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America's Frontline Doctors Team Up With Project Veritas | The Intercept

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The anti-vaccine propaganda group America's Frontline Doctors has partnered with Project Veritas, the far-right group known for deceptively editing videos of its undercover operations, on a video series called "Doc Tracy: Physician Investigator." The series appears to be aimed at harassing medical regulators and spreading Covid-19 pandemic disinformation.

The series stars Christopher Rake, a former anesthesiologist at UCLA Health. "I'm willing to lose everything — job, paycheck, freedom, even my life for this cause," he said in a video he recorded of himself as UCLA staff escorted him out of the medical facility where he worked in October for refusing to take the Covid-19 vaccine. He's the founder of the anti-vaccine group Citizens United for Freedom. In a crowdfunding campaign for his group, he wrote, "I'm a physician, a follower of Jesus, and a patriot who lost his job because I stood up for freedom."

A trailer for the "Doc Tracy" video series — which the group released on January 29 to its more than 400,000 Twitter followers, its over 200,000 Telegram channel subscribers, and on its email newsletter — includes a few seconds of Kristina Lawson, president of California's medical board, being accosted in a parking garage.

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