



UPA Front Lines

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Thank You to the Many Front-Line Hearts That Answer the Call in the Face of Disaster.

The Need is Great. Here are Ways to Immediately Respond:

Unfortunately, beware of fraud. The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) established the National Center for Disaster Fraud (NCDF) to improve and further the detection, prevention, investigation, and prosecution of fraud related to disasters, and to advocate for the victims of such fraud. You can also review to go to [CharityNavigator.org](https://www.charitynavigator.org). It is the nation's largest evaluator of charities.

Reputable Organizations

Please consider only giving to trusted, reputable, voluntary, or charitable organizations, and funds. Identify what is needed before donating supplies (bottled water, non-perishables, personal care, and cleaning supplies). In the coming days, other ways to donate may surface throughout our organizations. For current circulation, foundations listed below are reputable organizations. Many ask for monetary donations in order to provide immediate help toward disaster relief.

- [American Red Cross](#)
- [Salvation Army](#)
- [Samaritan's Purse](#)
- [Second Harvest Food Bank](#)
- [United Way Greater Knoxville](#)

YMCA of East Tennessee Before October 2

All YMCA of East Tennessee locations are accepting donations of water, flashlights, batteries and portable phone chargers for flooding victims.

Donations can be dropped off at any Knoxville Y location by October 2nd. Supplies will be delivered to the Unicoi YMCA on October 3rd.

Loudon County Sheriff's Office Monday, September 30 Tuesday, October 1

The Loudon County Sheriff's Office will be accepting donation items in the front parking lot of the Loudon County Justice Center (12680 Highway 11 W Ste 1 Lenoir City, TN 37771) on Monday, September 30th from 12 pm to 7 pm and Tuesday, October 1st from 9 am to 7 pm.

Needed items include non-perishable food, hygiene, personal care, baby, pet, cleaning, and utility items. Non-potable water for flushing toilets and washing clothes are also desperately needed.



Welcoming New UPA Members

TOTAL UPA Membership: 1,421

Brady D. Anderson, DPM
Volunteer Podiatry, PC



James A. Burkhart, NP
University Pulmonary & CC



Elizabeth M. Duarte, MD
UT Family Physicians Alcoa



Aldo Fafaj, MD
University Surgeons Associates



Xhuliana Fafaj, PA
University Cancer Specialists



Salem N. Karadsheh, MD
UT Hospitalists



Jacklyn M. Locklear, MD
UT Internal Medicine & OBGYN



Molly A. Marks, NP
Regional Neonatal Associates



Jessica Z. Maselli, PA
University Neurocritical Care



Melanie S. McCown, DO
UT Hospitalists



Anabel Rodriguez, DO
UHS Gastroenterology



Aneta D. Sokolowska, DPM
Volunteer Podiatry, PC



Kayla F. Winters, MD
Valley View Family Physicians



Not Pictured

Erin E. Campbell, MS, CGC
University Surgical Oncology

Jeremy C. Caylor, OD
University Eye Specialists

Nicholas B. Cline, MD
Allergy, Asthma, Sinus Center

Rachael M. Foust, PA
Renuven Health Partners

Anthony L. Gordon, PA-C
UT Urgent Care Centers, LLC

Amitabh Gupta, MD
Pat Summitt Clinic

Crystal D. Helton, NP
Allergy, Asthma & Sinus Center

Nishant Sharma, MD
University Pulmonary & Critical Caer

Drew D. Standifer, DPT
Tennessee Sports Medicine

Kevin E. Stasney, MD
LeConte Orthopedics, PLLC

Jennifer L. Yanoschak, MD
Pat Summitt Clinic

IT WAS A TAILGATE PARTY AT SEPTEMBER'S RIBBON WARRIORS EVENT!



UPA *Ribbon* WARRIORS

Champion Physician: Wesley M. White, MD

On September 25, Dr. Wesley White shared a casual session with UPA team members regarding urologic, prostate and kidney cancers with attention to screenings..



Wesley M. White, MD

University Urology
1928 Alcoa Highway
Medical Building B, Suite 222

Clinical Focus:
Urology Oncology (Prostate, Kidney Cancer), Robotic Surgery

Dr. White is Board Certified in the American Board of Urology.

- Urologist
- Professor and Chair, Department of Urology
- Service Line Director of Urology
- Co-Medical Director of Robotics

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"Developing long-term relationships with my patients and their families is the most rewarding part of my job."
-Dr. Wesley White

Click the button to view
Dr. White's sharing at the event



October 31

November 20

December 11

UPCOMING SCHEDULE FOR OUR CHAMPION PHYSICIANS



JILLIAN M. LLOYD, MD
UNIVERSITY SURGICAL
ONCOLOGY



SEAN A. JORDAN, MD
UNIVERSITY THORACIC
SURGEONS



BENJAMIN T. BEVILLE, MD
UNIVERSITY PULMONARY
& CRITICAL CARE



KELLY G. MCCAUL, MD
UNIVERSITY CANCER
SPECIALISTS