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A Gene That Could Help Explain Why Lithium Stabilizes Mood

The Atlantic | Ben Cheyette, PhD, discusses his discovery of a gene mutation linked with brain development that may dispose people to multiple forms of psychiatric disease, and why mice with this mutation responded well to lithium.

SF Ghost-Pepper Burger Yields 1-Inch Esophagus Tear

SFGate | Craig Smollin, MD, published a case study of a UCSF patient whose encounter with one of the world’s hottest peppers led to a 23-day hospital stay.

Campus Announcements

Water Quality: UCSF continues to voluntarily test lead levels in the drinking water on campus. See the latest water testing results from pilot testing at UCSF Medical Center »

Flu Shots Still Available: Faculty, staff, students and volunteers with UCSF identification may visit Occupational Health's drop-in clinics to receive a flu shot. Find the times, locations of clinics »

Compliance Week: UCSF is providing tools and activities to help all faculty, staff and students understand their role in compliance. See the full lineup of events »

Upcoming Events

Food & Addiction: Environment, Policy, and Individual Factors

Oct. 27 | Laurel Heights

The True Story of Insulin: Film Screening and Panel Discussion

Oct. 27 | Mission Bay

SON Global Health Speaker Series: Committing for the Long-Haul

Nov. 2 | Parnassus

Bay Area Science Festival

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