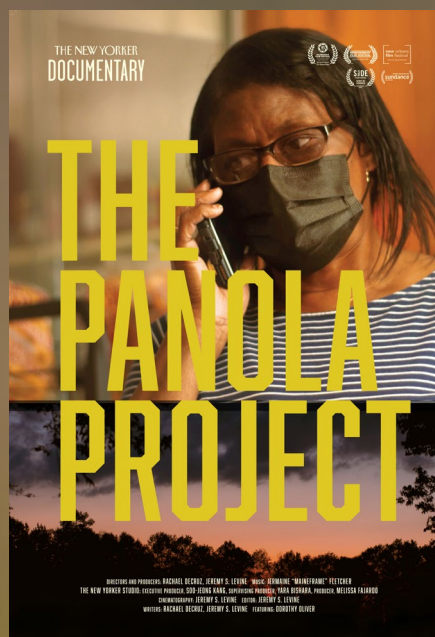


IN CELEBRATION OF BLACK HISTORY MONTH

With the screening of *The Panola Project*, a story of hope about the pandemic, by Emmy-award winning filmmaker **Jeremy S. Levine**. Following the screening, there will be a talk back with Levine, **Rachael DeCruz**, the film's co-director, and Dorothy Oliver, the film's subject. The afternoon's moderator is **Shoshana Madmoni-Gerber**, associate professor, Communication, Journalism, & Media Department, Suffolk University.

Thursday, February 24, 2022
at 12:30 - 1:45 pm Live via Zoom Webinar

This event is free and open to the public.



The Panola Project chronicles the journey of the unstoppable Dorothy Oliver to vaccinate her rural, Black town of Panola, Alabama from the convenience store she runs out of a mobile home. Nearly 99% of adults in her town have received the shot in a state with one of the lowest vaccination rates in the country. *The Panola Project* illuminates how an often-overlooked rural Black community comes together in creative ways to survive.

"Seeing Dorothy Oliver bring vaccines to her town and persuade people to take them in this short film is extraordinary and beautiful."

— **ATUL GAWANDE, STAFF WRITER AT THE NEW YORKER**

"What an extraordinary accomplishment Dorothy."

— **DR. ANTHONY FAUCI**

Learn more about:



Dorothy Oliver



Jeremy Levine



Rachael DeCruz



Shoshana Madmoni-Gerber
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