

*The Covid-19 pandemic has had a tremendous impact on our campus and community. The people of UK Facilities Management remain the “boots on the ground” for UK, providing the essential services needed to keep our campus safe, secure, and positioned to respond to the evolving crisis. The strength each of you demonstrate daily is inspiring and represents such courage and compassion. We are in this together and we will get through it together. **Thank you for everything you do.** – Mary Vosevich, Vice President for Facilities Management*

OUR PEOPLE. ————— OUR STORIES.

UK HealthCare has created a video celebrating the diversity of their staff and patients. The video will be shown at all new employee and physician orientations. It is a powerful testament to who we are and it features two of our **Medical Center Facilities Management** professionals. In the screenshot at left below, **Carlos Cooper, Custodial Superintendent**, is pictured standing to the left of Tukea Talbert, UK HealthCare’s Chief Diversity Officer. **Dieuseul Philizaire, from the Med Center Maintenance group** is also featured in the video (below right). The video is available [online here](#) and we encourage you to take the time to watch and to have pride in the amazing community that is the University of Kentucky.



UK Recycling, working in close partnership with **Roberta Young** and her custodial team at W.T. Young Library, is piloting a new waste diversion effort. The program combines new signage and graphics in key locations, with slight changes to waste collection practices, and our existing composting efforts to capture brown paper towels to include with the food waste we send to the College of Agriculture’s composting facility in Woodford County. The effort is part of the University’s push to recycle, reuse, and compost at least half of the waste produced on campus.



PROTECT. RESPECT. DO YOUR PART.



WEAR A MASK



WASH YOUR HANDS



PHYSICAL DISTANCE



DAILY SCREENING

