

Feature Story



State of Stanford Medicine: Leaders share progress, priorities, and challenges

At this year's State of Stanford Medicine event, leaders from across Stanford Medicine—Dean of Stanford School of Medicine, Lloyd Minor, Stanford Health Care CEO David Entwistle, and Stanford Children's Health interim CEO Dennis Lund, MD—shared their insights on the progress, priorities, and shared vision for the three institutions. Also, the newest issue of [Stanford Medicine magazine](#) includes stories about a variety of research and programs that reflect and highlight the results of that vision. [Learn more >](#)

Stanford Medicine in the News



2018-2019 Biodesign Fellows

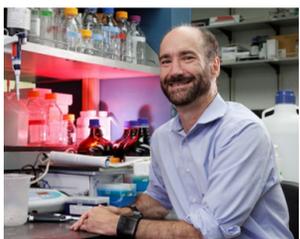
Technologies developed at Stanford Biodesign have reached more than 1.5 million patients

Medical technologies invented by fellows and students over the past 18 years at the [Stanford Byers Center for Biodesign](#), a program that teaches a process for solving problems in health care through technology innovation, have been used in the care of more than 1.5 million patients to date. [Learn more >](#)



New 'liquid biopsy' technique can predict lymphoma therapy success within days

A blood test can now predict which patients with a type of cancer called diffuse large B cell lymphoma are likely to respond positively to initial therapy and which are likely to need more aggressive treatment, according to a multicenter study led by Stanford researchers. [Learn more >](#)



Stanford researchers forecast risk of deadly vascular condition from genome sequence

By combining genome-sequence information and health records, Stanford scientists have developed a new algorithm that can predict the risk of abdominal aortic aneurysm, and potentially could be used for any number of diseases. [Learn more >](#)

Giving Matters



Paul Berg: An uncommon legacy

The 92-year-old Stanford biochemistry pioneer and Nobel Prize winner speaks out on driving philanthropy to empower the most talented biomedical leaders—and make sure that training programs are in place to create the next generation of scientific trailblazers. [Learn more >](#)



Fueling the next generation of biomedical innovation

The Blavatnik Family Foundation has pledged \$10 million to Stanford Medicine for the training of graduate students in the biomedical sciences, powering the innovation and independence of talented young researchers. [Learn more >](#)



Going the distance: John Tarlton raises funds for Stanford Cancer Institute

With a firm belief that our purpose here on Earth is to give back to others, John Tarlton's personal and professional philosophies are guided by how he can achieve as many worthwhile goals as possible, across both fronts, simultaneously. [Learn more >](#)

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Stanford Health Care Spotlight



Expansion of Redwood City outpatient center completed

The most recent development of our outpatient Center, Pavilion D, located off Highway 101 at Broadway in Redwood City is now open. Here, Stanford Medicine doctors deliver advanced services in a state-of-the-art facility, including new Digestive and Pelvic Health Centers, specialized imaging, and more than 50 specialties and sub-specialties. [Learn more >](#)



Paying it forward: patient overcomes potentially deadly disease and goes on to help others

When Kristen Terlizzi experienced complications during her pregnancy, she put her trust in Stanford Health Care. She had a team of 30 multidisciplinary surgeons and nurses helping to safely deliver her baby, but Terlizzi remained in Stanford Hospital for nearly two months due to a rare complication called placenta percreta, a condition where the placenta invades the uterine wall. Terlizzi's experience later prompted her to become a hospital volunteer and help others. [Watch her story >](#)



Voices of the Community: join us in celebrating the opening of our new hospital in 2019

In anticipation of next year's opening of the new Palo Alto hospital facility, Stanford Medicine has launched the Voices of the Community project, to engage people from all neighborhoods and ages in the creation of a commemorative digital mosaic to be unveiled at our opening events. Be a part of your new hospital—join thousands of your neighbors who are lending their voices and creativity to celebrate the addition of this new world-class facility. Local collection events will be held throughout the Fall and Winter on campus and beyond, including the Stanford Mall in December. [Learn more >](#)

Recent and Upcoming Events



From left to right: Dean of the School of Medicine, Lloyd B. Minor, MD; Sam Gambhir, MD, PhD; Michelle Monje, MD, PhD; Sergiu Pasca, MD; David Entwistle, President and CEO of Stanford Health Care

Frontiers in Medicine 2018

A lively crowd joined us at the Bing Concert Hall for this year's Frontiers in Medicine event to learn how the collision of biology and technology is sparking a revolution in human health and transforming how we predict, prevent, and treat disease. It was a truly special evening, from a lively musical performance by a talented Stanford Medicine student, to engaging faculty presentations, a dynamic question-and-answer session, and stimulating dinner table conversations. [View the talks and learn more >](#)

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