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Dear Larner Community,

I am delighted to report that the University of Vermont Board of Trustees has completed their review of our Proposal to create a Department of Emergency Medicine and voted to approve the proposal. With this approval, the transition of the Division of Emergency Medicine to a department is now in motion with an effective start date of July 1, 2022. A call for nominations for the Inaugural Chair of Emergency Medicine will be released later today. Please take a moment to recognize this important milestone for our College and the University.

Best Wishes,

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