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Upstate Medical University President Danielle Laraque-Arena, MD, FAAP, issued the following statement in the wake of Sunday's shooting in Las Vegas that has killed 59 people and injured more than 500:

"The tragedy of Las Vegas has left all of us with profound sadness. The heartbreak and horror of this event will be with us always. Unfortunately, events like this seem too commonplace today and we must gather the will and the means to prevent such tragedies in the future. As we go forward, let us remember those who lost their lives as well as those who time and time again risk their lives to help others, and in their memory let us be more united in our care and concern for each other."

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