

# DECEMBER NEWSLETTER

Texas A&M College of Medicine Student Diversity and Inclusion Committee

## Upcoming Events

### **December 7, 5 PM: Women in Surgery Panel co-hosted by Women in Medicine and the A.C. Scott Surgical Society.**

Please join us as Dr. Kimiye Cabrera, Dr. Lisa Chen, and Dr. Amy Waer speak on their experiences and careers as female surgeons. This event will have a dedicated Q&A segment after the keynote.

### **December 11, 12 PM: 2nd Annual Diversity in Research Lunch with Dr. Kristie Orr hosted by the Office of Diversity and Inclusion.**

Please join us as Dr. Kristie Orr, Director of TAMU Disabilities Resources, speaks about the barriers individuals with disabilities in STEM face and how we can create a more inclusive research environment.

[RSVP here for food pickup.](#)

Zoom Meeting ID: 979 0806 2225

## November Review

- November 10th-30th: Stomp out the Stigma Mental Health Awareness 5K co-hosted by SNMA and WiM
- Friday, November 13th: Speaker Event with Dr. Sohrabji co-hosted by APAMSA and WiM
- Monday, November 16th: Diwali Celebration co-hosted by APAMSA and the M1 Social Chairs
- Thursday, November 19th: Health and Wellness Grand Rounds featuring Dr. Natalie Crawford co-hosted by WiM and TAMU COM Health and Wellness
- Monday, November 23, 12 PM: D&I November Roundtable with Dr. Brooke Linsenhardt for Native American Heritage Month

## DECEMBER RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS

- 6: St. Nicholas Day (Christianity)
- 8: Bodhi Day (Buddhism)
- 11: Hanukkah Begins (Judaism)
- 15: Dhanu Sankranti (Hinduism)
- 18: Hanukkah Ends (Judaism)
- 24: Christmas Eve (Christianity)
- 25: Christmas (Christianity)
- 25: Gita Jayanti (Hinduism)
- 28: Holy Innocents (Christianity)
- 31: Watch Night (Christianity)

## D&I IN STEM FIELDS

- [Evidence-Based Strategies for Improving Diversity and Inclusion in Undergraduate Research Labs](#)
- [Assessment of Perceptions of Professionalism Among Faculty, Trainees, Staff, and Students in a Large University-Based Health System](#)
- [Resident Physician Experiences With and Responses to Biased Patients](#)

# Health Disparities and Current Events

Research Letter

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## Unemployment Insurance, Health-Related Social Needs, Health Care Access, and Mental Health During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Seth A. Berkowitz, MD, MPH<sup>1</sup>; Sanjay Basu, MD, PhD<sup>2</sup>

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HEALTH EQUITY

## AMA: Racism is a threat to public health

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Kevin B. O'Reilly  
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COVID-19 Video Update

## Dr. Bailey recaps FDA webinar on vaccine development and EUA

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The Arts and Medicine

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## Graphic Medicine—The Best of 2020

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COVID-19 Resource Center

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## RESOURCES FOR GETTING INVOLVED IN CURRENT EVENTS

[COVID-19 Health Equity Resources compiled by the American Medical Association](#)

[Resources for Engaging in Antiracism Work](#)

[COVID-19 in Racial and Ethnic Minority Groups: What You Can Do from the CDC](#)

[Native American Heritage Month Resources](#)

[Domestic Violence Prevention and Awareness Month Resources from TAMU Health Promotion](#)

[National Disability Employment Awareness Month TAMU LibGuide](#)

## SUGGESTIONS?

Have suggestions for D&I at A&M? Please click [here](#) to leave an anonymous comment!