

Update: Banner Health virtual press conference transcript and video

Chief clinical officer addresses COVID-19 response across six-state service area

PHOENIX (Dec. 23, 2020) – Today, Banner Health hosted a COVID-19 press conference with Marjorie Bessel, MD, chief clinical officer at Banner Health. Dr. Bessel addressed topics such as vaccine distribution, capacity, staffing and mitigation efforts. You will find a link to high-resolution video of the entire press conference including a transcript of Dr. Bessel's opening remarks and transcript of the Q & A session.

VIDEO: [High-resolution video](#)

Please email media@bannerhealth.com for additional questions. As our medical experts are focused on patient care and the pandemic response, Dr. Bessel will not be available for additional interviews.

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 [Marjorie Bessel, MD, Banner Health Chief Clinical Officer](#)
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 [Marjorie Bessel, MD - opening remarks transcript for press conference 12.23.20](#)
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 [Banner Health Q & A media questions transcript - Virtual press conference 12.23.20](#)
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