

Milestones								
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	12/31/2019	China reports a cluster of patients with pneumonia-like symptoms to the World Health Organization (WHO)	Global					
	1/11/2020	China reports its first known death from an illness caused by the coronavirus. The patient is a 61-year-old man in Wuhan, China	Global					
	1/21/2020	The US announces its first case of COVID-19 - a man in his 30's in Snohomish County.	National					
	1/27/2020	UW Medicine lab scientists begin studying the latest genomic information about the emerging coronavirus and its possible implications for UW Medicine's Virology lab.	UW Medicine					
	1/30/2020	The World Health Organization declares a global health emergency.	Global					
	1/31/2020	The first case diagnosed in the U.S., a man diagnosed in Washington state after traveling to Wuhan, China, has been released from the hospital.	State					
	2/11/2020	WHO announced an official name for the disease causing the current outbreak of coronavirus disease: COVID-19. 64,000 confirmed cases	Global					
	2/21/2020	China's National Health Commission reports 24,635 patients have been cured and discharged from hospitals as of Feb. 21, 2020.	Global					
	2/21/2020	A research team at the University of Washington School of Medicine and Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center publishes discoveries around the structure and function of the SARS-CoV-2 spike protein.	UW Medicine					
	2/23/2020	CDC updated their Travel Health Notices to include Italy, Iran and Japan. All three of these countries are now at Alert Level 2	Federal					
	2/24/2020	No patients with confirmed COVID-19 have been admitted to UW Medicine hospitals	UW Medicine					
	2/24/2020	The University of Washington's MetaCenter hosted an event on campus on "Coronavirus and Pandemic Disease Preparedness: What We Know and the Way Forward." The event was recorded and is now available on YouTube	UW					
	2/24/2020	No additional cases of COVID-19 have been identified in Washington state since the initial patient. 426 individuals have been screened and 14 have tested positive through public health surveillance systems since Jan. 21, 2020. An additional 39 people have tested positive after being repatriated to the U.S. on State Department chartered flights. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) increased the Travel Health Notice for South Korea to Warning Level 3 (Avoid Nonessential Travel). Mainland China remains at Warning Level 3. 79,331 confirmed cases globally as of Feb. 24, 2020. In China, 77,262 confirmed cases and 2,595 deaths have been reported. South Korea has reported 833 confirmed cases with over 32,000 patients tested. Japan has reported 156 cases. Italy has reported 132 cases	State					
	2/24/2020	Preliminary testing uncovers community spread of COVID-19 in Washington.	Federal					
	2/24/2020	A Washington State patient who contracted COVID-19 at a local long-term care facility becomes the first recorded Corona virus death in the US.	Global					
	2/25/2020	UW Medicine virologists receive the green light from the federal government to develop a new COVID-19 test.	State					
	2/28/2020	UW Incident Command Systems launched	Global					
	2/29/2020	UW VMC COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched at 16:30.	UW Medicine					
	2/29/2020	UW VMC COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched today.	VMC					
	2/29/2020	SCCA COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched today.	SCCA					
	3/2/2020	Airlift NW HICS launched	Airlift NW					
	3/2/2020	Harborview had a suspected COVID-19+ patient pass away (resident at Life Care Center in Kirkland)	HMC					
	3/2/2020	UW Medicine SharePoint site launched (internal & public facing)	UW Medicine					
	3/2/2020	UWM Emergency Operations Center (EOC) recurring meeting schedule implemented.	UW Medicine					

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	3/2/2020	Staff who were exposed or potentially exposed to COVID-19 that are asymptomatic can continue to work as long as they monitor their symptoms. Guidelines for when staff that were symptomatic may return to work are forthcoming.	Policy					
	3/2/2020	UW HMC COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched at 07:00.	HMC					
	3/2/2020	UW Airlift Northwest COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched at 09:00.	Airlift NW					
	3/2/2020	UWMC – Montlake COVID-19 Incident Command System (HICS) launched at 14:00.	UWMC ML					
	3/2/2020	1 patient under investigation and currently admitted at UWMC – Montlake.	UWMC ML					
	3/2/2020	UWMC – Northwest Incident Command System (HICS) launched at 15:00.	UWMC NW					
	3/2/2020	UWMC has some visitor restrictions in place to protect patients and staff. Visitors are asked to go home if they have any symptoms (cough, runny nose, fever, shortness of breath).	Policy					
	3/2/2020	Procedural areas: If a patient has a recent onset cough, dyspnea, or temperature greater than 100degrees Fahrenheit, if the case is emergent, there will be a consultation with the entity Medical Director, Infection Prevention and Care Team to conduct a risk benefit analysis prior to proceeding to the OR: If it is a non-emergent case, they will be deferred until symptoms resolve.	Policy					
	3/2/2020	An algorithm for screening and testing for inpatients, outpatients and staff will be developed this evening. The team is also developing a summary of logistical considerations for ordering tests and transport of specimens. The algorithm will be shared with our community partners via Epi info, NWHRN, PHSKC, and WSHA.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	CDC visits to assist with potential patients and staff exposure	Federal					
	3/3/2020	Decision to utilize all surplus N95s Northshore schools closed to teach staff and do a district-wide disinfection/deep clean	King County					
	3/3/2020	The decision was made to utilize all surplus N95 masks currently in our Supply Chain storage	Policy					
	3/3/2020	We are starting to follow the HMC TB policy for reusing N95 masks on TB patients at other UW Medicine sites	Policy					
	3/3/2020	Supply Chain will prioritize provisioning PPE and other supplies (like disinfectant wipes, gloves etc.) to the entities and units with greatest need	Policy					
	3/3/2020	HMC is leaving the decision to restrict visitors to each individual unit. They are considering implementing increased visitor restrictions.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	SCCA is asking any visitors that are sick to leave the clinic and either wait in their car or leave and come back. SCCA is also restricting children under the age of 12 and asking patients to only bring in one caregiver to limit the number of people in the clinic.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	Significant burn rate of N95 masks at UWMC Montlake with potential to deplete our inventory for all sites	UWMC ML					
	3/3/2020	For intra-hospital transports of patients known or suspected to have COVID-19, we will use the same policy for airborne precautions.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	For PPE staff coaches, they do not need to be present in the care environment, but must watch the doffing of PPE.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	The decision was made to temporarily suspend the Medical Observers program and any external Nursing or Medical Student rotations at our hospitals.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	The decision was made to not include internal Nursing and Medical students in the care of COVID-19 Patients.	Policy					
	3/3/2020	ALNW has temporarily suspended their ride along program	Policy					
	3/4/2020	Public Health: Seattle and King County announce new 7 confirmed cases (total now 21, w/8 deaths)	King County					
	3/4/2020	King County issues public health emergency and directs employees should look into suspending large group meetings and encourage teleworking and teleconferencing	King County					

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	3/4/2020	Decision to temporarily suspend the UWMC Medical Observers program and any external Nursing or Medical Student rotations at our hospitals. HMC looking to adopt the same and coordinating the logistics.	Policy					
	3/4/2020	Decision that ECMO team will not take COVID-19 diagnosed patients. We will also not transfer patients between campuses to do ECMO.	Policy					
	3/4/2020	Decision was made to move to droplet and contact precautions for all patients in the ED, inpatient and outpatient and reserve airborne precautions for critical care patients and aerosolized procedures.	Policy					
	3/4/2020	Decision was made to decline transfer requests from outside hospitals that suspect COVID-19 and want to preserve their PPE as the only reason for transfer.	Policy					
	3/4/2020	Life Care Center requested support from the NW Healthcare Resources Network to transfer their patients to our hospitals or to supply them with staffing to maintain their operations intact.	UW Medicine					
	3/4/2020	UW Med Virology Lab is back online. Resulting guidance has gone out to providers.	UW Medicine					
	3/4/2020	UWMC Montlake has 14 PUIs and 1 patient who tested positive for COVID-19 currently being cared for with the appropriate precautions.	UWMC ML					
	3/4/2020	UWMC Northwest had 3 PUIs that tested negative and were discharged. In addition, they have 1 patient that tested positive in critical care. The patient is slowly improving. There are a few low risk employee exposures.	UWMC NW					
	3/4/2020	Town halls were held today at the UWMC Montlake and Northwest campuses.	UWMC					
	3/4/2020	Public Health – Seattle & King County announced 7 additional confirmed cases of COVID-19 in King County residents, bringing the total of confirmed cases to 21, including 8 deaths.	King County					
	3/5/2020	Incident Command requests release of supplies from national stockpile to address PPE shortage	UW Medicine					
	3/6/2020	UW Medicine turns a hospital parking garage into a drive-up testing clinic for employees.	UW Medicine					
	3/6/2020	Opened COVID-19 Testing Clinic for UW Medicine employees/ public testing clinic underway	UW Medicine					
	3/6/2020	UW Human Resources released guidance today on “Teleworking and time off during COVID-19”. In accordance with Public Health – Seattle & King County guidance, UW supervisors are encouraged to provide telework options to employees	UW Medicine					
	3/6/2020	In partnership with NWHRN, UW Medicine supports Life Care Center in Kirland (triage, test, transfer patients)	UW Medicine					
	3/8/2020	Confirmed Cases in US tops 500. Washington State leads with 140 cases.	Global					
	3/9/2020	UW is the first major university cancel its in-person classes on all campuses	UW					
	3/9/2020	All UW Medicine clinics begin offering screenings to patients who have symptoms of COVID-19.	UW Medicine					
	3/10/2020	UW Medicine's Institute for Health Metrics and evaluation (IHME) begins modeling surge predictions.	UW Medicine					
	3/10/2020	Visitation at UW Medicine hospitals is suspended to limit the spread of COVID-19.	UW Medicine					
	3/11/2020	Suspension of medical student rotations	UW Medicine					
	3/11/2020	Escalating labor concerns from SEIU, they have sent out communications to nurses regarding PPE advice, contradicting UW Medicine PPE recommendations, leading to staff confusion and concerns along with short staffing challenges.	UW Medicine					
	3/11/2020	WHO declares the coronavirus outbreak a pandemic.	Global					
	3/11/2020	Governor Inslee orders ban on public gatherings and temporarily closes schools	State					
	3/11/2020	Media conversation focused on UW Medicine continues to concentrate largely on the drive-through testing capability.	UW Medicine					
	3/12/2020	UW Medicine press conference https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aY4Kg8sH3DM	UW Medicine					
	3/12/2020	UWMC Northwest Geropsychiatric unit has detected 2 COVID-19 positive patients. The staff are assessing all patient on the unit today.	UWMC NW					

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	3/12/2020	PPE conservation strategy finalized (aligned with WHO recommendations)	Policy					
	3/12/2020	Finance discontinue all time tracking. Finance has consulted with FEMA field office and determined that meeting logs and Kronos data can be used retroactively. Staff time is a lesser opportunity than other expense tracking	UW Medicine					
	3/13/2020	Governor Inslee closes all schools across Washington.	State					
	3/13/2020	Neighborhood Clinics increasing use of telemedicine; scheduling via contact center	UW Neighborhood Clinics					
	3/13/2020	Social Media ask to fill Lab positions; large response; Hiring EVS positions	UW Medicine					
	3/13/2020	Recommendations to shave facial hair to maintain N95 masks	Policy					
	3/13/2020	UWMC No visit policy – working through concerns (escort non-compliant visitors, pets on-site)	Policy					
	3/13/2020	UWMC Deep cleaning for UW Campus begun	UWMC					
	3/13/2020	UWMC National Emergency announcement – begin tracking emergency financial expenses	UWMC					
	3/13/2020	UWMC Pharmacy creating hand sanitizer and distributing to HMC	UWMC					
	3/14/2020	Postponement of elective and non-urgent surgeries and procedures distributed via email	UW Medicine					
	3/14/2020	UWMC Start 24 hour/7 days Critical Care Coverage	UWMC					
	3/14/2020	UWMC Telehealth phone number available to public	UWMC					
	3/15/2020	Number of confirmed cases in US surpasses 3000 with NY, CA & WA recording the most confirmed cases.	Federal					
	3/15/2020	UW Virology Lab becomes Washington State Public Health laboratory for COVID-19 tests	UW Medicine					
	3/15/2020	Soft go-live for patient screening drive-thru clinic	UW Medicine					
	3/15/2020	COVID patient transfers to NW have paused.	UWMC NW					
	3/15/2020	UWMC Began tracking KRONOS expenses related to COVID19 staffing	UWMC					
	3/15/2020	All protocols/documents were “Updated on 3/15”	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>1- COVID 19 – Testing Criteria</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	Updated: 1a - Sample Collection for COVID19 Testing Nasopharyngeal	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>2 - PPE - Recommendations Schematic</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>2a - PPE - Summary and Rationale for Recommendations</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>2b - PPE - Donning Doffing Special Contact Droplet</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>3- Ambulatory Settings – Workflow</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Respirator Limited Re-Use Guidance Policy</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>PPE Conservation policy – UWM 3/12</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>PPE & Patient Care Supply Mitigation Plan</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Conservation – Respiratory Care Supplies</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Emergency Procedures for Patient with known or suspected COVID 19 Policy Statement</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Clinic Approach to Preventing Transmission of COVID 19</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Palliative Care Support for services treating hospitalized COVID19 patients</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Visitor Restriction Policy – Patient Letter</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>Visitor Restriction Policy – 3/9/2020</u>	Policy					
	3/15/2020	<u>COVID19 EVS Room Cleaning Protocol</u>	Policy					
	3/16/2020	<u>U.S. researchers gave the first shot to the first person in a test of an experimental coronavirus vaccine - Kaiser Permanente Washington Research Institute, Seattle</u>	Federal					
	3/16/2020	The UW Medicine Care & Share website launched (child care, carpooling, pet care, etc.)	UW Medicine					
	3/16/2020	<u>1- COVID 19 – Testing Criteria – Updated 3/16</u>	Policy					
	3/16/2020	UWM opened a drive-through COVID-19 testing clinic for early-responders and skilled nursing facility workers on the front line of the COVID-19 pandemic. Testing will be done by appointment only and only for those patients whose providers have ordered the test. The clinic will be housed at UW Medical Center – Northwest Outpatient Medical Center campus; and partnered with UW Police Department for 24/7 security.	UW Medicine					
	3/16/2020	Free Parking at E01 and E18 for UWMC – Montlake Campus	UWMC ML					
	3/17/2020	West Virginia, the last state in the U.S. without a confirmed coronavirus case, recorded its first.	Federal					

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	3/17/2020	COVID 19 Workflow for Ambulatory Setting – updated 3/17	Policy					
	3/17/2020	Neonatal Care Protocols – 7 new Documents, updated 3/17, 12:00	Policy					
	3/17/2020	<u>UW Medicine COVID-19 Testing Clinic for UW Medicine Patients and First Responders announcement sent out</u>	UW Medicine					
	3/17/2020	UW Medicine Neighborhood Clinics begin delivering care primarily through telehealth.	UW Neighborhood Clinics					
	3/18/2020	PPE Resuse Policy announcement sent out	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>UW Medicine personal protective equipment (PPE) re-use policy letter sent out</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Transporting patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 email sent out</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Student Rotations Policy, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Telehealth Code List – updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Medicare Telehealth FAQ – updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Ambulatory Care Appointing Guidelines Alternative Care Delivery Memo – updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Patient Care Protocols & Algorithms, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Delivery Logistics and Infant Care COVID19 in NICU, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>COVID-19 ED Respiratory Combined Plan Controlled and Emergent Intubation, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>COVID-19 Intubation Cardiac Arrest Pre-Entry Checklist, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/18/2020	<u>Pharmacologic Adjuncts for Critical Illness in Suspected COVID-19, updated 3/18</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	Governor Inslee orders all elective surgeries to be postponed through May 18, 2020.	State					
	3/19/2020	Self-attestation Policy announcement sent out	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>UW ID Treatment Guidelines for SARS-Cov-2, updated 3/19</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>ECMO Referral, updated 3/19</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>ECMO Policy, updated 3/19</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>Guidelines for Limited Reuse of n95 and PAPR Hoods, effective 3/19, uploaded 3/20</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>FAQ for Employees with Symptoms of Acute Respiratory Infection, updated 3/19</u>	Policy					
	3/19/2020	<u>Work Policy for Staff Who Both Are Asymptomatic and Have Had No Known Unprotected Exposure, updated 3/19</u>	Policy					
	3/20/2020	<u>UWMC NICU Visitor Restrictions during COVID, uploaded 3/20</u>	Policy					
	3/20/2020	University of Washington restricted international travel for all faculty, staff and students until further notice	UW					
	3/20/2020	<u>What Employees Should Know Memo distributed via email</u>	UWMC					
	3/20/2020	Governor Inslee issues "Stay@Home" proclamation	State					
	3/21/2020	Harborview Hall, staffed by Harborview Medical Center employees, is designated as a recovery site for homeless people diagnosed with COVID-19.	HMC					
	3/21/2020	Extubated patient at UWMC Northwest discharged	UWMC NW					
	3/21/2020	Total Washington State COVID-19 cases (WDOH): 1,524 cases / 83 deaths. One patient that was extubated is being discharged from UWMC Northwest today.	State					
	3/22/2020	<u>Social Media Guidance, sent out 3/22</u>	UWMC					
	3/22/2020	<u>PPE Recommendations Schematic, updated 3/22</u>	Policy					
	3/22/2020	<u>Transfer Center Protocol for Patients transferring into UW Medicine ED, updated 3/22</u>	Policy					
	3/22/2020	<u>Biomedical Literature – COVID studies, papers, journal, etc.</u>	Policy					
	3/23/2020	The Seattle Coronavirus Assessment is launched to track how COVID-19 spreads.	King County					
	3/23/2020	<u>UW Medicine ILI & Covid-19 screening guidelines for pregnant pts incoming phones calls, update 3/23</u>	Policy					
	3/23/2020	Entity surge plans finalized	UW Medicine					
	3/23/2020	COVID 19 Screening Questions – English, and other languages, updated 3/24	Policy					
	3/23/2020	<u>Donning and Doffing PPE in Ambulatory Clinics, updated 3/23</u>	Policy					
	3/23/2020	<u>PPE Recommendations Schematic, updated 3/23</u>	Policy					
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	3/23/2020	Implement daily employee self-attestation of no respiratory symptoms effective Monday	UW Medicine					
	3/23/2020	Donation site open Monday	UW Medicine					
	3/23/2020	SCCA Shuttle – Health Sciences Express will be limited to 10 passengers maximum and will be departing from UWMC and HMC at :00 and :30 each hour. Additionally, the SCCA shuttle will be maintaining its UWMC to SCCA clinic service every 40 minutes but will not be providing shuttle service to Children's Hospital.	UWMC					
	3/23/2020	PSNs increasing re: transporting patients, PPE.	UWMC					
	3/23/2020	Biomedical Literature Library established: Section 1: Epidemiology (8 articles), Section 2: Virology (6 articles), Section 3: Clinical (11 articles), Section 4: Diagnosis (9 articles), Section 5: Treatment (9 articles), Section 6: Prevention (3 articles)	UW Medicine					
	3/24/2020	HMC space reconfigured for RC3 (Regional COVID-19 Coordination Center)	HMC					
	3/25/2020	Governor Inslee "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" proclamation announced for an initial two weeks.	State					
	3/26/2020	Total Washington State COVID-19 Cases (WDOH): 2,469 cases / 123 deaths	State					
	3/26/2020	Deaths in the U.S. passed 1,000, as confirmed cases nationwide rose to more than 68,100.	Federal					
	3/26/2020	UW Medicine triggers a surge plan to separate patients with respiratory illness symptoms from other patients upon arrival at hospital emergency departments	UW Medicine					
	3/27/2020	Global coronavirus cases topped 500,000; worldwide death toll exceeds 24,000.	Global					
	3/27/2020	Coronavirus cases in U.S. surpasses 100,000, highest in the world. More than 1,500 deaths were reported nationwide.	Federal					
	3/27/2020	Innovations Team formed	UW Medicine					
	3/28/2020	U.S. death toll surpasses 2,000; number of cases nationwide rises to more than 102,000.	Federal					
	3/28/2020	Contact Center Bot go-live	UW Medicine					
	3/28/2020	NW tent site set up	UWMC NW					
	3/29/2020	Specialty clinics Telehealth go-live	UW Medicine					
	3/31/2020	UV light reprocessing trial run	UW Medicine					
	4/1/2020	ED Triage go-live	UW Medicine					
	4/1/2020	Masking extended use announced	Policy					
	4/1/2020	UW Medicine Virology Lab processed 76,659 samples; Washington 171,460 (44.7% of the state's testing). The Virology Lab's core team of 30 and some additional 40 volunteers were running 7,000 tests a day, with a turnaround time of six hours.	UW Medicine					
	4/1/2020	12,114 confirmed cases and 643 deaths in Washington, 785,800 confirmed cases and 41,600 deaths in the United States.	State					
	4/1/2020	There were 109 (peak) patients in UW Medicine Hospitals on April 12th.	UW Medicine					
	4/2/2020	Coronavirus deaths in U.S. tops 5,000; confirmed cases nationwide rises to 232,837.						
	4/2/2020	The CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention) recommends the use of face masks in public.	Federal					
	4/3/2020	COVID-19+ patient transportation vehicles identified	UW Medicine					
	4/3/2020	Governor Inslee extends "Stay@Home" order to 5/4/20	State					
	4/4/2020	UW Medicine Town Hall	UW Medicine					
	4/4/2020	Total Washington State COVID-19 Cases (WDOH): 6,966 cases / 284 deaths	State					
	4/5/2020	Washington state hits its first peak of COVID-19 cases.	State					
	4/5/2020	Century Link stands-up hospital	King County					
	4/5/2020	PPE training policy revision: observations are necessary for donning and doffing. Observers are only needed for suspected or confirmed COVID-19. Do not require return demonstration as a way to preserve PPE.	Policy					
	4/6/2020	The coronavirus death toll in the U.S. surged past 10,000.	Federal					
	4/6/2020	Governor Inslee closes schools for the remainder of the school year.	State					
	4/6/2020	Walk-thru of ED tent	UW Medicine					
	4/7/2020	The U.S. reported 1,200 new deaths in one day, bringing the country's total coronavirus deaths to 10,906.	Federal					

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	4/7/2020	The UW Medicine Emergency Response Fund reaches the \$20 million goal to support supply chain, testing and research.	UW Medicine					
	4/10/2020	Global coronavirus death toll crossed 100,000, IHME released new predictions: If physical distancing measures continued to be relaxed, as they were already doing in some states, more than 135,00 people in the United States would die from COVID-19 by early August.	Global					
	4/10/2020	PM briefing calls canceled	UW Medicine					
	4/11/2020	United States surpassed Italy in the number of coronavirus deaths, becoming the worst-hit country in the world.	Global/Federal					
	4/11/2020	Coronavirus deaths in the United States passed the 20,000 mark, with over a half million confirmed cases nationwide.	Federal					
	4/12/2020	EOC Sundays begins on-call pm	UW Medicine					
	4/13/2020	Universal testing implemented; UW Medicine implements a policy of screening all hospital patients for COVID-19 at the time of admission.	Policy					
	4/13/2020	Training staff for surge completed by NW	UWMC NW					
	4/14/2020	Expanded testing in homeless shelters						
	4/14/2020	The Institute for Protein Design participated in an emergency meeting of member labs from the Rosetta Commons, a consortium of over 90 laboratories who are using molecular modeling to accelerate COVID-19 research.						
	4/17/2020	The Virology Lab announced that, in addition to processing thousands of COVID-19 samples each day, they'd also now be doing the bloodwork for antibody tests.	UW Medicine					
	4/18/2020	More than 700,000 people in the United States have tested positive for coronavirus. The U.S. leads all countries in reported deaths with 36,734.	Federal					
	4/21/2020	Washington Gov. Jay Inslee said that the state won't be able to lift many of the stay-at-home restrictions implemented to fight the coronavirus by May 4, when the current directive is set to expire	State					
	4/22/2020	UW Medicine opens the first walk-up mobile testing site in South Seattle.	UW Medicine					
	4/23/2020	COVID-19 Idea website launched						
	4/24/2020	The number of coronavirus deaths in the U.S. topped 50,000.	Federal					
	4/24/2020	All campus universal masking pilot	Policy					
	4/27/2020	NE ED tent taken down	UWMC NW					
	4/28/2020	The total number of coronavirus cases in the U.S. reached 1 million, and the nationwide death toll rose to 57,071.	Federal					
	4/28/2020	UW Medicine announces COVID-19 antibody testing for all employees	UW Medicine					
	4/29/2020	The number of U.S. coronavirus deaths surpassed 60,000.	Federal					
	5/1/2020	Governor Inslee extends "Stay@Home" order to 6/4/20	State					
	5/1/2020	14,637 confirmed cases and 824 deaths in Washington, 1.1 million confirmed cases and 65,600 deaths in the United States.	State					
	5/1/2020	UW Medicine Virology Lab processed 92,438 samples; Washington 226,831 (40.8% of the state's testing).	UW Medicine					
	5/1/2020	Patients in UW Medicine Hospitals drop from 109 on 4/12 to 86 as of 5/1.	UW Medicine					
	5/4/2020	<u>U.S. regulators pulled back a decision that allowed scores of coronavirus antibody tests to hit the market without first providing proof that they worked.</u>	Federal					
	5/7/2020	UW Medicine, working with Amazon, launches a virtual assistant to help screen for COVID-19 symptoms and determine patient testing needs.	UW Medicine					
	5/8/2020	The National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease began a trial looking at the effects of remdesivir combined with a second drug, called baricitinib, on treating COVID-19. Dr. Deborah Birx appointed to manage the distribution of remdesivir to hospitals nationwide.	Federal					
	5/8/2020	Washington state allowed more businesses to resume, but data from modelers showed the infection rate began to creep back up in April, Gov. Jay Inslee said.	State					

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	5/10/2020	Confirmed coronavirus cases around the world surpassed 4 million, according to John Hopkins University data. The global death toll reached nearly 280,000.	Global					
	5/10/2020	Coronavirus fatalities in the U.S. surpassed 80,000. Among the states hardest hit by coronavirus deaths were New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Louisiana, Michigan, Connecticut and California.						
	5/10/2020	IHME released newly revised coronavirus mortality model from IHME predicts more than 147,000 people in the U.S. will die from COVID-19 by early August. (increased by 10,000)	UW Medicine					
	5/14/2020	An experimental coronavirus vaccine from Oxford University appeared to be effective at preventing COVID-19, according to findings from a small study in six monkeys	Global					
	5/14/2020	The CDC issued a health alert to physicians about what has emerged as a rare but potentially deadly condition linked to COVID-19 in children.	Global/Federal					
	5/17/2020	The number of coronavirus deaths in the United States surpassed 90,000. Confirmed cases in the country also rose to nearly 1.5 million.	Federal					
	5/18/2020	A COVID-19 vaccine candidate developed by Moderna showed it can prompt an immune response in the human body, and was also found to be safe and well-tolerated in a small group of patients.	Global/Federal					
	5/18/2020	UW School of Medicine researchers discover that a SARS antibody from 2003 inhabits related coronaviruses, including the cause of COVID-19.	UW Medicine					
	5/20/2020	The number of COVID-19 cases around the world passed 5 million	Global					
	5/22/2020	Two children in Washington State were diagnosed with a rare and potentially deadly COVID-19-linked condition known as Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children, or MIS-C.	State/Federal					
	5/22/2020	Early results from a multi-site clinical trial, including UW Medicine, show that remdesivir helps with COVID-19 recovery.	UW Medicine					
	5/25/2020	George Floyd killed in Minneapolis, MN	National					
	5/28/2020	Researchers from University of Washington and the UW School of Medicine join the United World Antiviral Research Network to spot and confront emerging pandemic viruses.	UW					
	5/31/2020	Global coronavirus cases surpassed 6 million, death toll worldwide neared 370,000.	Global					
	5/31/2020	Gov. Jay Inslee issues Safe Start proclamation for county approach to re-opening beginning June 1st	State					
	6/1/2020	Russia recorded more than 400,000 total coronavirus infections — with only Brazil and the U.S. recording more — as the epidemic grew in regions outside of Moscow.	Global					
	6/1/2020	Coronavirus restrictions were eased in many countries from Asia to Europe, even as U.S. protests against police brutality sparked fears of new outbreaks.	Global					
	6/1/2020	Eli Lilly and Company started the first COVID-19 antibody treatment trials in humans.	Global					
	6/2/2020	Updated visitor policy to include clearer language for caregiver	Policy					
	6/2/2020	EOC Survey on Lessons Learned	UW Medicine					
	6/2/2020	Submitted attestation statement to King County to support phase 2 application indicating that no staff person is wearing any one N95 respirator or surgical mask for longer than one shift and that we are following DOH PPE guidance on reuse or extended use.	UW Medicine					
	6/2/2020	List of Aerosol Generating procedures was newly posted	Policy					
	6/2/2020	Visitor restriction policy was newly posted	Policy					
	6/3/2020	World Health Organization reports that the spread of COVID-19 is still escalating globally, with more than 100,000 cases reported for each of the past five days	Global					
	6/4/2020	Several U.S. states across the South appeared to be grappling with upticks in infections, as Alabama, South Carolina and Virginia saw new cases climb 35%	Federal					
	6/4/2020	IT creates a way to check for signals of resurgence	UW Medicine					

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	6/5/2020	World Health Organization broadens recommendations for use of masks during pandemic; advises fabric masks in areas where virus is spreading and social distancing not possible.	Global					
	6/5/2020	During the past week, we achieved a wonderful milestone when UW Medical Center – Northwest reported a daily census with no COVID-19 patients.	UWMC NW					
	6/6/2020	Coronavirus deaths in the United States surpassed 110,000.	Federal					
	6/7/2020	The global coronavirus death toll surpassed 400,000,	Global					
	6/8/2020	Harborview Hall stood down.	HMC					
	6/8/2020	UW Medicine reports having the least amount of COVID-19 patients since outbreak began.	UW Medicine					
	6/8/2020	UW Medicine partners with the City of Seattle to offer free COVID-19 testing.	UW Medicine					
	6/9/2020	About 8050 samples from City of Seattle were collected	UW Medicine					
	6/9/2020	Mobile van completed about 237 tests with 3 positives moving across three places in a week	UW Medicine					
	6/9/2020	<u>DOH orders that nursing facilities test their residents and staff</u>	State					
	6/9/2020	RC3 completed transition to having the health care coalition take initial calls	Regional					
	6/9/2020	RC3 Decommissioned having a nurse on call at HMC	Regional					
	6/9/2020	Mobile van testing starts in Auburn serving Asian/Pacific Islander population	UW Medicine					
	6/10/2020	Confirmed cases of coronavirus in the U.S. surpassed 2 million.	Federal					
	6/10/2020	Long term PCR strategy went to Clinical Leadership						
	6/11/2020	EOC Operations shifts to once a week meeting schedule (Wednesdays)	UW Medicine					
	6/12/2020	Phase 2 of Serology for employees	UW Medicine					
	6/13/2020	Mobile van conducts testing in Renton	UW Medicine					
	6/14/2020	Mobile van conducts testing at SeaMar	UW Medicine					
	6/15/2020	UW Medicine intends to close psychiatric unit, Seven North, due to COVID-19 loss.	UW Medicine					
	6/16/2020	Harborview Medical Center worked with PHSKC and Somali Health Board to increase access to testing.	HMC					
	6/16/2020	Almost 3,000 employees have participated in Phase I of the serology testing program and 3.3% have tested positive for COVID-19 antibodies.	UW Medicine					
	6/18/2020	COVID-19 Surveillance Testing Guidelines for Labor and Delivery were newly posted	UW Medicine					
	6/18/2020	Clinical research resumed at UWMC Montlake and HMC for studies that are started with low PPE usage	UWMC ML HMC					
	6/18/2020	MA testing waiver which allows an MA to do the test without health care provider in the immediate area was extended to end of June	State					
	6/19/2020	King County officially enters Phase 2 of the state's Safe Start recovery plan.	King County					
	6/20/2020	Mobile testing vans conduct 167 tests at Rainer Beach and also conduct tests at Pioneer Square	UW Medicine					
	6/23/2020	Van 1 for homeless outreach tested 1681 patients and Van 2 for vulnerable populations tested 1135 patients across 27 locations over two months	UW Medicine					
	6/23/2020	Harborview Hall is closed	HMC					
	6/23/2020	Updated employee exposure policy approved by Clinical Leadership	UW Medicine					
	6/23/2020	Completed 1 round of nursing home testing per State order	UW Medicine					
	6/24/2020	Vulnerable Population Update: Between May 28 and June 24, Van 1 conducted 1,681 tests with a 1.7% positivity rate; Van 2 tested 1,300 individuals with a 4.38% positivity rate. Additionally, the Harborview Pioneer Square Clinic has completed 158 tests with a 3.16% positivity rate.	UW Medicine					
	6/27/2020	One employee on the 6th floor of the UW Tower tested positive. All employees on the 6th floor ordered to stay home for cleaning.	UW					
	6/28/2020	Global death toll from COVID-19 surpassed 500,000 and the number of confirmed cases worldwide topped 10 million.	Global					
	6/30/2020	Outbreak in the Greek system at UW Campus causes testing site to quickly be stood up.	UW					

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	6/30/2020	Logistics has call with FEMA about how to best partner for supplies and distribution	UW Medicine					
	7/1/2020	<u>European Union (EU) reopens borders to citizens from 15 non-EU countries, not including the U.S.</u>	Global					
	7/1/2020	King county cases double per 100K over 14 days since approved for phase 2	King County					
	7/2/2020	Fall Flu Campaign approved by Clinial Leadership	UW Medicine					
	7/2/2020	Mobile van 2 conducts tests in Auburn where the case count increases significantly	UW Medicine					
	7/2/2020	Governor Inslee extends face covering requirement for businesses statewide and halts county advancement	State					
	7/2/2020	Over the last several days, a combination of UW Medicine faculty and staff, led by Darren Layman and Chesna Briceno (both with UW Neighborhood Clinics), responded to an outbreak north of the UW campus by putting together a complete walk-up testing site within 24 hours on the UW campus. In just 2 1/2 days, they tested almost 900 exposed individuals.	UW Medicine					
	7/3/2020	The number of confirmed coronavirus cases worldwide surpassed 11 million.	Global					
	7/6/2020	<u>The United States notice of withdraw from the Worldl Health Organization becomes effective after the Trump Administration formally notified the United Nations</u>	Global					
	7/7/2020	<u>The number of coronavirus cases in the U.S. surpassed three million.</u>	Federal					
	7/7/2020	Phase 3 of employee serology launched - non-patient facing employees	UW Medicine					
	7/8/2020	<u>UW Medicine launches telehealth clinic for COVID-19 patien</u>	UW Medicine					
	7/9/2020	The first two phases of employee antibody testing are nearly complete, and we are now ready to begin our final phase of testing for those employees not involved with direct patient care.	UW Medicine					
	7/10/2020	U.S. recorded more than 70,000 Covid-19 cases for the first time.	Federal					
	7/14/2020	Governor extended proclamation through August 1st to allow MAs to continue to perform tests without direct supervision	State					
	7/16/2020	Governor Inslee freezes progress on the phases	State					
	7/16/2020	<u>US Army Golden Knights Parachute Team Aerial Salute to Healthcare Heroes and ceremony at HMC</u>	HMC					
	7/21/2020	UW Medicine scientists announce COVID-19 vaccine findings.	UW Medicine					
	7/21/2020	"A new study by the state Department of Health and UW Medicine will test the blood of Washingtonians for antibodies to give a fuller picture of how prevalent COVID-19 is across the state. Data from the study could inform policymakers' public health decisions as cases of COVID-19 mount."	UW Medicine					
	7/21/2020	"Antibody testing of UW Medicine frontline health care workers revealed a low COVID-19 prevalence. The UW Medicine Virology Lab announced that the testing revealed a 3 percent prevalence a previous COVID-19 infection. Antibody testing is being offered to all UW Medicine employees."	UW Medicine					
	7/21/2020	Modifications to visitor policy	Policy					
	7/22/2020	Several school districts announce intentions to go online-only for fall	State					
	7/23/2020	The U.S. counted its four millionth Covid-19 case.	Federal					
	7/23/2020	Inslee announces rollbacks to some activities to slow COVID-19 exposure	State					
	7/24/2020	CDC: One-third of COVID-19 patients who weren't hospitalized have long-term illness.	Federal					
	7/28/2020	<u>UW researchers develop promising COVID-19 vaccine</u>	UW Medicine					
	7/28/2020	<u>The U.S. counted its 150,000th reported Covid-19 death.</u>	National					
	7/29/2020	Eye Protection policy roll out	UW Medicine					
	8/4/2020	COVID-19 training content complete	UW Medicine					
	8/4/2020	Governor extended proclamation through September 1st to allow MAs to continue to perform tests without direct supervision	State					
	8/5/2020	Washington, Colorado, Nevada and Oregon announce coordination on telehealth, planning individual state-driven approaches to implementing policies, but work guided by the same seven principles	State					

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	8/5/2020	Northwest activated their hot zone	UWMC NW					
	8/5/2020	Our antibody testing program for employees is providing an invaluable perspective on COVID-19 infection in our community. After reviewing results from our Phase I antibody testing of front-line UW Medicine healthcare workers, we are seeing a 3% prevalence of previous COVID-19 infection. This is below the rate found in the general population of patients who have been tested (~4.8%). Early results like these validate our current practices and guidelines, including those on personal protective equipment (PPE), visitors, air handling, precautions and screening	UW Medicine					
	8/6/2020	A team of researchers has developed a new vaccine design strategy that could confer improved immunity against certain viruses, including those that cause AIDS, the flu, and COVID-19, according to a report released by the University of Washington Medicine (UW Medicine) on Tuesday. Using this technique, the scientists attached proteins from the surface of a virus, called antigens, to custom-made protein nanoparticles. This approach enables an unprecedented level of control over the molecular configuration of the resulting vaccine, the report said. This research, which includes pre-clinical evaluation of some initial vaccines in animals, is detailed in three new papers published Aug. 4.	National					
	8/10/2020	Inslee issues guidance for agricultural events, updated guidance for indoor fitness and religious and faith-based services	State					
	8/11/2020	Virology lab performed half a million COVID tests total	UW Medicine					
	8/11/2020	HMC Respite Outbreak identified	HMC					
	8/11/2020	"A walk-up coronavirus testing site in Seattle will open Friday morning at Rainier Beach High School. The city has been testing about 2,000 people per day at two drive-up locations in north and south Seattle. The new testing site at Rainier Beach High School is expected to have the ability to test 800 more patients per day and is walk-up only. Parking is available in the school's parking lot. A testing drive-thru was previously set up at Rainier Beach High School in April."	Local					
	8/18/2020	Highline College hosts COVID-19 testing on campus in partnership with UW Medicine	UW Medicine					
	8/18/2020	HMC Respite outbreak stable. Testing completed.	HMC					
	8/24/2020	<u>UW Medicine seeks volunteers to test coronavirus treatment</u>	UW Medicine					
	8/25/2020	Highest 7-day employee positivity rate since April 26th	UW Medicine					
	8/25/2020	Patient isolation policy update approved by med tech team and shared with stakeholders	Policy					
	8/25/2020	Employee isolation policy update was handed to labor relations team to share with unions	Policy					
	8/25/2020	Issues with rapid testing platform at Montlake	UWMC ML					
	8/26/2020	Vaccination distribution plan SBAR was approved by clinical leadership	Policy					
	8/27/2020	City testing site opens up in West Seattle at Chief Sealth High School through partnership with King County and UW Medicine	UW Medicine					
	8/31/2020	Employee serology testing ends	UW Medicine					
	8/31/2020	Plexiglass at all locations had been installed	UW Medicine					
	9/1/2020	Diasorin got back up and running at Montlake	UWMC ML					
	9/1/2020	State required COVID prevention and education was approved by Clinical Leadership	UW Medicine					
	9/1/2020	Prioritization of COVID testing for employees and their employee household members through the employee Contact Center line had been implemented.	UW Medicine					
	9/1/2020	<u>FEMA updated their disaster specific guidance for COVID 19 in terms of what is considered eligible</u>	Federal					
	9/3/2020	COVID PSN Dashboard was up and running	UW Medicine					

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	9/4/2020	UW Medicine has revised the COVID-19 employee return-to-work policy to remain consistent with recent Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines. The goal of updating our guidelines is to keep our patients, staff, trainees, students and faculty as safe as possible. The updated policy applies only to employees of the UW Medicine health system, clinical personnel and medical students. It does not apply to School of Medicine employees.	Policy					
	9/9/2020	<u>Wildfire smoke causes Seattle and other cities to have some of the world's worst air quality</u>	State					
	9/10/2020	RC3 rebranded to Washington Medical Coordination Center	Regional					
	9/10/2020	Montlake starts flu vaccinations	UWMC ML					
	9/17/2020	Online scheduling for non-pre-op COVID-19 testing is live via eCare	UW Medicine					
	9/17/2020	New visitor policy is up on website	Policy					
	9/18/2020	The world crosses the 30 million Covid-19 case mark.	Global					
	9/19/2020	The U.S. counted its 200,000th Covid-19 deaths	National					
	9/22/2020	UW Medicine assists the University with testing students as they return to school. The first day of a four day testing strategy	UW					
	9/24/2020	Updated visitor policy with updates on maternity and translating for distribution	Policy					
	9/24/2020	The U.S. crosses the seven million case mark.	National					
	9/25/2020	This week marks the fall equinox and nearly seven months since UW Medicine opened the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to launch our response to COVID-19.	UW Medicine					
	9/25/2020	Earlier this week, UW Medicine transitioned to the updated COVID-19 patient clearance protocol at UW Medical Center (both campuses) and Harborview. Instead of using multiple tests to "clear" patients in COVID-19 precautions, we are now using a time and symptom-based strategy.	Policy					
	9/25/2020	UW Medicine has updated the visitor restriction policy as it applies to laboring mothers who are COVID-19 positive. As a reminder, the goal of revising our guidelines is to keep our patients, staff, trainees, students and faculty as safe and supported as possible.	Policy					
	9/28/2020	Greek row reaches peak with COVID numbers						
	9/28/2020	At-home test kits for COVID-19 diagnosis could be nearly as accurate as getting tested by health care workers, according to a research letter released this week	Local					
	9/28/2020	Seattle COVID vaccine trials look promising, moves on to next phase	Local					
	9/28/2020	<u>The world reaches one million recorded deaths from COVID-19</u>	Global					
	9/29/2020	One million dead from Covid-19 worldwide.	Global					
	10/1/2020	Fall Flu Campaign launched for patients and community	UW Medicine					
	10/1/2020	Approved new logo for the Washington Medical Coordination Center	Regional					
	10/2/2020	President Trump announces he and the first lady tested positive for the coronavirus	Federal					
	10/15/2020	Links to testing resources for faculty and staff were added to intranet site, Med Hub, and the Clinical Toolkit	UW Medicine					
	10/15/2020	Changes to the HHS required reported measures went into effect with new guidance around which are require measures and the addition of flu related measures - able to report all measures for 4 hospitals in new format	UW Medicine					
	10/15/2020	A man from Nevada was reported as the first case of SARS-CoV-2 reinfection in North America, with genomic evidence supporting that the first infection in May and the second in June were from separate occasions. Symptoms were more severe during the second infection.	National					
	10/15/2020	Families First Coronavirus Response Act: Eligibility for Expanded Leave Benefits	UW Medicine					
	10/15/2020	The U.S. reached eight million Covid-19 cases.	National					
	10/19/2020	Changes to the HHS required reported measures went into effect with new guidance around which are require measures and the addition of flu related measures - able to report all measures for 4 hospitals in new format	Federal					
	10/20/2020	Media Relations team won first place in crisis communications from Ragan and PR Daily's Media Relations Awards ceremony	UW Medicine					

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	10/20/2020	The world crossed the 40 million case mark.	Global					
	10/21/2020	The CDC changed guidance on close contacts, emphasizing the importance of wearing masks.	Federal					
	10/22/2020	Process being implemented for policy revisions and new policy requests	Policy					
	10/22/2020	Delivered final branding elements for Washington Medical Coordination Center	Regional					
	10/27/2020	The U.S. topped the one-day record for new coronavirus cases, according to Johns Hopkins University data, surpassing the previous summer high. At the height of the surge, on July 16, the U.S. saw more than 77,362 reported new cases of COVID-19. On Friday, the U.S. reached 83,757 new daily cases, according to by Johns Hopkins University.	National					
	10/27/2020	University of Washington (UW) School of Medicine has officially taken the stance that hydroxychloroquine does not prevent COVID-19	Local					
	10/28/2020	Lab hits 1 millionth test	UW Medicine					
	10/29/2020	Nine million Covid-19 cases counted in the U.S.	National					
	11/3/2020	Implemented tiered visit types for COVID-19 testing appointments to adjust schedules for testing higher priority patients	UW Medicine					
	11/3/2020	United States presidential election	Federal					
	11/3/2020	We are currently in the early stages of the third and largest surge of the pandemic. The influential model from the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) at the University of Washington School of Medicine projects this surge will be longer and deadlier than the first two, not reaching its peak until mid-January.	UW Medicine					
	11/4/2020	U.S. tallied 100,000 new cases in a day for the first time	National					
	11/5/2020	Data from 45 countries indicate that the age-related pattern in the proportion of people with SARS-CoV-2 who die is similar across settings, reaching a peak infection fatality ratio of 8.3% among people age 80 years or older.	National					
	11/5/2020	WSHA survey for planning and provider enrollment	UW Medicine					
	11/6/2020	U.S. marks 3rd consecutive single-day record of coronavirus cases with 128,000 new infections	National					
	11/8/2020	The U.S. topped 10 million coronavirus cases.	National					
	11/9/2020	Inslee appoints representatives to multi-state COVID vaccine workgroup. Dr. Ed Marcuse and Dr. John Dunn are appointed to represent Washington in the multi-state COVID Vaccine Scientific Safety Review Workgroup	State					
	11/9/2020	Provider Enrollment survey	UW Medicine					
	11/9/2020	Pfizer announces COVID-19 vaccine is looking 90% effective based on early and incomplete test results	National					
	11/9/2020	Fifty million Covid-19 cases recorded worldwide.	Global					
	11/10/2020	Submitted COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Agreements to CDC for VMC, HMC, and UWMC, as well as began filling out our provider profiles with State DOH.	UW Medicine					
	11/10/2020	Masking Accommodation policy approved	policy					
	11/10/2020	COVID-19 hospitalizations are surging	National					
	11/13/2020	Completed Northwest's Provider Enrollment and Vaccine Profile request from DOH	UWMC NW					
	11/15/2020	Gov. Jay Inslee announces his orders of broad restrictions and shutdowns for restaurants, theaters, gyms and all indoor gatherings for at least four weeks	State					
	11/16/2020	Moderna announced that its coronavirus vaccine is 94.5% effective against the virus	National					
	11/17/2020	Resurgence rate peaked at 3.89%	UW Medicine					
	11/17/2020	The FDA authorized the first at-home Covid-19 test that gives users results quickly	Federal					
	11/18/2020	<u>New visitor restrictions start</u>	UW Medicine					
	11/18/2020	The U.S. counted its 250,000th Covid-19 death.	National					
	11/19/2020	The CDC warned Americans not to travel on Thanksgiving.	National					
	11/19/2020	Antibody treatment available through an emergency use authorization (EUA)	UW Medicine					
	11/24/2020	Patient letter went out regarding surgery postponement, clinic visits, telehealth, an updates to visitor policy	UW Medicine					
	11/20/2020	Released PSA on masking and social distancing	UW Medicine					
	11/23/2020	AstraZeneca announced its coronavirus vaccine can be around 90 percent effective.	Global					
	11/24/2020	VMC has more patients than March and April	VMC					

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	11/25/2020	The decision to move forward with Bamlanivimab, the monoclonal antibody infusion treatment made available through the EUA, at VMC was made	VMC					
	11/25/2020	Required and Extended-use and Masking Policy update	Policy					
	11/25/2020	eCare self-rescheduling SBAR was approved by Clinical Leadership	UW Medicine					
	11/30/2020	Inslee announces statewide COVID-19 exposure notification tool	State					
	12/1/2020	Sharp rise in cases statewide	State					
	12/1/2020	ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices – CDC) met for vaccine planning and prioritization	Federal					
	12/2/2020	The United Kingdom became the first country to formally approve the Pfizer and BioNTech Covid-19 vaccine.	Global					
	12/2/2020	CDC shortened quarantine period to 10 days with no symptoms, 7 days if the person tests negative and has no symptoms.	Federal					
	12/4/2020	Pharmacy meets with State to discuss transfer of vaccine to facility	UW Medicine					
	12/4/2020	Prioritization Allocation Groups were approved by Clinical Leadership	UW Medicine					
	12/8/2020	<u>Hospitals across the U.S. begin to postpone elective procedures to free up space and ensure proper staffing and PPE for COVID-19 patients</u>	National					
	12/8/2020	Contract Finalized with Best Fit Test vendor to coordinate N95 fit testing	UW Medicine					
	12/8/2020	CMS offered waivers to the conditions of participation that would allow acute care hospital services to be delivered at patient homes. This should allow hospitals to rapidly expand care to Medicare beneficiaries.	Federal					
	12/8/2020	Britain's Margaret Keenan, 90, became the first person in the world to receive a clinically approved vaccine.	Global					
	12/9/2020	Inslee extends and modifies proclamation on pharmacy storage for COVID-19 vaccine	State					
	12/9/2020	The United Arab Emirates became the first nation to give approval to China's vaccine.	Global					
	12/10/2020	Virtual devices for patient-to-family and patient-to-care team communication was approved by Clinical Leadership	UW Medicine					
	12/10/2020	<u>UW Medicine partnered with 98point6 to deliver on-demand, text-based virtual care</u>	UW Medicine					
	12/10/2020	Lab sets record of performing 13,174 PCR tests	UW Medicine					
	12/11/2020	UW Medicine reaches record high of 124 COVID+ inpatients	UW Medicine					
	12/11/2020	Vaccine scheduling go live for vaccine priority group 1 employees	UW Medicine					
	12/11/2020	Pfizer training sessions	UW Medicine					
	12/11/2020	<u>the U.S. FDA issues the first emergency use authorization (EUA) for the Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine in persons aged 16 years and older</u>	National					
	12/13/2020	<u>Gov. Jay Inslee announces Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine approval by the Western States Scientific Safety Review Workgroup</u>	State					
	12/14/2020	<u>About 3,900 doses of Pfizer vaccine arrive at UWMC Montlake</u>	UW Medicine					
	12/14/2020	Exposure protocol update	UW Medicine					
	12/14/2020	Northwest testing site down to 1 lane due to staffing	UWMC NW					
	12/14/2020	Labor Relations helped get approval from unions to allow staff to voluntarily float between entities	UW Medicine					
	12/14/2020	About 3,000 employees scheduled for vaccinations	UW Medicine					
	12/14/2020	Last portion of 550,000 1860 (S) N95s were received and order completed	UW Medicine					
	12/14/2020	Inslee issues proclamation on local health jurisdiction stability	State					
	12/14/2020	The vaccine rollout began across the United States.	National					
	12/15/2020	Medline's isolation gowns continued to have tears/rips. Bad lot numbers were pulled	UW Medicine					
	12/15/2020	Supplemental supplies to support vaccines were delivered to each site	UW Medicine					
	12/15/2020	More than 4,000 employees scheduled for vaccinations and 10% declined	UW Medicine					
	12/15/2020	Media event at Montlake takes place with 10-15 employees being vaccinated that were non-UW healthcare workers	UWMC ML HMC					

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	12/15/2020	Clinical Leadership approved subcategorization of employees for vaccine	UW Medicine					
	12/15/2020	Employee and patient Vaccine Acknowledgement Forms (WSHA Model) were completed	UW Medicine					
	12/15/2020	New vaccine page on uwmedicine.org went live	UW Medicine					
	12/16/2020	Start of N95 fit testing with the Best Fit Test vendor at Montlake and Harborview	UWMC ML HMC					
	12/16/2020	FDA authorized first at-home, over-the-counter Covid test	National					
	12/17/2020	Start of N95 fit testing with the Best Fit Test vendor at Northwest	UWMC NW					
	12/17/2020	Finalized post-vaccine immune response protocol and shared with vaccine team	UW Medicine					
	12/17/2020	Kick-off meeting with Well-Being committee leaders for strategic plan development and documentation	UW Medicine					
	12/17/2020	Guidelines for food donations were approved by Infection Prevention and Clinical Leadership	Policy					
	12/17/2020	Opening day for employee vaccinations at all four sites	UW Medicine					
	12/18/2020	<u>The U.S. FDA issues emergency use authorization (EUA) for the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine in persons aged 18 years and older</u>	National					
	12/20/2020	Gov. Jay Inslee announces Moderna COVID-19 vaccine approval by the Western States Scientific Safety Review Workgroup	State					
	12/21/2020	UWNC testing event at Northgate	UWNC					
	12/21/2020	Launched schedule invitations for Priority Group 1, Wave 2	UW Medicine					
	12/21/2020	Provider FAQs went out	UW Medicine					
	12/21/2020	Updated employee Vaccine FAQ on the Huddle and public facing uwmedicine.org page	UW Medicine					
	12/21/2020	Inslee issues proclamations on travel restrictions and updates to existing religious guidance	State					
	12/22/2020	Delivery of take-home food donations organized by Staff Well-Being and Advancement teams started again.	UW Medicine					
	12/22/2020	UW Medicine was notified that they would be receiving 9,500 Moderna doses and 1,950 Pfizer doses	UW Medicine					
	12/22/2020	Approximately 7,000 employees and community members scheduled for vaccine	UW Medicine					
	12/23/2020	Launch of Priority Group 2, Wave 1. Moved up do to additional allocation of vaccine from the state	UW Medicine					
	12/23/2020	Loaned 10 cases of sterile water to VMC	VMC					
	12/23/2020	Updated vaccine priority groups documents on the Huddle	UW Medicine					
	12/23/2020	Provider vaccine FAQs went out	UW Medicine					
	12/26/2020	Operationalized Moderna at HMC and NW. First dose of Moderna administered.	UWMC NW HMC					
	12/28/2020	HMC, NW, and Valley received additional Moderna shipments	UWMC NW HMC VMC					
	12/28/2020	<u>Novavax announced that they will begin a Phase 3 trial for Novavax's COVID-19 vaccine candidate</u>	National					
	12/29/2020	HMC and ML received additional Pfizer shipments	UWMC ML HMC					
	12/29/2020	Communication went out encouraging staff to get fit tested	UW Medicine					
	12/29/2020	Updated uwmedicine.org COVID-19 Testing page to add Lab Medicine COVID-19 testing site and UW Neighborhood Clinic Respiratory Urgent Care Centers	UW Medicine					
	12/29/2020	Added capacity at all four locations. Capacity increased from 50 per site, to between 400-500 depending on location, in accommodation for first and second dosage appointments	UW Medicine					
	12/30/2020	Launch Priority Group 2, Wave 2	UW Medicine					
	12/30/2020	Weekly operations section meeting	UW Medicine					
	12/30/2020	Weekly capacity management meeting/Surge planning meeting	UW Medicine					
	12/30/2020	Inslee announces one-week extension of statewide restrictions	State					
	12/31/2020	Scheduling for non-established UW Medicine patients and contacts/family members of employees for testing at UW Lab Medicine location is made available	UW Medicine					
	1/4/2021	Hybrid community test site overseen by UW Lab Medicine opens in UW parking lot	UW Medicine					
	1/4/2021	VMC has succesful transition to Moderna	VMC					

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	1/5/2021	Legal team working to finalize contract for UW to be billing agent for City of Seattle Vaccine administration program.	UW Medicine					
	1/5/2021	second doses starting in mass today	UW Medicine					
		Legal team updating Vaccine acknowledgement forms released by WSHA last week.	UW Medicine					
	1/5/2021	DOH launched Phase Finder so there are now some community walk-ins	State					
	1/6/2021	Coordinating with entity reps and TeleCom/End Device Support on building out training with Ipad or MS Teams solution for virtual Patient-to-family - Pt-to-care team communication.	UW Medicine					
	1/6/2021	Vaccine scheduling / Epic planning underway to offload work from contact center and enable pt. self-scheduling where possible.	UW Medicine					
	1/6/2021	Supply chain notified by 3M that 1870+ N95 masks available for purchase - ordered 44,000; anticipated delivery mid-January.	UW Medicine					
	1/6/2021	<u>Rioters from Trump rally stormed the U.S. Capitol as Congress was in session</u>	Federal					
	1/7/2021	Added messaging for patients in Contact Center and clinic phone trees in response to announcement of additional phases.	UW Medicine					
	1/7/2021	Staff Well-Being meeting focuses readiness for large food donation roll-out	UW Medicine					
	1/7/2021	nearly 4000 deaths in the US and # of new cases increase by nearly a million every 3-4 days.	National					
	1/8/2021	EOC, Epic and MarComs team prepare for the NW Covid-19 test site to begin testing of pediatric pts.	UWMC NW					
	1/11/2021	Healthy Washington phases roll out starts with all counties in phase 1	State					
	1/11/2021	Inslee signs Healthy Washington - Roadmap to Recovery proclamation	State					
	1/12/2021	ML adds Moderna to 1st dose appointments	UWMC ML					
	1/12/2021	Vaccine program reports less than 1% vaccine waste	UW Medicine					
	1/13/2021	Gratitude Campaign kicked off with message from Dr. Anne Browning	UW Medicine					
	1/18/2021	Inslee announces state plan for widespread vaccine distribution and administration	State					
	1/19/2021	Jeff Richey takes the helm as Incident Commander (from Kalen Privatsky)	UW Medicine					
	1/19/2021	Ten days since last Covid19 inpt. death	UW Medicine					
	1/19/2021	Entitles cascading training on virtual communication devices (Ipad/MS Teams)	UW Medicine					
	1/20/2021	ML & HMC implementing inpt surveillance today	UW Medicine					
	1/20/2021	Vaccine program launches 1b - receives tremendous interest from pts & community	UW Medicine					
	1/20/2021	Joe Biden was inaugurated as the 46th president with Kamala Harris as his Vice President	Federal					
	1/25/2021	Washington State identifies 2 cases of new B117 UK-Covid strain in Snohomish County - UWM lab integral to the discovery of the new strain in WA (as well as in OR & CA)	State					
	1/25/2021	Covid-19 health attestation pilot goes live	UW Medicine					
	1/25/2021	Quarantine numbers for healthcare workers shows significant decrease	UW Medicine					
	1/25/2021	Washington COVID-19 vaccine distribution hits 500,000 total doses administered	State					
	1/26/2021	Quarantine policy for fully vaccinated healthcare workers under discussion	Policy					
	1/27/2021	Paused all first dose scheduling due to low vaccine supply	UW Medicine					
	1/27/2021	Re: Employee PCR testing - only 1 employee has tested positive in past three days	UW Medicine					
	1/28/2021	Medtech, Operations & Incident Command finalizing the symptom self-attestation policy for staff and faculty.	UW Medicine					
	1/28/2021	Virtual communication devices (Ipad/MS Teams) delivered to Inpt. Units w/training	UW Medicine					
	1/28/2021	Late night mass vaccination event: 1,650 doses of COVID-19 vaccine were at risk of expiring and were quickly administered at UW and Swedish clinics. UWMC clinic teams administered 800 doses	UW Medicine					
	1/29/2021	Governor gives update on expectations of state moving from Phase 1 to Phase 2	State					

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	1/29/2021	<u>A failed freezer forced an overnight dash to give out more than 1,600 doses of the coronavirus vaccine</u>	Local					
	1/30/2021	Streamlined registration and check in process updates went live	UW Medicine					
	2/1/2021	Puget Sound and West Regions have moved to Phase 2. Indoor recreation and indoor dining is now allowed at 25% capacity	State					
	2/1/2021	Collaborating with City of Seattle for the Montlake expansion site	UW Medicine					
	2/2/2021	Statewide, # of total Covid+ inpts has decreased to new milestone - below 700 inpts for first time since Mid Nov. 2020	State					
	2/2/2021	I.T. - WAIS support - creating dashboard with daily vaccine count & reporting for Pharmacy inventory/supply/usage/vial & lot), AND contd. work on Eipc/OHM to WAIS feed						
	2/3/2021	Electronic health attestation tool and manager dashboard rollout	UW Medicine					
	2/3/2021	Completing second dose appointing for last week's mass vaccination event	UW Medicine					
	2/5/2021	Vaccine team conducts vulnerable populations planning with City of Seattle & Public Health of Seattle-King County. Discussions focus on approaches, data, vaccine drive-thrus, mobile pop-up sites and funding procurement, According to epidemiological updates, there have been continuous downward trends in both King County and across the state	Local					
	2/8/2021	Vaccine team evaluating a text-based outreach platform for waste minimization	UW Medicine					
	2/8/2021	Planning team developing a system-wide vaccine freezer failure contingency plan	UW Medicine					
	2/10/2021	Operations finalizing plans for fit testing N95 models and finalizing the PSN build for documenting adverse reactions to vaccine.	UW Medicine					
	2/10/2021	The B.1.1.7 UK variant detected in a UW student. New variant 30-40% more transmissible, thus of big concern.	State					
	2/11/2021	Inslee announces five regions to progress to Phase 2 Legal: Patient Safety Network feed to support mandatory reporting of adverse drug reactions to vaccines went live 2/11 (from 2/12 sit stat report)	State					
	2/11/2021	Planning team drafting long-term demobilization plan for UW Medicine EOC	UW Medicine					
	2/12/2021	Vaccine team launches workflow for pts. w/history of anaphylaxis/allergies	UW Medicine					
	2/12/2021	Legal risk team continues support for Logistics team with cost recovery strategies related to counterfeit N95s	UW Medicine					
	2/15/2021	EOC Incident Command transitions from Jeff Richey to Adam Parcher	UW Medicine					
	2/17/2021	<u>Nearly a million vaccinations given to WA residents</u>	State					
	2/17/2021	All 4 vaccine sites remained up over the weekend, =UWM, NW and HMC switched to Moderna.	UW Medicine					
	2/17/2021	Waste minimization pilot launched for UWM 1A employees to be on no-waste list.	UW Medicine					
	2/19/2021	Rescheduled all Moderna 2nd dose appointment from 2/18-2/22 due to weather related shipping delays. 90% of WA vaccination supplies are on delay due to weather conditions across the country.	State-National					
	2/19/2021	New End-of-Day no waste list launched at all sites and going well, but need more 1A participants.	UW Medicine					
	2/19/2021	Vaccination sites will go quiet this weekend due to rescheduling of appointments - next weekend anticipated to be extra busy to make up for reschedules.	UW Medicine					
	2/19/2021	WA State cases 7-day average for COVID + cases continue to decrease and is close to summer 2020 rates.	State					
	2/22/2021	<u>Death toll from COVID-19 reaches over 500,000 in the United States</u>	National					
	2/24/2021	Start of N95 fit testing of employees currently fitted to 1860 and 1860s, will run for 4-5 weeks						
	2/26/2021	UW Medicine performs 2 millionth COVID-19 test	UW Medicine					
	2/28/2021	UW Medicine administers 100,000th vaccine	UW Medicine					
	3/1/2021	UW Medicine Incident Command in operation for one year!!!	UW Medicine					

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