

FEBRUARY HSC STAFF COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER

2021 Lovin' on Little Lobos February 1-14th

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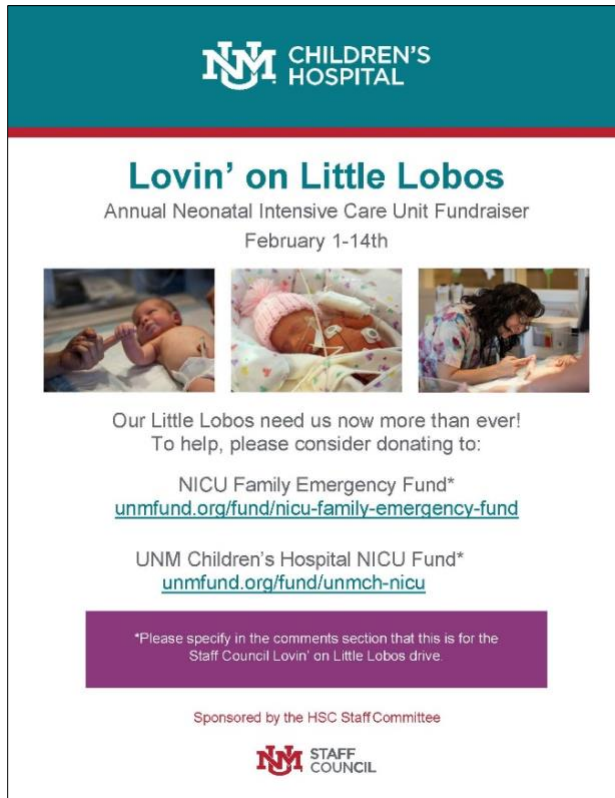
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UNM CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

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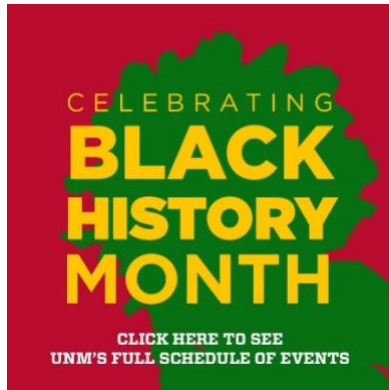
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A Month of Events Honoring Black History



Click to see Black History Month:

<https://hsc.unm.edu/diversity/celebrating/black-history.html>



EMERGENCY
MEDICINE



<https://roadrunner-food-bank.snbll.com/unm-department-of-emergency-medicine>

FOOD IS MEDICINE

Fundraiser competition benefitting



INTERNAL
MEDICINE



<https://roadrunner-food-bank.snbll.com/unm-department-of-internal-medicine>

UNMH is having a friendly inter-departmental competition raising funds for Road Runner food bank.

Emergency Medicine vs. Internal Medicine (ID, Hospital Med, etc.) vs. Dept. of Surgery (Ortho, EGS, ENT, etc.) vs. versus OB/GYN.

When? **January 25, 2020 – March 1, 2020**

Who can donate? **Anyone!** Nurses, techs, administrators, etc. to whichever team they would like to win! There is no minimum or maximum donation.

Weekly updates on who leads the competition will be sent via email.

First place will get a trophy (and bragging rights).

First department to reach \$5,000 in donations gets a certificate.

Department with most donors gets honorable mention.

To donate, scan the QR code or go to the URL under the department name.

DEPT. OF
SURGERY



<https://roadrunner-food-bank.snbll.com/unm-department-of-surgery>

OB/GYN



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New Mexico Weight Loss Jackpot Challenge

Win Big for Getting Healthy

Benefits & Employee Wellness invites you to join the challenge and compete against other New Mexico organizations to win cash prizes just for getting healthier! The New Mexico Jackpot Challenge is a 12-week weight loss challenge starting **Feb. 15**.

How It Works :

- Register [online](#) or on HealthyWage's [mobile app](#). Registration fee is \$70.
- All \$70 registration fees go directly into the pot. The more participants, the bigger the pot!
- Compete in teams of four to nine. After you sign up, you can create/join a team with your coworkers. Don't have a team? No problem. HealthyWage will match you up with one!
- The Jackpot is all about teams striving to lose **6% of their body weight**. EVERY TEAM THAT HITS THE 6% WEIGHT LOSS GOAL WINS! Winners split the pot. Part of the fun is that you don't know exactly how much money will win (winnings are dependent on the number of successful teams). Typically, winners win twice their entry fee. In 2019, participants won \$178.98 each!
- Register now for only \$23.33/month for 3 months (\$70).

Questions? Visit the Employee Wellness [Jackpot Challenge webpage](#).

For more news from HR including Professional Development, your Benefits & Wellness please visit <https://hr.unm.edu/articles>

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What can you do with \$7 LoboCash? A lot, it turns out! Slice from Saggios? No problem. Need a sweet treat? How about Rude Boy Cookies? Or grab an espresso and donut at the HSC Espresso Café. Something more practical or fun? Get 28 single color copies at the UNM IT Computer Labs or a cool car decal from the UNM Bookstore. Visit the [LoboCash site](#) for a full list of venues.



Appreciating Staff with LoboCash

Staff appreciation week was one of many things to go by the wayside due to COVID-19.

To show our appreciation to all our staff, Staff Council has added a **\$7 LoboCash treat*** to your LoboCard or HSC Badge.

The LoboCash doesn't expire and can be used at several locations on and off campus!

Visit goto.unm.edu/spendlobocash for a complete list of locations.

Staff Council appreciates all you do for the UNM Community.

UNM STAFF COUNCIL
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*Staff on Main, South & North Campuses only.

We have discovered that not every HSC badge is 'Lobo-Encoded,' so you might not be able to access the \$7. If your card is not working a walk to the Lobo Card office at the SUB can fix the issue. It is super easy and does not take long. The Staff at the Lobo Card office is very friendly.

New Hospital Tower Phase II Construction Closures



Please visit <https://hsc.unm.edu/news/2021/01/tower-closure.html> for detailed road closures and alternate vehicle access. It includes the map.



This Spring, the School of Medicine Office of Education recognized the contributions of nine dedicated staff members. They are: Allen Veitch, Chamonix Berry, Cindy Garcia, Davette De La O-Sandoval, Dominique Rodriguez, Katherine Love, Lauren Kruse, Roger Jerabek, and Steven Charleston. **Congratulations, SOM staff, and thank you for going the extra mile!**

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This story highlights the upgrades in the safety of many of the blue lights on campus; and KOB interviewed our own staff councilor Mark Reynolds for the story. Thank you, UNM, and thank you, Mark!

<https://www.kob.com/albuquerque-news/unm-upgrades-emergency-phones-with-5g-technology-to-improve-safety/6006543/?cat=500>

