

APRIL - MAY 2025

NM NEUROLOGY

WELLNESS

NEWSLETTER



READ THROUGH TO THE END FOR A
SPECIAL FEATURE!

KUDOS TO OUR RESIDENTS



"KUDOS TO EMILY FOR STANDING UP FOR HER PATIENT AND VERY POLITELY CORRECTING A STAFF MEMBER WHO WAS USING THE INCORRECT PRONOUNS. SHE DID THIS IN A VERY RESPECTFUL AND MATURE WAY!" - JYOTI (PGY4)



"KUDOS TO SOFIA FOR IDENTIFYING CONCERNING NON-NEUROLOGIC EXAM FINDINGS ON CONSULTS AND ENCOURAGING THE PRIMARY TEAM TO WORK IT UP!" - MARIA (PGY2)



"KUDOS TO KARL GUO FOR BEING THE RECIPIENT OF THE 2025 SUSAN PERLMAN AWARD! THIS AWARD IS GIVEN EACH YEAR TO A SENIOR RESIDENT AT MCGAW WHO BEST DEMONSTRATES ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE, SPECIAL LEADERSHIP SKILLS, AND COMPASSION FOR PATIENTS" - DR. BEGA



"KUDOS TO SARAH WHO WAS EXTREMELY ENGAGED DURING THE EMU ROTATION AND TOOK REAL OWNERSHIP OF THE CARE OF AN UNEXPECTEDLY COMPLICATED CASE. SHE WAS GENTLE, THOROUGH, AND CONSCIENTIOUS AT THE BEDSIDE." - DR. GURURANGAN



"SHOUT OUT TO KEVIN FOR BEING A CHAMP ON A BUSY NIGHT — WE HAD 6 NEW (MANY URGENT/EMERGENT) CONSULTS AND 3 ACTIVE FLOOR PATIENTS WITHIN THE SPAN OF 2.5 HOURS AND KEVIN WAS CALM, EFFICIENT, AND MADE ALL THE RIGHT DECISIONS FOR PATIENT CARE TO KEEP THEM SAFE WHILE WE WERE SPLIT UP DEALING WITH THESE EMERGENCIES" - THEJA (PGY3)



"KUDOS TO CHARLIE FOR HELPING EXPEDITE PATIENT CARE BY DOING A NON-URGENT LP OVER THE WEEKEND" - MEGHANA (PGY3)



"KUDOS TO ALEX GOUGH FOR BEING SO RESPONSIVE AND CARING ABOUT US SO MUCH! HE TOOK CARE OF AN ANNOYING REQUEST THE SAME DAY, WITHIN HOURS, WHEN HE REALLY DIDN'T HAVE TO GO OUT OF HIS WAY TO DO SO! HIS DEDICATION TO US IS SO APPRECIATED!" - JYOTI (PGY4)

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"KUDOS TO NAOMI FOR TAKING A LATE CONSULT FROM THE DAY TEAM!!! TEAM PLAYER!" - JYOTI (PGY4)



"SHOUT OUT TO KARL WHO HAS TAKEN ON SO MANY QUALITY INITIATIVES FROM CLINICAL DOCUMENTATION TO STREAMLINING OUR ED BOARDER CARE PATIENTS. HE HAS BEEN A WONDERFUL PARTNER IN ALL THESE PROJECTS - HIS WORK ETHIC AND COLLABORATIVE NATURE HAVE BEEN WONDERFUL TO WORK WITH, I APPRECIATE HAVING SUCH AN AMAZING RESIDENT TO PARTNER WITH!" - RENEE (APP)



"SHOUT OUT TO EMILY FOR ALWAYS CIRCLING BACK WITH THE PATIENT TO ASK MORE QUESTIONS IF NEEDED, RE-EXAMINE, AND UPDATE THEM OF THE PLAN. SHE ALWAYS GOES THE EXTRA MILE!" - THEJA (PGY3)



"KUDOS TO EMMANUEL FOR COVERING (AND MEGHANA FOR OFFERING TO HELP!) SOME ACADEMIC DUTIES WHILE I AM STILL ON SERVICE! THEIR WILLINGNESS TO HELP IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!" - JYOTI (PGY4)



"KUDOS TO HEATHER AND BARRY (PEDS NEURO) FOR BEING GREAT TEACHERS AT LURIES!" - MEGHANA (PGY3)

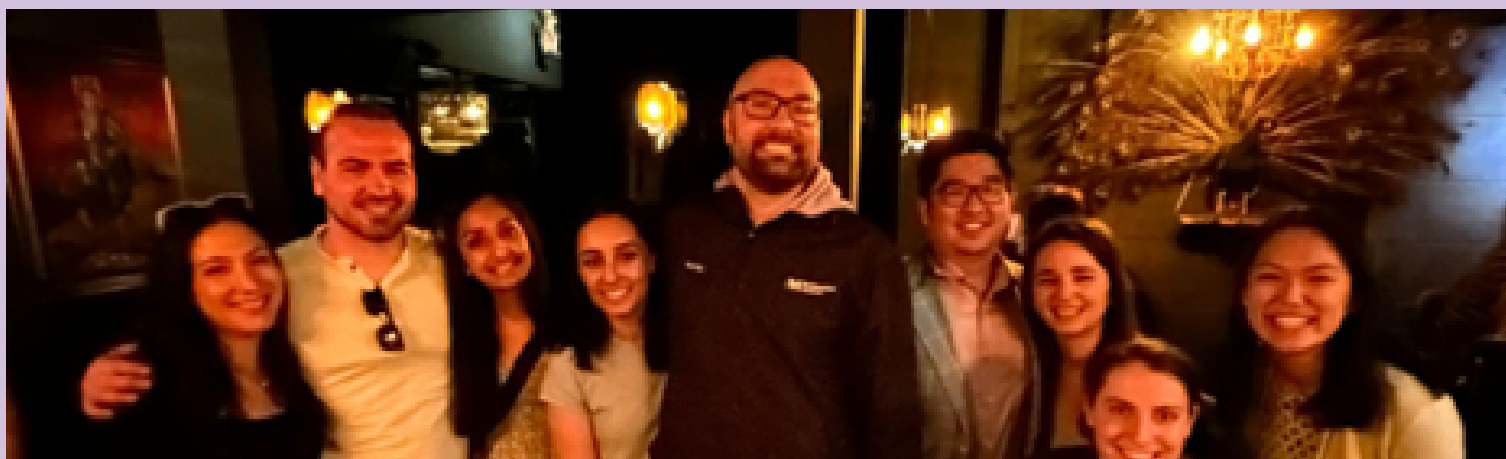


"KUDOS TO COURTNEY RAAB FOR ALL OF HER EXCELLENT HARD WORK PUTTING TOGETHER THE 2025-26 ROTATION SCHEDULE!" - DR. BEGA

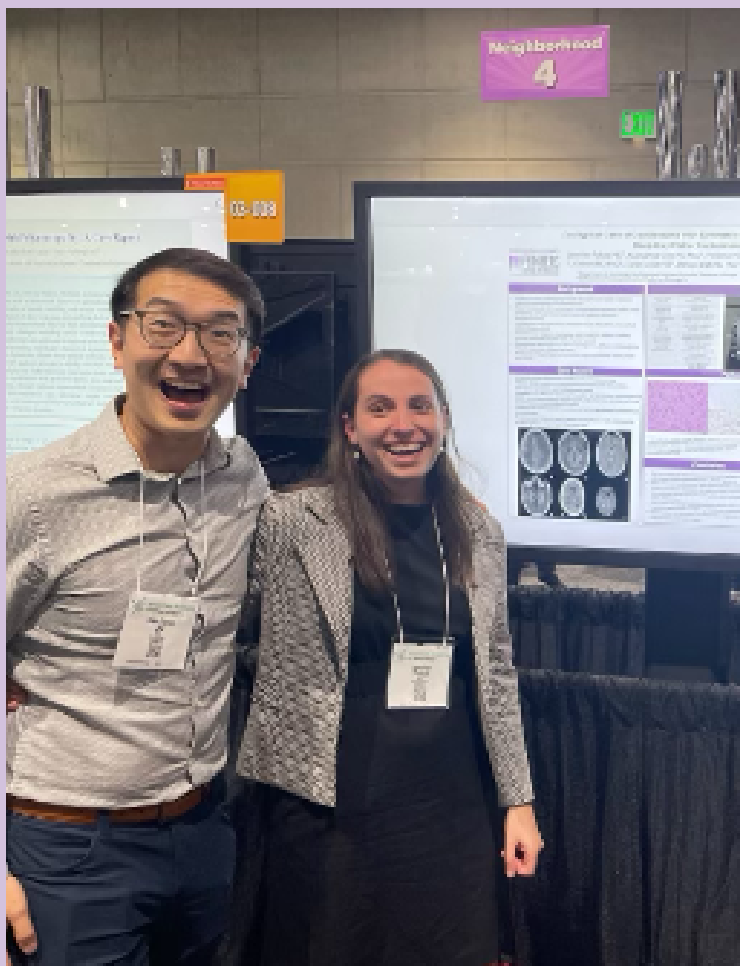


"KUDOS TO LAUREN RYBKA FOR GOING OUT OF HER WAY TO ADVOCATE FOR A PATIENT AND ENSURE HE HAD A SAFE HOME ENVIRONMENT TO RETURN TO. HER CARE AND RESPECT FOR PATIENTS IS INSPIRING!" - JYOTI (PGY4)

RESIDENTS AT AAN...



... AND MORE RESIDENTS AT AAN ...



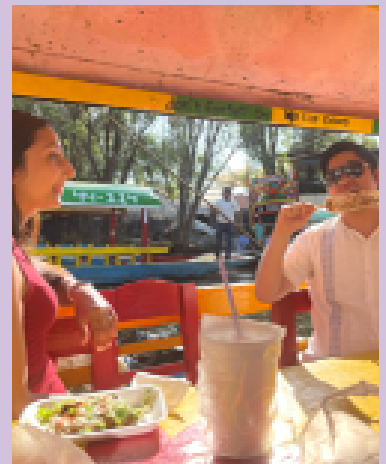
... AND EVEN MORE RESIDENTS AT AAN



FOURTH YEAR CLASS TRIP TO MEXICO CITY



SO MANY MEMORIES SO MANY LOCATIONS



MORE AND MORE FUN IN MEXICO CITY



SYNAPSE FAMILY GATHERING



WE ARE EXCITED FOR OUR NEW
PGY1S TO JOIN SYNAPSE
FAMILIES IN SUMMER 2025

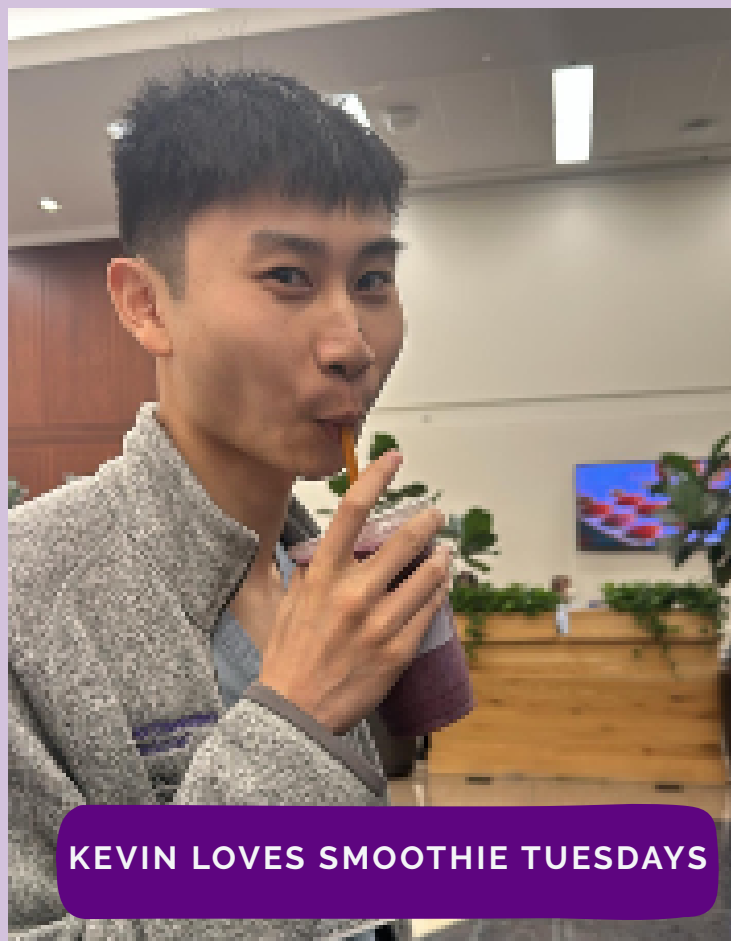
RESIDENTS (MOSTLY) AT WORK



RESIDENTS STILL (MOSTLY) AT WORK



MORE OF OUR HARDWORKING RESIDENTS



MENTOR - MENTEE MIXER



OTHER SPECIAL MOMENTS



RESIDENT WEDDINGS



CONGRATS SARAH (PGY2) AND JONATHAN!



CONGRATS TARA (PGY3) AND OREN!

PLANTS OF THE MONTH



SPECIAL FEATURE STEVEN (PGY2)