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Subject: Biomedical Research Complex Update ~ On Behalf of Dean Morin

Dear Larner College of Medicine Faculty and Staff,

Last week we had another opportunity to update the UVM Board of Trustees on our work toward creating a biomedical research complex, an intercollegiate collaboration between the Larner College of Medicine and the College of Arts and Sciences Department of Psychological Science. The project encompasses a new modern research facility on the medical school campus, renovating and upgrading the Given Building, and vacating and repurposing Dewey Hall. The design principles being used by the architects highlight flexible, open, and collaborative spaces that share resources efficiently. The creation of this modern research space supports the performance and growth of our research enterprise.

I invite you to visit the [Proposed Biomedical Research Complex](#) website to review the [May 18 presentation](#) made to the Board of Trustees. The website also includes a [Status and FAQ](#) page where project updates will continue to be shared. Please note the question/feedback opportunity, as we would like to hear from you. Later this summer we will hold a series of Listening Meetings to present project progress, review feedback and begin to share our thoughts on the new building space selection process.

Thank you for your support of and interest in this important project for the College and the University.

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