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HIGHLIGHTS

CONGRATS TO OUR FUTURE STROKE FELLOWS JACKIE AND JYOTI! WE ARE SO EXCITED TO KEEP THEM HERE AT NORTHWESTERN!



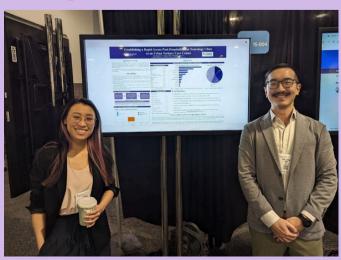












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1STPLACE: DR. KIMCHI

LAST PLACE: EMILY CASALETTO (PGY-1)



PET OF THE MONTH: FENDI

Owner: Jyoti (PGY-3)





























The Eclipse







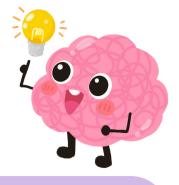


KUDOS!



- -Kudos to **Allen Barnett (PGY-3)** for going the extra mile to ensure out medical plans are wrapped up and safe discharges are carried out for our complex patients, even past 5pm! Dan Jia (fellow)
- -Kudos to **ED nurse Dora!** She had a great attitude and was incredibly helpful during a stroke code and during patient transport to the IR suite even when the care plan was in flux. She was very patient and eager to help! -Tara (PGY-2)
- -Kudos to **Matt Yanker (NSICU APP)** for overhearing nurse Meghan mention to her patient that she was going to look for a colleague to help with a clean up, and then Matt getting up from the table and immediately walking over to offer his help. That was very endearing to witness. -Jillian (NSICU charge)
- -Kudos to **10W charge Antonia Sakolari** for sending pages to inform residents on the arrival of incoming transfers so that we can more easily anticipate ETA of patients and prepare in advance for their admission -Jen Fokas (PGY-3)
- -Kudos to **Jen Fokas (PGY-3)** for helping me out on a busy Saturday, even going out of her way to talk to rads about a tricky report! -Adriana (PYG-2)

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- -Kudos to **James Hammock (psych PGY-1)** for going above and beyond on consults to ensure his patient's care was expedited as much as possible, such as doing an MRI safety sheet in Prentice with family after hours. -Jen, Jamie, Tara
- -Kudos to Adriana Sari (PGY-2) and Jyoti Grewal (PGY-3)-I have been working with them this week, and they are outstanding residents! -Dr. Kalb
- -Kudos to 2nd year medical student and hopefully future neuron **Isabelle Kang (MS2)** for her abstract/poster at AAN on the impact of medication interactions on DaTscan results! -Dr. Bega
- -Kudos to **Jen Fokas (PGY-3)** I think Jen did an excellent job during her gen neuro rotation as senior. She communicated exceptionally well with everyone, demonstrated great bedside manner, and is extremely bright. She was a pleasure to work with. -Gen Neuro APPs
- -Kudos to **Karl (PGY-3)** for maintaining the perfect balance between giving juniors autonomy in patient care and being team player and stepping in when needed. As always, he was great to work with. -Theja (PGY-2)

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-Kudos to **Ryan (PGY-4)** for being a great senior on a very busy set of nights! He still made time to run through detailed, broad differentials and plans for patients when I staffed with him. He's also very thoughtful and considerate of patients. He went out of his way to discharge a patient on nights whose family really wanted to get her home.

-Theja (PGY-2)

-Kudos to **Jackie and Jyoti (PGY-3's)** on their vascular neurology match! - Courtney [PGY-2]

DID YOU KNOW THAT MAY IS

STROKE
AWARENESS
MONTH?