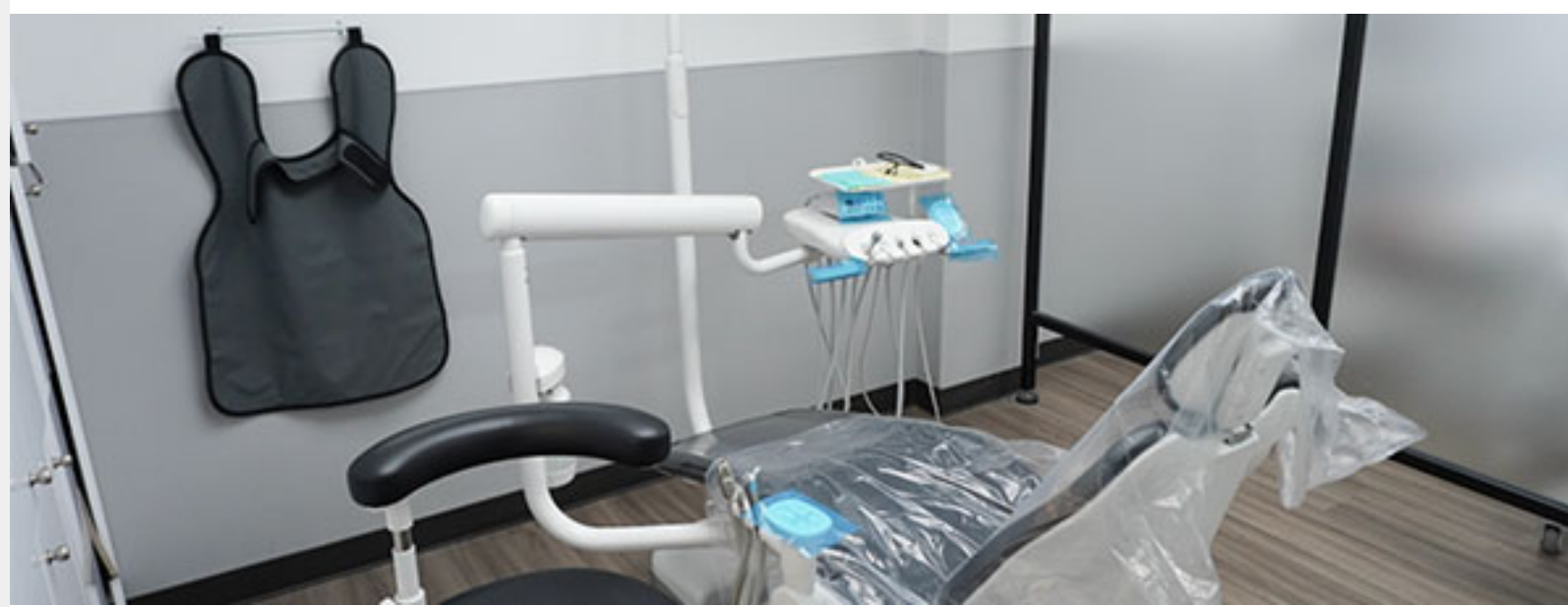


September 1, 2023



Alabama needs more dentists. These chairs are part of the plan.

This year's incoming class at the School of Dentistry is one of the largest in school history. A bigger class required more treatment space, and the school just completed a major update to its Comprehensive Care Clinic. Check out the new space in this story and slideshow.



NHLBI awards \$36.7 million to UAB for CARDIA study

The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute funding will continue the Birmingham field and coordinating centers for the Coronary Artery Risk Development in Young Adults study, which began in 1985.



This employee retired for seven days. Now he's back at the bedside.

Dale Davis, R.N., spent 29 years with UAB Medicine before he retired in July. A week later, he was back in the ED, where his UAB career began. It's just the latest twist in an unforgettable life story.

More news online

The UAB eReporter will not publish Sept. 5 due to the university holiday.

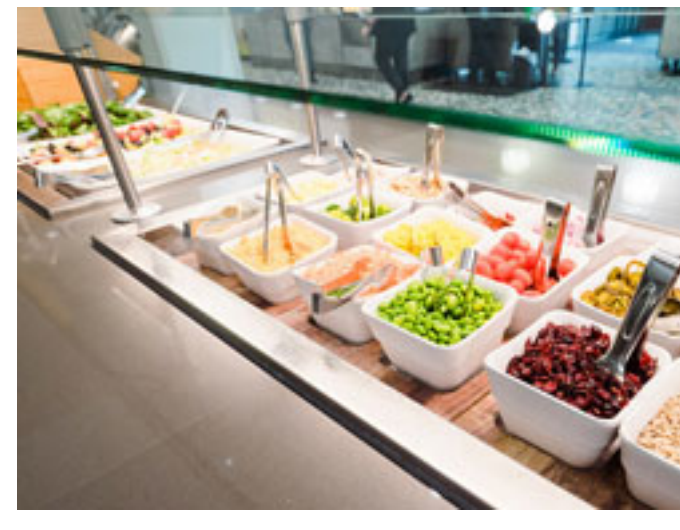
Get campus news at uab.edu/reporter and uab.edu/news. Check the Campus Calendar for more events on campus, and submit your own. If you have news you want to share, use the Request Publicity form online.

Things to know



University to close Sept. 4 for holiday, no bus service

Most campus operations will be suspended on Labor Day but essential services will continue. There will be no Blazer Express bus, Highlands Shuttle or Motorist Assistance Roadside Service. Safety Escort will operate as normal. Details online.



Got lunch plans?

Faculty and staff can show their ONE Card to get an all-you-care-to-eat lunch for \$7 every weekday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Commons on the Green.



Facilities separates service request systems for campus and hospital

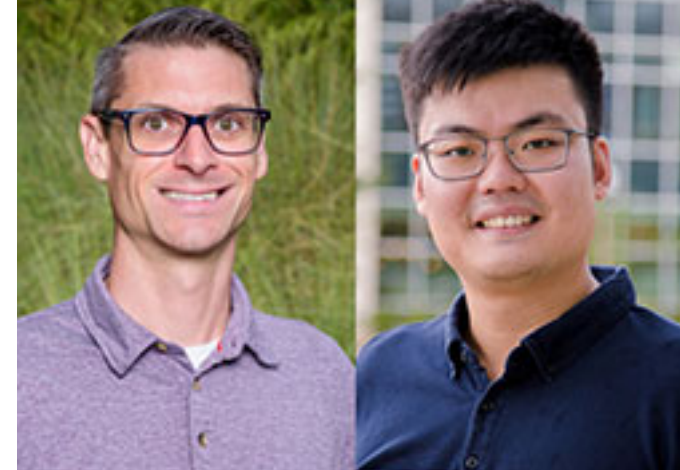
The coordinated systems will help ensure timely and efficient service. Access them through the Request Services page.



UAB amending in-state travel guidelines

Effective Oct. 1, employees may be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the course of UAB business. See details online.

Blazer achievements



Energy grants power early career researchers

Grants of nearly \$1.75 million from the Department of Energy will fund promising research on cancer drugs and supercomputers.



Her passion helped parents access genetic testing

Anna Hurst, M.D., associate professor in the Department of Genetics, created a testing program that has found diagnoses for nearly 50 children with rare diseases.

Research & learning



Expert takes on hot topics

Hear from UAB specialists about diet and aging, AI advances and well-being hacks in these upcoming events from the National Alumni Society:

- Does calorie restriction lead to longer life? — noon Sept. 6, virtual
- Where has AI come from, and where is it headed? — noon Sept. 13, virtual
- What are strategies for increasing your resilience and changing your mind-state? — 6 p.m. Sept. 13, Alumni House



Reframe your emotions

Discover how to build relationships and communicate more effectively in the workplace with this workshop on emotional intelligence.

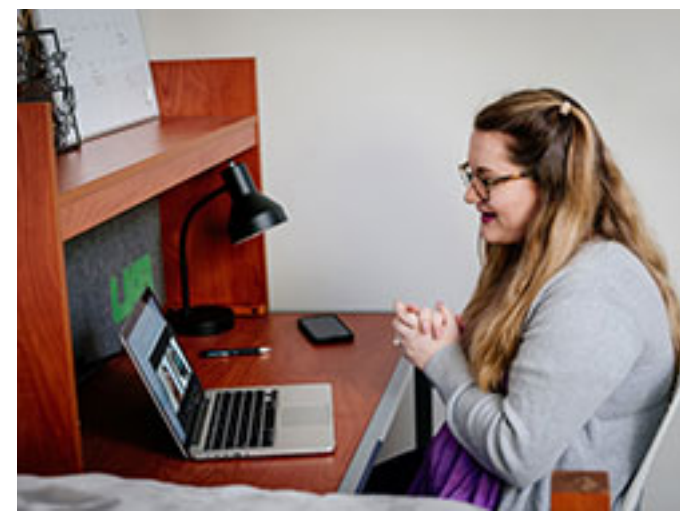
📅 9 a.m. Sept. 6
📍 Medical Towers 419A
📄 Register online



Learn from this leader

School of Nursing Dean Maria Shirey, Ph.D., will share lessons on authentic leadership.

📅 11 a.m. Sept. 7
📍 virtual
📄 Register online



Professional development opportunities with eLearning

Work toward one of two eLearning certificates with upcoming classes (both virtual and at 11 a.m.):

- Intro to eLearning's course design process, Sept. 6
- Intro to Quality Matters, Sept. 14

Hands-on tech help

Enhance your productivity at work with these upcoming events:

Improving Your "Outlook": Scheduling Assistant

The latest in an ongoing series of 30-minute sessions on must-know Microsoft Outlook e-mail tools. Watch previous sessions here.

📅 11 a.m. Sept. 11
📍 virtual
📄 Register online

Empowering Collaboration: SharePoint Tips and Tricks

In this first session of a new quarterly series, IT's SharePoint team will cover site layout and design, understanding your content, site features and more.

📅 10 a.m. Sept. 18
📍 virtual
📄 Details online

Mark your calendars



Do you order promotional items or apparel for your unit?

Meet UAB's approved promotional item and apparel vendors and get answers to your questions about designing products within UAB brand standards, ordering and approval processes, and more 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Sept. 13 at the Hill Student Center.



New artists announced for ASC's season

Catch the R&B and soul kings The O'Jays in their final tour, spend an evening with movie star John Cusack, watch Mutts Gone Nuts and the Buckets N Boards Comedy Percussion Show. Tickets are on sale now.



See Alice in a brand-new way

Dancer-illusionists performs seemingly superhuman feats in MOMIX: Alice.

📅 7 p.m. Sept. 6-8
📍 Alys Stephens Center
📄 Buy tickets



UAB Writers' Series: Frank X Walker

Walker, the first African American writer to be named Kentucky Poet Laureate, has published eleven collections of poetry. His most recent is "Masked Man, Black: Pandemic & Protest Poems."

📅 6 p.m. Sept. 13
📍 AEIVA
📄 Details online

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