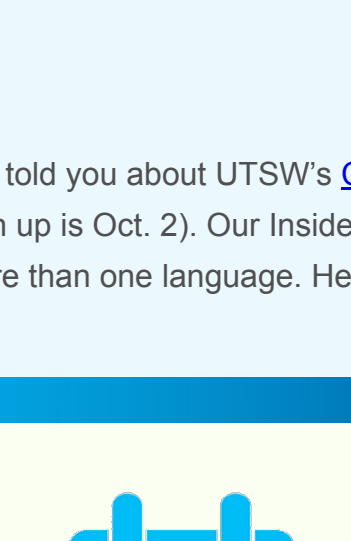


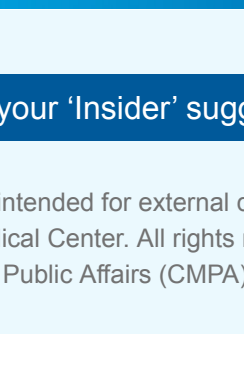
Photo 1: First-year medical students learn the windlass tourniquet technique, which can only be used on arms and legs.

Photo 2: Orientation for students in the School of Health Professions includes Stop the Bleed training.



Survey says!

Polyglot alert: Last week, we told you about UTSW's [Conversation Partners program](#) (the deadline to sign up is Oct. 2). Our Insider poll question asked if you were able to converse in more than one language. Here's what you told us.



UTSW Events Calendar

Looking for your daily dose of happenings? Check out the UTSW Events Calendar, which is updated every day.

[Click to view upcoming or trending events](#)

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