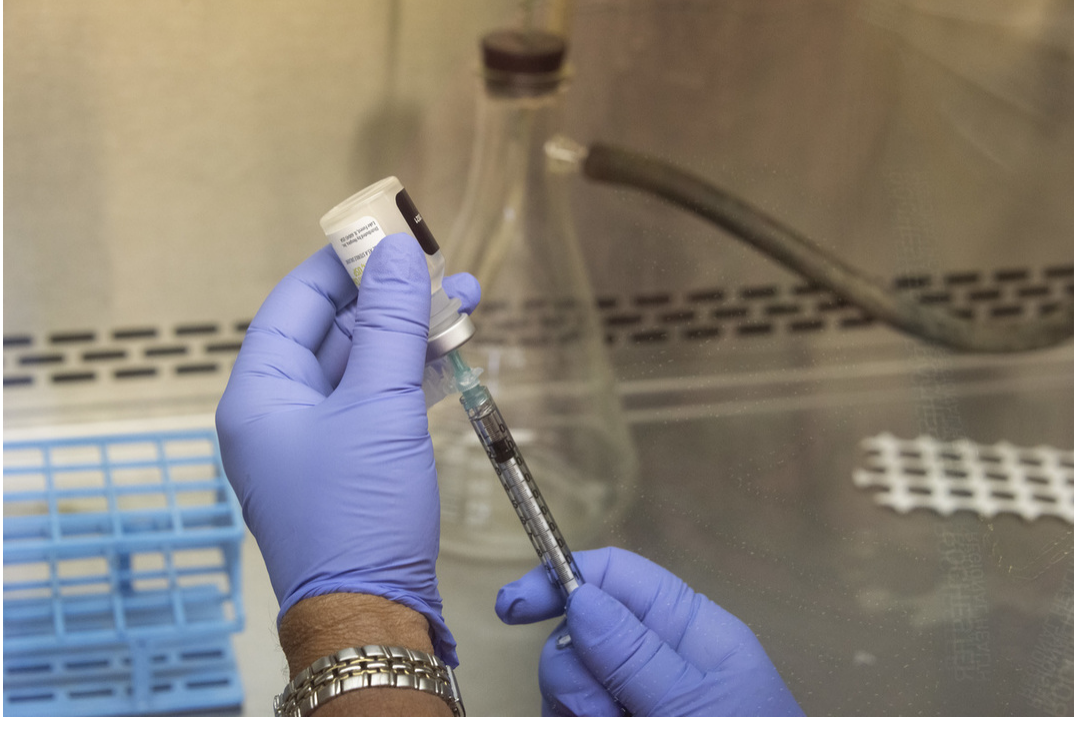


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News for friends of the Medical Center.



Is my immunity waning? Doctors advise Pfizer vaccine recipients not to worry

"The vaccines are all standing up pretty well—Pfizer, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson—for severe disease," said Dr. Ann Falsey, a specialist in viral respiratory diseases at the URM School of Medicine and Dentistry.

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How does COVID-19 affect children with intellectual and developmental disabilities?

"Understanding how to best test this population and how COVID spreads in group settings is imperative to keeping those with an IDD safe," said John Foxe, PhD, director of the Del Monte Institute for Neuroscience and co-principal investigator of the new research study.

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Helping kids with concussions recover faster

URMC joins a national study to test ways to predict which kids will develop persistent symptoms after a concussion, so researchers can study how to help them recover faster.

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Prepping student athletes for lifelong health and success

"Our greatest accomplishment is knowing that we are more than just an athletic program," says Calvin Cole, research assistant professor in orthopaedics and surgery and co-director of the CHAMPP Urban Outreach program.

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COVID-19 research: new knowledge, new approaches

Thursday, November 4
Noon–1 p.m. (ET)
Virtual event

URMC researchers and clinicians are studying how COVID-19 affects different populations, such as individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities or those who are pregnant, and how we can apply mRNA technology to treat other illnesses. During this session, you will hear the latest on mRNA flu and pediatric vaccine trials, how vaccines are preventing serious breakthrough cases, and future vaccine boosters.

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