

**Press Release:**

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**UMC RESPONDS TO SOCIAL MEDIA COMMENTS  
REGARDING NURSE VACCINATION**

**EL PASO, Texas** – After numerous reports emerged on social media claiming one of the five nurses receiving a vaccination on Tuesday did not receive a full dose of vaccine, we want to remove any doubt raised that he was not fully vaccinated and further strengthen confidence in the vaccination process.



The nurse in question today was vaccinated again (see attached picture taken today).

UMC has confirmed with the US Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) that re-vaccinating the nurse will not cause adverse effects. The nurse will need to return after three weeks to receive his second dose.

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