

# Banner Health virtual press conference transcript and video

## Chief Clinical Officer addresses COVID-19 response across six-state service area

PHOENIX (Dec. 2, 2020) – Today, Banner Health hosted a COVID-19 press conference with speaker Dr. Marjorie Bessel, chief clinical officer at Banner Health. Dr. Bessel addressed topics such as situational awareness, capacity, staffing, current treatments available, vaccine distribution and mitigation efforts. Below, you will find a link to high-resolution video of the entire press conference and the transcript.

### **VIDEO:** [High-resolution video of press conference](#)

Please email [media@bannerhealth.com](mailto:media@bannerhealth.com) for additional questions. As our medical experts are focused on the pandemic response, Dr. Bessel will not be available for additional interviews.

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### [Marjorie Bessel, MD](#)

Banner Health Chief Clinical Officer (3.5 MB)

### [Press Conference Transcript 12-02-2020](#)

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