

# Good News

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Stories for the health of our community.



## Rochester named site of research center to study the biology of aging

The University of Rochester will join the prestigious ranks of Nathan Shock Centers of Excellence in the Basic Biology of Aging, elevating its work to uncover biological mechanisms of aging and finding answers to leading longer, healthier lives. (Estimated reading time: 2 minutes)

Discover the research »



## Learners on location

Through every high and low, our Orthopaedics residents show up for each other. Check out the latest episode of *Learners on Location*, a new video series from the School of Medicine and Dentistry, featuring resident Ayodeji Jubril, MD, and his mentor, Susan McDowell, MD. (Estimated watch time: 5 minutes)

Watch the episode »



## Introducing the 2025 Miracle Kids

This remarkable group of young patients have inspired everyone around them with their strength, resilience, and spirit. From battling life-threatening conditions to overcoming the odds with the help of expert care and unwavering support, these kids represent the very heart of our mission. (Estimated reading time: 3 minutes)

Meet our Miracle Kids »



## EIOH expands public health initiatives

Eastman Institute for Oral Health was awarded a \$2.1 million federal grant to develop a community-based training model that expands community dental care and trains the dental workforce to care for people with medically complex conditions and intellectual and developmental disabilities. (Estimated reading time: 3 minutes)

Explore the plans »



MELIORA WEEKEND  
SEPTEMBER 18–21, 2025

## Meliora Weekend celebrity talent announced

September 18–21

Experience what you love about Rochester during Meliora Weekend. Headliners include bestselling author and historian Erik Larson, *New York Times* bestselling author and neuroscientist Lisa Genova, and comedian Trevor Noah.

Several prestigious alumni are returning to the River Campus for a timely symposium and thought-provoking panel discussion on the future of higher education and academic medicine. Add it to your itinerary to learn more about how universities and teaching hospitals are driving research and innovation, advancing public health, training future health care providers, and fostering social progress.

Registration now open »

## Social media highlight



Kevin Hill and Bob Stevenson have a lot in common. They're both cancer survivors who know many people who've been impacted by cancer, and they both love to ride their bikes. 🚴🏻🚴🏻 When they learned about the Wilmot Warrior Weekend, they jumped at the chance to get involved.



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