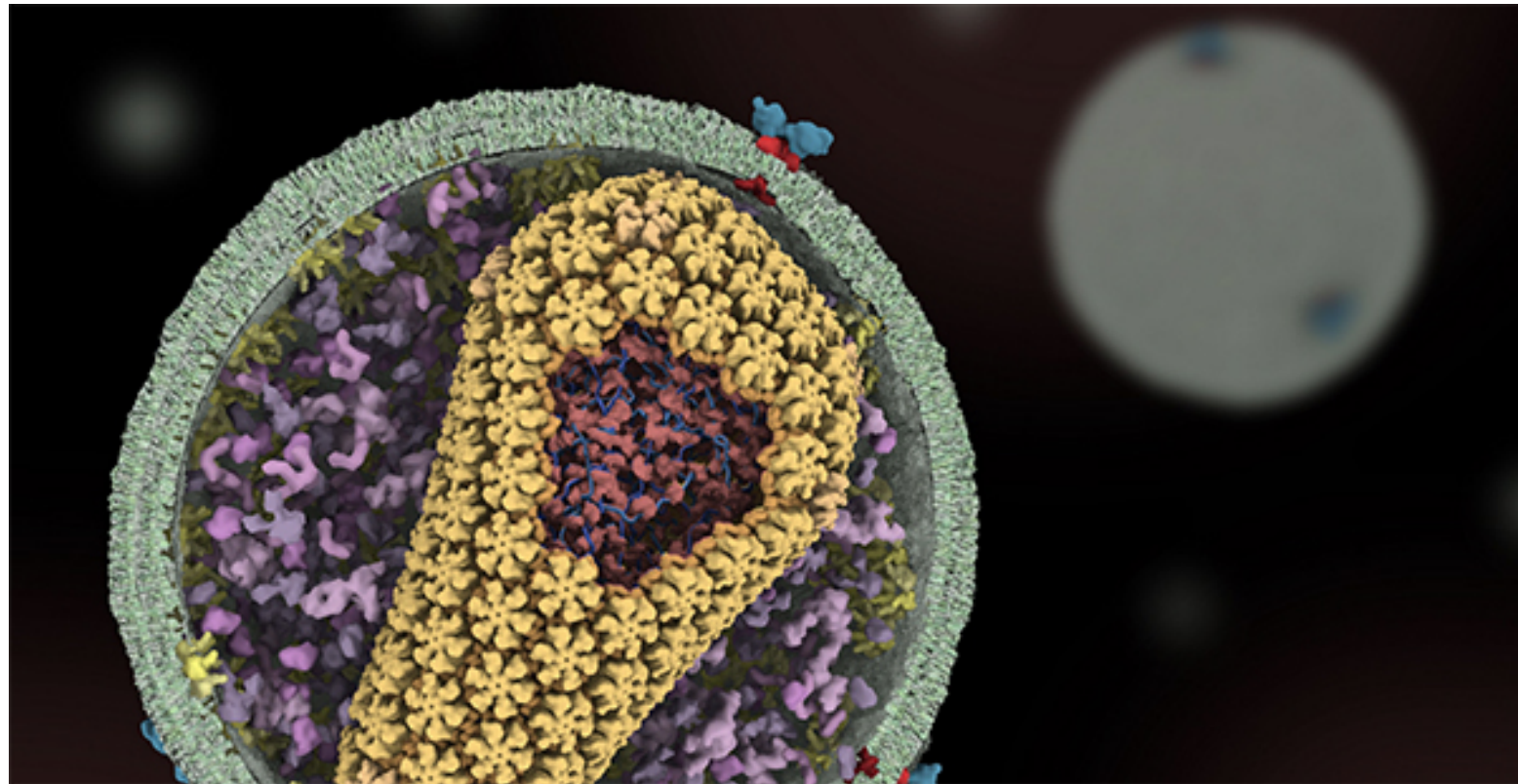


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35 YEARS OF HIV/AIDS RESEARCH AND CARE IN UTAH

In commemoration of the 30th anniversary of the Ryan White CARE Act, which provides much-needed funding for medical services for people with AIDS, we celebrate more than three decades of policies, research and care in Utah that has helped turn HIV/AIDS from a death sentence to a chronic disease.

Faculty from the Departments of History and Biochemistry, and the Division of Infectious Disease, have assembled a [timeline](#) of prominent contributions. The milestones range from increased access to medical care, to development of new drugs, to progress in understanding the fundamental biology of the virus and the host immune response. (Image: HIV, Credit: Janet Iwasa)

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D'SOUZA TO LEAD THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DENTAL AND CRANIOFACIAL RESEARCH



Rena N. D'Souza, DDS, MS, PhD, has been selected by Francis Collins, MD, PhD, director of the National Institutes of Health, to lead the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research as its ninth director.

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GENETIC MUTATION RATE COULD PREDICT LIFESPAN, FERTILITY



Differences in the rate that genetic mutations accumulate in healthy young adults could help predict remaining lifespan in both sexes and the remaining years of fertility in women, according to U of U Health scientists.

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NOTEWORTHY

- [HSC Guidelines & Procedures to Request Undergraduate Employees in Onsite Research Activities](#)
- [COVID-19 Research Operations Update from the VPR](#)
- [Pathologist June Round Awarded \\$1M From the W.M. Keck Foundation to Expand Research on the Microbiota](#)
- [Be Sure to Take the U of U Health COVID Needs Assessment Survey](#)



HAPPENINGS

- [Return to Campus Webinar](#) (Aug 20)
- [3i Covid Flash Talks: Health Disparities & Vulnerable Population](#) (Aug 21)
- [Schedule of Clinical COVID-19 Update Live Streams](#)



OPPORTUNITIES

- [COVID-19 Research Funding Opportunities](#)
- [Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation: Neuroimaging and CSF Biomarker Development Program](#)
- [Burroughs Wellcome Fund: Next Gen Pregnancy Initiative](#)
- [Michael J. Fox Foundation: Development and Validation of Improved Outcome Measures in Parkinson's](#)
- [Sony: Focused Research Award](#)



RESOURCES

- [Sign Up for the COVID-19 Research Newsletter](#)
- [COVID-19 Central @TheU](#)
- [COVID-19 Research Resources](#) (Pulse)
- [SVP for HS Research](#)
- [Vice President for Research](#)
- [U of U Health Research](#)
- [Center for Clinical and Translational Science](#)
- [Internal Funding Opportunities](#)
- [Corporate & Foundation Funding Opportunities](#)



SPOTLIGHT PUBLICATIONS

- [A Mixed Methods Approach to Assess the Impact of an Interprofessional Education Medical Error Simulation](#) (AJPE)
- [Enabling health information exchange at a US Poison Control Center](#) (JAMIA)
- [Dopamine Replacement Improves Motor Learning of an Upper Extremity Task in People with Parkinson Disease](#) (BBR)
- [Molecular Diagnostics and In Utero Therapeutics for Orofacial Clefts](#) (JDR)
- [Clinical Evaluation of the BioFire Respiratory Panel 2.1 and Detection of SARS-CoV-2](#) (JCV)



HEADLINES

- [Should Youth Come First in Coronavirus Care?](#) (New York Times)
- [Getting to Zero Cases of AIDS in Utah](#) (Salt Lake Tribune)
- [A New Coronavirus Study Explores 'Big Bias' in How Information Reached Utah's Hard-hit Hispanics](#) (Salt Lake Tribune)
- [We Must Boost the Ranks of Hispanic Nurses](#) (Salt Lake Tribune)
- [HERO Study Digs Deeper into COVID-19 Spread in Utah](#) (KSL-TV)



LASTING IMPACTS OF SUMMER CAMP

Summer may be coming to a close but kids and counselors are still reaping the benefits of camp, even after adjustments for COVID-19. Jim Sibthorp, PhD, from the College of Health, is carrying out longitudinal studies to investigate long-term impacts.

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VETERANS GIVE HIGH RATINGS FOR VA AND COMMUNITY CARE



A study led by U of U Health and Veterans Administration (VA) researchers found that Veterans had high ratings overall for their experiences in both VA care and VA-purchased community care. This first study of its kind follows a recent expansion of options for Veterans to seek care outside the VA.

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COVID-19 TRANSMISSION WITHIN HOUSEHOLDS



It's not necessarily a foregone conclusion that members of a shared household will share the virus that causes COVID-19. Once one person has it, there is a 12% likelihood that someone they are living with will become infected, according to the Utah HERO phase one study.

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