

UT Southwestern Town Hall

State of the Campus Address

Hosted by

**President
Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.**

Submit your questions for the President

UT Southwestern President **Daniel K. Podolsky, M.D.**, will host a live, one-hour State of the Campus Address and Town Hall at noon Monday, March 31. Following his address, there will be a live question-and-answer session featuring UTSW Executive Vice Presidents.

We're aware that several topics are currently top of mind, including how UTSW will be impacted by potential changes to indirect research funding from the National Institutes of Health and new uses of artificial intelligence (AI) at our institution.

The Town Hall will be accessible via livestream, and a link will be provided prior to the event. A recording will be available shortly afterward. Use the button below to send an email with your questions or suggestions.

Registration is required.

[Ask the President](#)

Mandatory compliance training now open

The annual compliance training period opened on Monday and runs through April 16. All employees – including faculty members, staff, and student employees – must complete compliance training and should have received an email on March 3 from Taleo Learn with the training link.

New hires from Jan. 1, 2025, onward are exempt this year.

Additional information is available on the [Office of Institutional Compliance & Audit Services website](#) (VPN or on-campus connection required).

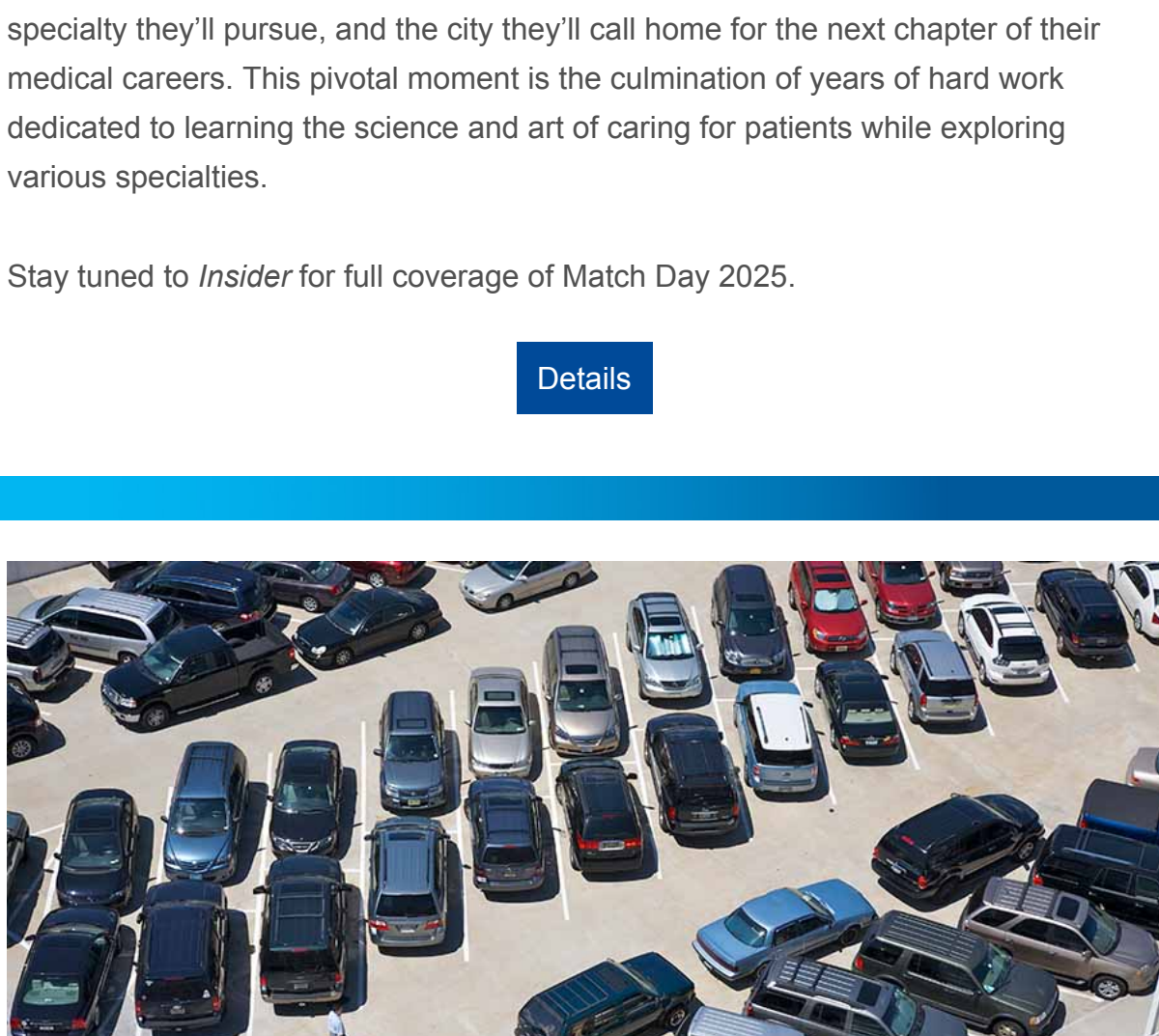
The training is composed of three modules and will take approximately 90 minutes to complete.

- Part 1 of 3 – FY 2025 Ethics, Compliance, and Our Organization's Expectations of the Workforce
- Part 2 of 3 – FY 2025 Privacy and Information Security
- Part 3 of 3 – FY 2025 Equal Opportunity

Fulfilling our annual training helps UT Southwestern promote a culture of excellence, safeguard the institution's reputation, and create a safer workplace.

Employees must complete all three modules to be 100% compliant. Those who do not finish the training before the April 16 deadline will have email access restricted and face disciplinary action up to termination.

Questions? Email the [Office of Institutional Compliance & Audit Services](#), call 214-648-6108, or visit the [Annual Compliance Training SharePoint site](#).



3, 2, 1 ... Match Day!

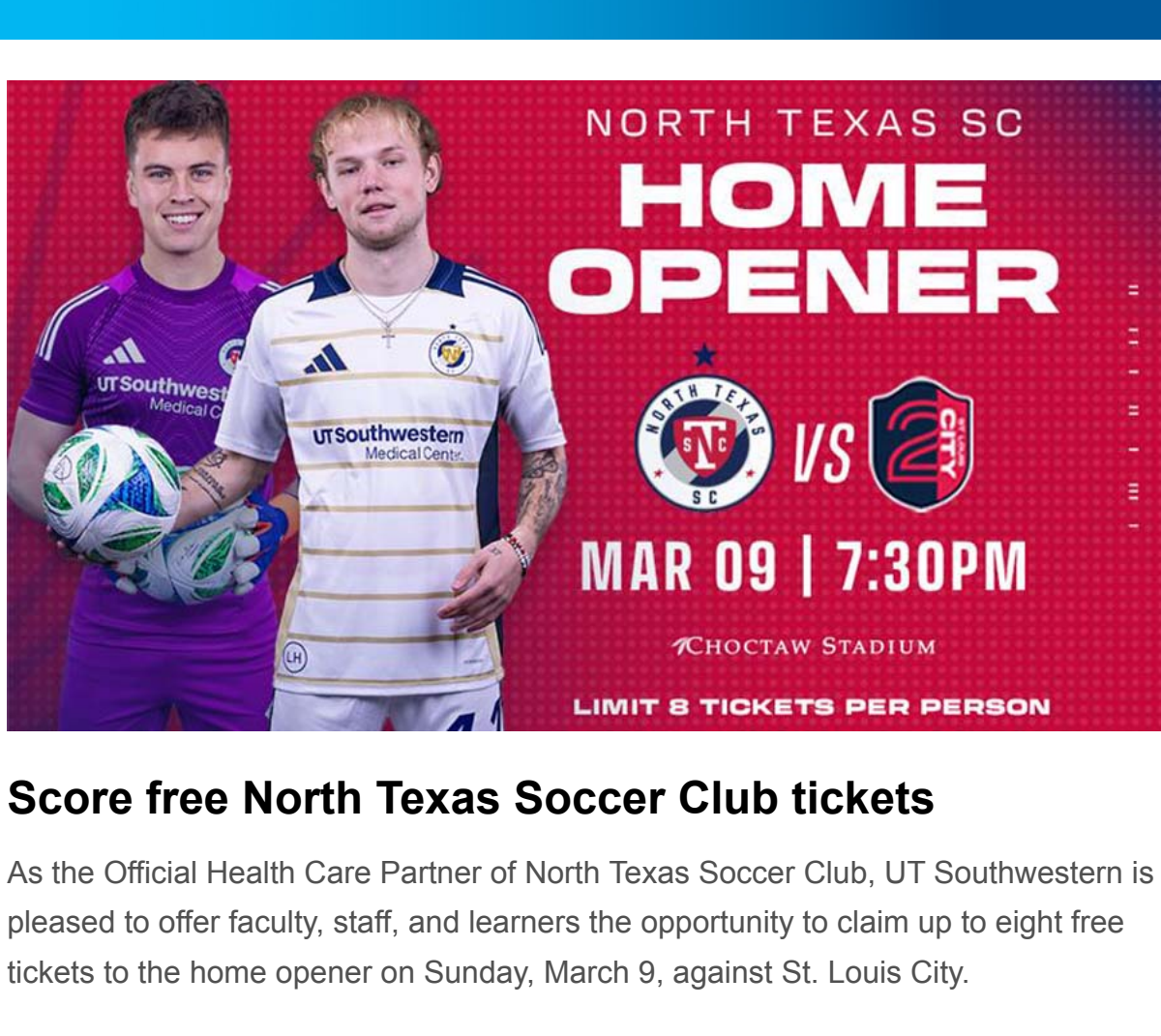
March is here, and for our fourth-year medical students, that means Match Day is just around the corner!

Mark your calendars: the UTSW [Match Day 2025](#) event takes place on Friday, March 21, at 11 a.m. in the gym of the Bryan Williams, M.D. Student Center.

In this defining moment, graduating medical students around the nation will tear open envelopes revealing their future, including details of where they will train, the specialty they'll pursue, and the city they'll call home for the next chapter of their medical careers. This pivotal moment is the culmination of years of hard work dedicated to learning the science and art of caring for patients while exploring various specialties.

Stay tuned to *Insider* for full coverage of Match Day 2025.

[Details](#)



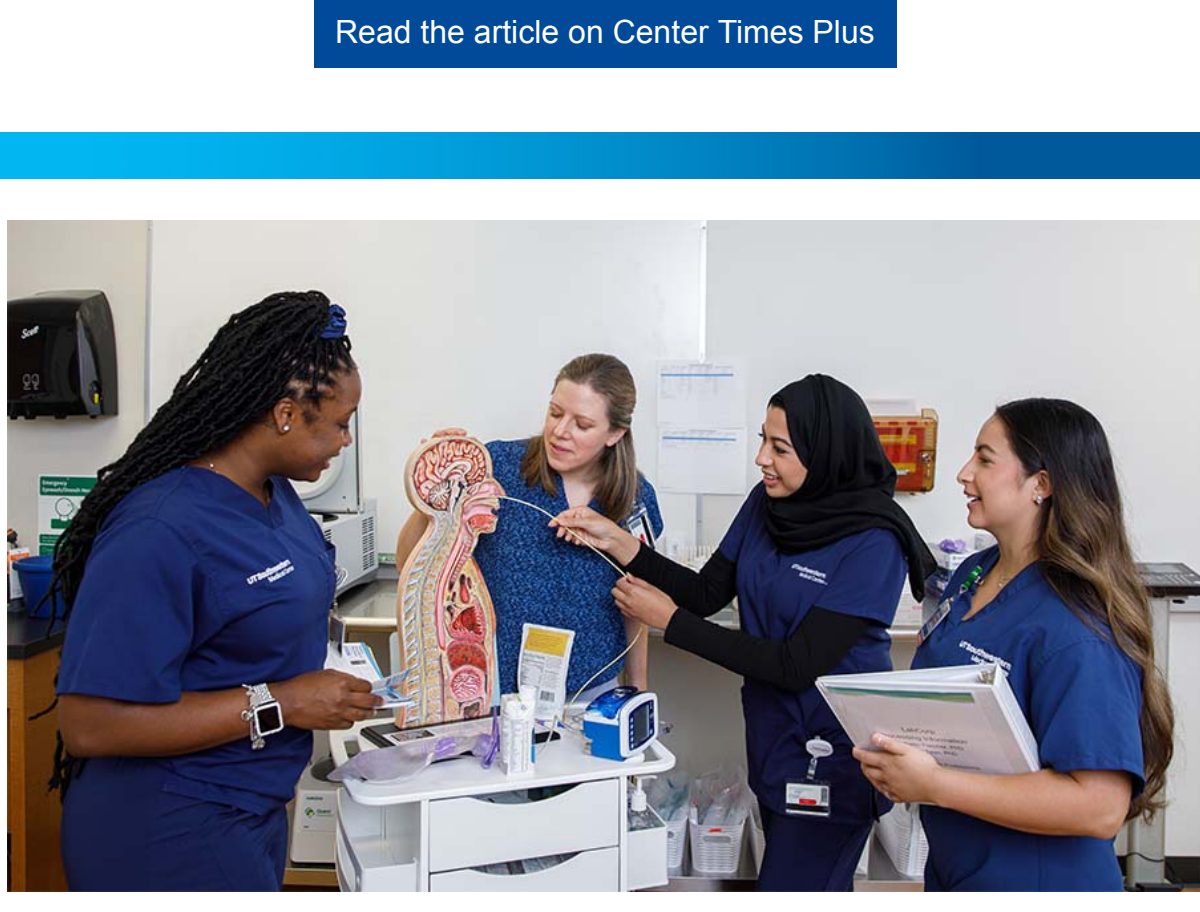
Vehicle security tips

The UT Southwestern University Police Department recently provided some helpful reminders for keeping you and your vehicle safe on campus.

Burglaries and thefts are often crimes of opportunity and typically increase as the weather becomes warmer, according to University Police, so this is a good time to review the following guidance.

- Always lock your doors, even if you are only stepping away for a moment. Vehicle crimes can occur in seconds.
- If you must leave items in your car or truck, move them out of sight. This includes backpacks, purses, loose change, or any other things that could tempt someone to break in.
- Park in well-lit areas with heavy foot traffic. This can deter perpetrators from acting, as they have a higher chance of being seen by the public.
- Place a GPS device in your vehicle. The device can aid in recovery efforts should the vehicle be stolen.
- Report crimes as soon as possible. Delays in reporting can hinder recovery efforts.
- Be aware of your surroundings and contact University Police regarding any suspicious activity (dial 911 on campus phones or 214-648-8911 on your cell phones).

For more information or if you have specific concerns, contact Officer J. Wu, UTSW Crime Prevention Officer, at 214-648-8311 or jia.wu@utsouthwestern.edu.



Score free North Texas Soccer Club tickets

As the Official Health Care Partner of North Texas Soccer Club, UT Southwestern is pleased to offer faculty, staff, and learners the opportunity to claim up to eight free tickets to the home opener on Sunday, March 9, against St. Louis City.

Click the button below to claim your free tickets. For more information on discounted tickets from our other sports partners, visit [UTSW's employee discount page](#).

For questions, contact brandengagement@utsouthwestern.edu.

[Free NTXSC tickets](#)



Four new departments established within O'Donnell School of Public Health

The O'Donnell School of Public Health (OSPH) continues to grow and shape the future of public health in Texas.

Launched in 2022, the school was recently organized into four mission-driven departments to promote greater collaboration and communication within UT Southwestern and help expand the OSPH footprint to better serve Dallas and beyond.

The new departments – Epidemiology; Health Data Science & Biostatistics; Social & Behavioral Sciences; and Health Economics, Systems, & Policy – foster partnerships responsive to the structure and nature of modern public health issues and challenges.

The school's outstanding education program is preparing the next generation of public health leaders and change-makers who will enhance the health and well-being of people and communities everywhere.

[Read the article on Center Times Plus](#)

Get fortified with a Master of Science in Nutritional Health

Looking to advance or begin a career in nutrition? The School of Health Professions' Master of Science in Nutritional Health could be the perfect fit for you!

This is a fully online program offering a flexible, self-paced curriculum. Earn your degree in as few as **12 months** with just **30 credit hours**.

This M.S. in Nutritional Health is designed for undergraduate students, medical students, registered dietitians, and health care professionals seeking an advanced degree to deepen their nutrition expertise. Courses will help develop students' research skills, foster independent thinking, and provide up-to-date knowledge to apply evidence-based nutrition practices.

Applications are open through April 1 and no application fees or GRE scores are required.

[Apply today](#)

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Asian-Pacific Islander Alliance BRG Festival of Colors Celebration

11 a.m., March 5 | William P. Clements Jr. University Hospital (CUH), Dining Hall

Come enjoy a special curated menu today featuring delicious flavors at Festival of Colors Celebration Luncheon. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased in advance at café registers or at the dining room entrance. Food will be served until it is sold out.

This event is hosted by the Asian-Pacific Islander Alliance BRG in partnership with Nutrition Services.

[Details](#)

UTSW Events Calendar

Looking for your daily dose of happenings?
The UTSW Events Calendar is updated every day.

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