

We are pleased to announce that Dr. Rochelle Dicker is the recipient of the prestigious *2021 American College of Surgeons/Pfizer Domestic Surgical Volunteerism Award* “for her efforts to develop firearm injury prevention education, support for victims of firearm violence, and advocacy for firearm injury reduction-based legislation, particularly through the San Francisco Wraparound Project.” The ACS/Pfizer Surgical Volunteerism Awards recognize ACS members who are committed to giving back to society through significant contributions to surgical care as volunteers.

Dr. Dicker serves as Professor of Surgery and Anesthesiology, Vice Chair for Critical Care for the Department of Surgery, Chief of Trauma and Emergency Surgery, UCLA Health Medical Director of Trauma Services and co-Director of the Program for the Advancement of Surgery Equity (PASE). Dr. Dicker is also the Co-Director of the Health Equity and Translational Social Sciences Theme for the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA.

Please join me in congratulating Dr. Dicker on receiving this well-deserved award.

Sincerely,

O. Joe Hines, MD
Interim Chair

