Inside TulaneMed recently relaunched, and is your go-to source of the week’s SoM news you can use. Publishing every Monday at 9am, it will list important events, webinars, news and information in a short, easy-to-skim format, so that we can save you from listserv overload. Submit events, news or story considerations to insidetulanemed@tulane.edu by 5pm each Thursday for inclusion in the following Monday’s edition.

**News**

1. COVID-19 Digest breaks down latest research on the delta variant

2. Nassir Marrouche, MD, named director of Tulane University Heart and Vascular Institute

3. Jacey Jones, MD, speaks to McMain students & parents about COVID-19 vaccines

4. Remembering Dr. Winstead, longtime chair of Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

5. Study by Tulane researcher suggests marijuana can cause infertility in men

6. Tulane researchers design nanotechnology blood test to find hidden COVID-19 infections

7. WWL features Cecilia Gambala, MD, as doctors push for pregnant women to get vaccinated

8. The Tulane Living Well Clinic provides resources for a healthy lifestyle
**Events of the Week**

Dean's open office hours, Hutchinson lobby, **Thursday, August 19th, at 1pm**

Add your events to the main university calendar [here](#) and email the link to insidetulanemed@tulane.edu.

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**Lagniappe**

**Share:** Diversity in Action Magazine highlights the Graduate Program in Biomedical Sciences with this [short video](#).

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**Dr. Jones talks to parents and students about vaccines**

After a long shift caring for hospitalized COVID-19 patients, Jacey Jones, MD, joined other health experts at Eleanor McMain Secondary School to answer questions and talk about the importance of getting vaccinated.

Everyone 12+ is eligible to get the COVID-19 vaccine, but [data](#) shows less than half the population in southeast Louisiana is vaccinated and the numbers are lower around the state. [New restrictions](#) are in effect in New Orleans beginning today.

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**Remembering Dr. Winstead**

Daniel Winstead, MD passed away the morning of August 10th. Dr. Winstead served as Chair of the Department of Psychiatry for 28 years from the mid 1980’s until 2013. He is survived by his two children, Teddy and Laura, both Tulane Medical School graduates, and three grandchildren Sebastian, Ainsley, and Connor.
"Hundreds of medical students, residents, faculty, and colleagues were influenced by Dan's tremendous caring and leadership skills," says Lee Hamm, MD, Senior Vice President and Dean of Tulane School of Medicine. "Dan was a stabilizing force at the executive leadership level of the medical school and was a mentor to all he encountered. We will all miss him dearly."