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Chief Residents 2024-2025



Congratulations to **Jen Fokas** (Academic), **Jyoti Grewal** (Administrative), and **Karl Guo** (Career Development/QI) for being selected as Chief Residents for the 2024-2025 Academic Year!

Thank you to **Ryan Donaghy**, **Brian Liu**, and **Jasmine May** for their time and dedication to the program as Chief Residents for the 2023-2024 Academic Year!

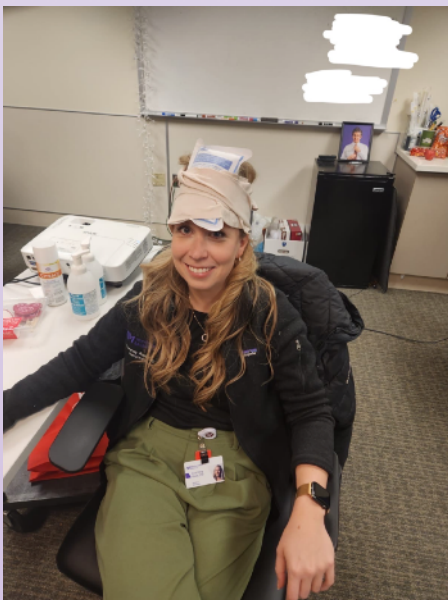
Wellness Liaison

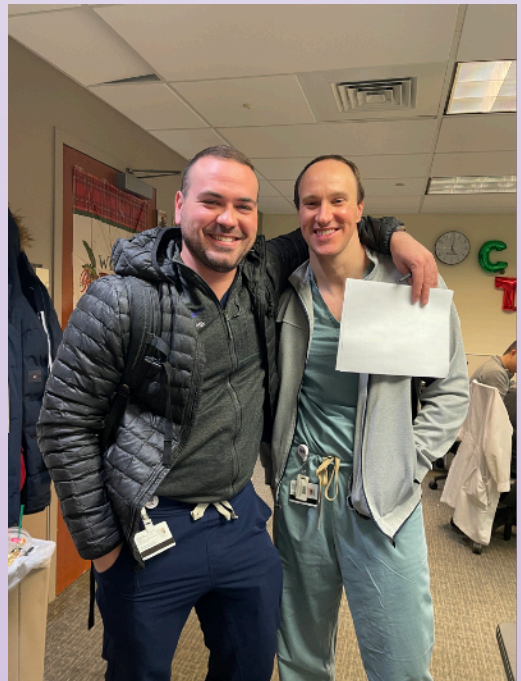


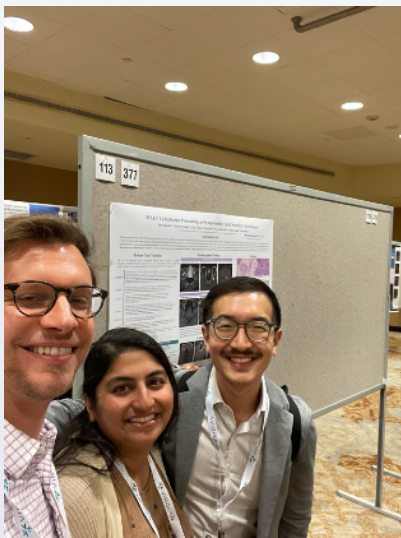
Congratulation to **Courtney Raab** (PGY2) for being selected as the new Wellness Liaison!

Wellness Retreat!









Dr. Driss at the White House for a documentary for one of her patients!



Kudos

Kudos to **Jyoti Grewal (PGY3)** for staying late and supervising an LP on the stroke service for a junior in need! - Meghana Shownkeen (PGY2)

Kudos to **Tara Gill (PGY2)** for being an excellent communicator even when super busy and to **Allen Barnett (PGY3)** for inspiring juniors and leading them to greatness - Dr. Dixit

Kudos to **Jamie Cooper (PGY2)** and **Jackie Leong (PGY3)** for their hard work overnight assessing some seizing patients. They did a great job and were thorough and quick to action - Dr. VanHaerents

Kudos to **Jamie Cooper (PGY2)** for handling herself very maturely in a difficult situation and finding a way to do the best thing for your patient - Dr. Bega

Kudos to **Hannah Kim (PGY2)** for always being willing to help even with a late in the day LP for a patient being admitted to our service. Thank you for being a great team player! - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos to **Katie Faus (APP)** for going above and beyond to help communicate with families and facilitate patient care even before rounds - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos to **Eric Kramer (Specimen Receiving)** for spending hours ensuring all of our CSF was run for a patient and calculating out how much fluid we were using for various tests - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos to **Dr. Harris (Neuromuscular fellow)** and **Dr. Seth** for being considered a "rocket scientist" by one of our patients and drawing a complex schematic of their expected treatment course that helped reassure the patient that he was in good hands - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos Continued

Kudos to **Adriana Sari (PGY2)** for her careful attention to detail and ensuring no aspects of her patient's care are missed! Her discharges are flawless - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos to **Dr. Brooker (Movement Fellow)** and **Dr. Bega** for helping us get treatment of Wilson's disease in motion in the inpatient setting with their swift evaluation and coordination with the hepatology team! - Jen Fokas (PGY3)

Kudos to **Jamie Cooper (PGY2)** who received a DTN award for treating an acute stroke patient within 18 minutes of arrival to our ED (nearly breaking out institutional record of 17 min!) She also received accolades from the patient, family and ED colleagues for her excellent bedside manners and teamwork. Great work, Jamie!! - Dr. Caprio and the NMH Stroke Team

Kudos to **Jasmine May (PGY4)** and **Jackie Leong (PGY3)** for handling clinic perfectly and managing to see the a 3rd resident's patients as well as their own when a resident was pulled for back-up. Both 4th floor nurses and I as well as the veterans show utmost gratitude and appreciation. Glad to have them on our team. Excellent job! Thank you for your hard work and dedication to serving our Veterans - VA Clinic Team

Kudos to **Brian Liu (PGY4)** for taking us out of the pagers early and making our day! - Tulsi Malavia (PGY3) and Meghana Shownkeen (PGY2)