

Thank you to: LLUHEC Residents

Dear LLUHEC Residents and Fellows, Seeing you all step up this past year during the Pandemic reminded me how fortunate I am to get to work with Residents every day! You ARE ALL an inspiration and without your hard work, dedication, and grit, Loma Linda University Health would not be the same. From the bottom of my heart, I thank each and every one of you for what you do, day in and day out. Happy Thank a Resident Day

From: Justin Kerstetter, Graduate Medical Education Office





Thank you to: Diamreyan Ochuko, PEDIATRICS

Ochuko! I just wanted to thank you so much for looking out for me when I was on Newborn Nursery & for all the great advice you give! I really appreciate the encouragement that you offered when I talked to you about my plans for residency. We need more great mentors like you!





Thank you to: Hira Haq, PEDIATRICS

Hira! Omg I hope you are doing well! I really appreciate you and Steven for helping me survive my sub-I on team B. You are truly an inspiration from the way you care for patients, and the rest of the team. I hope that when I start residency I can be just like you!





Thank you to: Candace LeFlame, PEDIATRICS

Candace! You are truly one of my favorite residents. You have such a great spirit and you are really fun to be around. Thank you so much for all of the teaching and the encouragement and for just being you!





Thank you to: Cynthia Olatunji, PEDIATRICS

Hi Cynthia. I hope that you are doing well. I just wanted to tell you that I really think you are doing a great job & I really enjoyed my time working with you. I remember when we were on nights, and you had to deal with the Mom who kept wanting the nurse to page because she was concerned her daughter was having a seizure. That was a tough time, but you showed me how to handle a difficult situation with grace. Again, thank you & I hope your family is doing well!





Thank you to: Kristofer Vance, PEDIATRICS

Vance! What can I say. I've learned so much from you each time that I work with you and I can tell that you really care about educating us. I appreciate all of the knowledge and advice you share!





Thank you to: Brittany Chow, PEDIATRICS

Brittany! You are by far one of the kindest people I have ever worked with. I really appreciate how you cared for Neera and I when we were on PICU. Even when we had the tough NAT cases; I could always count on you to check in on us and see how we are doing. I know you are going to be amazing at Forensic Pediatrics & I wanted to let you know that you are doing an amazing job!





Thank you to: Shivani Patel, PEDIATRICS

Shivani! Being on nights was such an enjoyable experience with you and Alfonso. You are really created a safe environment for AJ and I to learn, ask questions, and present our ideas. I wanted you to know that I think you are doing an amazing job!





Thank you to: Daniel Dobroskay, PEDIATRICS

Hi Daniel. I'm not sure if you remember me but I was your MS1 when you were a MS3 on OB/Gyn. Fast forward a couple of years, and I was the sub-I student that kept paging you and Diane when you guys were on ID! Thank you so much for always responding to my questions and for not getting annoyed with me. We definitely need more residents like you!





Thank you to: Lexi Barajas Terrones, PEDIATRICS

Dear Lexi, Thank you for all the hard work and dedication you've shown with the patients. You're a great teacher to our interns and students. Keep it up!

From: Pediatrics Residency Program





Thank you to: Chelsey Bithell, PEDIATRICS

Chelsey - thank you for always providing excellent, thoughtful care to your wards patients!





Thank you to: Liana Apolis, PEDIATRICS

Liana - Thank you for always providing thoughtful and diligent care to your wards patients with a positive attitude!





Thank you to: Carolyn Ferlic, PEDIATRICS

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Thank you to: Diane Kelly, PEDIATRICS

Diane - Thank you for your hard work and diligence as WAMO, ensuring our patients are safe not just on admission but well after they arrive too!





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Thank you to: Arvy Wuysang, PEDIATRICS

Arvy - Thank you for always providing thoughtful, diligent care to our patients! It has been a pleasure to see you grow your clinical skills and bedside manner.





Thank you to: Eric Allen, PEDIATRICS

Hi Eric! I want to say thank you for being such a wonderful resident. You have such a great attitude and I know there's a good chance i'll be laughing when you come in. Thanks for saving the little humans lives. I'm so glad you're a part of our family here.





Thank you to: Midian Ambo, PEDIATRICS

Hi Midian! Thank you for being such a great resident. Although I haven't seen you come into the office much lately, I know you're working hard. I hope I get to see your wonderful smile soon! I'm so glad you're a part of our family.





Thank you to: Liana Apolis, PEDIATRICS

Hi Liana! Thank you for being a wonderful resident and dedicating your career to helping and saving the little humans lives. You are so sweet and always show a smile on your face. I'm so glad you're a part of our pediatric family.





Thank you to: Suraj Batish, PEDIATRICS

Hi Suraj! Thank you for being a wonderful resident. I'm so glad that you have been a part of our residency program and family. I know you're probably excited to be moving on from here and onto the next step of your career. The little kiddos will be lucky to have you as their doctor!





Thank you to: Alexis Barajas Terrones, PEDIATRICS

Hi Lexi! Thank you for being such a wonderful resident. I love your colorful scrubs that you wear. Sometimes seeing all those gray, black, and blue scrubs can be dull. Just kidding. I'm so grateful that you are a part of our pediatric family. Thanks for dedicating your career to saving and helping the little kiddos' lives.





Thank you to: Chelsey Bithell, PEDIATRICS

Hi Chelsey! I'm so glad you were matched to our program. It's been so nice having you here knowing that you're growing as a physician. Thank you for dedicating your career to helping and saving the little kiddos' lives. I hope your meal planning is going well. If not ... junk food is wonderful too and I full support that.





Appreciate all of you

From: Pediatric Nephrology Team, Pediatrics





Thank you to all the residents you rotate on the PICU rotation. Your dedication to the children and their families makes a impact on their lives. You are an integral part of the care of the division. We appreciate the empathy and compassion you show to children who are critically ill.

From: Cynthia Tinsley on behalf of the Division of Pediatric Critical Care, PICU





Thank you to: Julianne Bullock, PEDIATRICS

Hi Julianne! Thank you for being such a wonderful resident. I'm so glad you're part of our program. You're such a sweet person, and I know those kiddos are in good hands with you.





Thank you to: Jhoanne Cana, PEDIATRICS

Jo! Thank you so much for being such a wonderful resident. I love it when i see you in the office from time to time! Even though you were included in my Women Physician's day, yes, one day I know i'll say you're one of my favorite attendings. Thank you for all you do. I'm so glad you're part of this pediatric family!





Thank you to: Brittany Chow, PEDIATRICS

Hi BrittBritt! You are the cutest, sweetest, person ever. I love seeing you around, and I'm so glad you're part of our family here. You're such a joy to be around. Thank you for everything you do!!





Thank you to: Peter Chun, PEDIATRICS

Hi Peter! I'm so glad you joined our residency family here. You've been doing a great job, and I know you'll continue to be a great physician. Thank you for everything that you do for the kiddos.





Thank you to: Tina Cifuentes, PEDIATRICS

Hi Tina! I'm so glad that you joined the pediatric family! You're such a wonderful person to see, and I love seeing the pictures of your baby! Thank you for everything you do. You're amazing!





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Hi Robbie! Thank you for being such a wonderful resident. You have been doing an amazing job, and I know you'll continue to grow. Thank you for having such a great spirit whenever you come into the office. I know all those little kiddos are in good hands with you as their physician.





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From: Kyshani Thomas, SACHS Pediatrics





Thank you to: Sprina Shen, PEDIATRICS

Dr. Shen, Just a little note to say Thank you for all you do! You are appreciated more than you know.

From: Maribel Garcia LVN, SAC Health System Pediatric Department





Thank you to: Allyssa Dann, PEDIATRICS

Thank you so much for a wonderful senior. The amount of care and support that you showed the team was amazing. :)

From: Andrew Yoo, Pediatric





To all our amazing pediatric residents: Thank you for all that you do for the children in our region! Your tireless, thoughtful care truly counts in keeping these children healthy so they can live to their full potential in all aspects (physical, mental, emotional and spiritual). Keep up the good work and keep advocating for this vulnerable population!

From: Wonha Kim, Pediatric





Thank you to the General Pediatrics Residents! I am always inspired by their resilience this past year and their dedication to learning, teaching, and excellent patient care! Couldn't ask for a better group of residents to spend time with in clinic at SAC!

From: Cindy Sihotang, General Pediatrics





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From: Cindy Sihotang, General Pediatrics





Thank you to: Eric Allen, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Eric for always having a great attitude and always smiling. Also for working hard in order to provide great care to our pediatric patients! You are awesome.





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Thank you to: Chelsey Bithell, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Chelsey for working so hard! We see all your efforts!!! You're so great and we appreciate all you do!





Thank you to: Liana Apolis, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Liana for providing such great care for your patients and for always being so positive. You're awesome and appreciate you!





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Thank you to: Dr. Smith, PEDIATRICS

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From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Dr. Shen, PEDIATRICS

You already know your amazing! Your one of a kind my friend. Never change!! Thanks for your energetic personality it makes my day!!

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Dr. Chow, PEDIATRICS

You are an absolute pleasure to work with!! Your hugs are the best!

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Dr. Phillips, PEDIATRICS

Thank you for your amazing sense of humor! You put a smile on my face and I appreciate that!!! You are the best!!!

From: Gadira Graciano, Pediatrics





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Anh, thank you for always being so sweet and positive! We also appreciate you and your family joining our virtual evening sessions with applicants!





Thank you to: Kris Roxas, PEDIATRICS

Kris, thank you for the care that you provide to our peds patients! We are grateful you are part of our program!





Thank you to: Genesis Zamora, PEDIATRICS

Genesis, thank you for taking great care of your patients! We appreciate you!





Thank you to: Tina Cifuentes, PEDIATRICS

Tina, you amaze us with how you balance being a mom and being a great doctor! You make it look easy!





Thank you to: Carolina Olavarry, PEDIATRICS

Carolina, thank you for taking great care of your patients! We are glad to have you in the program!





Thank you to: Krystal De La Rosa, PEDIATRICS

Krystal, thank you for the care you provide to your patients! We are grateful to have you in the peds fam!





Thank you to: Menaga Shanmugam, PEDIATRICS

Menaga, thank you for taking great care of your patients! We are blessed to have you in our program!





Thank you to: Lina Costanzo, PEDIATRICS

Lina, thank you so much for the great care you provide patients and their families!





Thank you to: Kaivan Dadachanji, PEDIATRICS

Hi Kai! Thank you for being such a wonderful person. You really are a great resident and I'm so glad you're part of our family here. You bring such a wonderful spirit into the office whenever you walk in, and after such a crazy year we all can use that. You're amazing and I know you've been working so hard. Thanks for dedicating your career to saving the little ones.





Thank you to: Alexander Dang, PEDIATRICS

Hi Alex! You are such a great resident, and I'm so glad you are part of our pediatric family here. It's been a pretty rough past year, but I know you've been working hard, doing everything you can to help and save the little kiddos. All the hard work doesn't go unnoticed. I know the kids are in great hands with you as their doctor.





Thank you to: Allyssa Dann, PEDIATRICS

Hi Llyssa! There's no question that you're a great physician. I see so much leadership qualities in you and we are blessed to have you in our pediatric family. You are so creative, friendly, and empathetic and it doesn't go unnoticed. You are so caring and I know that the kids and their families are in good hands with you. Additionally, the residents will be in great hands with you and your co-chiefs next academic year.





Thank you to: Maryann Davies, PEDIATRICS

Hi Maryann! I'm so glad that I was able to see you more often this year. You're such a sweet person, and so caring. You're a wonderful part of our peds family, and a great leader. The kiddos are in wonderful hands under your care.





Thank you to: Christopher Day, PEDIATRICS

Hi Chris! You did such a wonderful job helping us with interview season. I know those candidates enjoyed talking to you residents and getting perspective from you. Thank you for all your hard work that you've been doing as a resident. I know that it's not always smooth, and the past year has been a world of chaos, but I know those kids have been getting wonderful care from you and your peers.





Thank you to: Krystal De La Rosa, PEDIATRICS

Hi Krystal! I know that you hit the ground running as soon as your started intern year due to COVID-19. You've been working so hard and it hasn't gone unnoticed. I'm so glad you joined our pediatric residency family.





Thank you to: Serena Luong, PEDIATRICS

Serena, thank you so much for your positive attitude and being willing to cover shifts during COVID!





Thank you to: Ochuko Diamreyan, PEDIATRICS

Ochuko! You have such a wonderful addition to our family here. I can tell you've been growing as a physician since day 1 and i know you'll continue to flourish. You're so insightful, caring, empathetic, and wonderful to talk to. Thank you for letting me pick out your pizza for you. I just want you to eat more...one pizza isn't enough, Ochuko.





Thank you to: Daniel Dobroskay, PEDIATRICS

Hi Dan! Congratulations on the baby!! How exciting! I can't say how grateful I am that you and your peers accepted me into the pediatric family so quickly. It's made this job a lot easier. That, and the fact that I see you all working so hard day after day, night after night. It's truly inspirational, and I know that the residents will have a great leader like you and your co-chiefs. Thank you for all you do!





Thank you to: Heidi Duarte, PEDIATRICS

Hi Heidi! Thank you for working so hard. I know that intern year hasn't been super easy with all the COVID-19, and changes going on, but you've been helping save so many lives. I can't thank you enough for dedicating your life to doing this. You're amazing. keep it up!





Thank you to: Dr. Phillips, PEDIATRICS

What can I say your the coolest:) thank you for the catch up conversations and your awesome sense of humor your too funny!! I am going to miss you so much!! Thank you not only for being such an awesome doctor to work with but for also extending your friendship and listening ear to me.

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Dr. Tu, PEDIATRICS

Thank you for being so cool:) going to miss you!

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Michelle Edstrom, PEDIATRICS

Hi Michelle! Thank you for being such a wonderful part of our family here. I know you've been working hard with being a mama and a physician, but you are truly inspirational. I know that COVID-19 has been really rough but all the work you put in day after day, night after night, is changing lives. You're amazing.





Thank you to: Carolyn Fall, PEDIATRICS

Carolyn, you are too cool. I'm so glad to have met you during your residency here. Also, I'm so happy and proud that you matched for fellowship! I can't wait to see what you do in the future, while you save all the kiddos lives. I know that patients are in great hands under your care.





Thank you to: Carolyn Ferlic, PEDIATRICS

Hi Carolyn! Thank you for working so hard during your residency. You've been growing so much as a physician and it's wonderful to witness. Thank you for working extra hard during COVID-19. I know it hasn't been easy but you've been doing such an awesome job. Thank you for everything you do!





Thank you to: Ernest Flores, PEDIATRICS

ERNIE! You have been such a delight to be around. I'm so glad you got to join our peds family. It's been a hard past year, but I can always count on you to make us laugh whenever you come into the office. Congratulations on completing the vegan challenge. I have no idea how you did it after you saw all the cheese pizza we would have, but good for you. You missed out on a lot, but oh well. Being healthy is alright too.





Thank you to: Andrei Florea, PEDIATRICS

Hi Andrei! You're such a wonderful resident and it's so nice to chat with you whenever you stop by. I know you've been working so hard, and it hasn't been easy during COVID-19, but all the hustle is making a huge difference in people's lives. I'm also so glad people here have been helping you by giving you advice and insight into possible specialties that you can go into. Whatever you decide I know you'll thrive in. Thank you for all you do!!





Thank you to: Tanya Gentry, PEDIATRICS

Hi Tanya! Thank you for all the hard work you've been putting in during your intern year. I know you hit the ground running due to COVID-19, but you're doing a wonderful job. Thank you for helping save the lives of the people in our community.





Thank you to: Hira Haq, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Hira for always being so positive and enthusiastic. You're such a hard worker and we appreciate all you do! You're awesome!!!!





Thank you to: Stephanie Hynes, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Stephanie for always going above and beyond in making sure your patient's receive the best care possible. You always seem to end up with the socially difficult patients, but you always handle such stressful situations with such grace. You're awesome and we appreciate all you do!!!





Thank you to: Hira Haq, PEDIATRICS

Hi Hira! Thank you for all your hard work that you put into your job. You are the sweetest person, with the most wonderful personality, and smile. I know that there have been a few medical students who rave about you and have enjoyed being on a team with you. Thank you for all that you do!





Thank you to: Alexander Marshall, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Zander for always providing such great care for your patients and their families!!! You're always so calm in all situations. We appreciate all you do!!!





Thank you to: Andrea Ho, PEDIATRICS

Hi Andrea! Thank you for working hard during your residency here. You're such a wonderful part of our family. Although you don't come by often, it's always so nice to see you! Thank you for working so hard. It doesn't go unnoticed, and it's highly admirable!





Thank you to: Megan Massoud, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Megan for always going above and beyond to make sure your patients and their families receive amazing care. You're such a strong advocate for your patients. Also thanks for always being so positive! You're awesome and we truly appreciate you:)





Thank you to: Michael Min, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Michael for your hard work and going above and beyond for your patients. Also thank you for being such a great team player! We appreciate all you do!





Thank you to: Amanda Munoz, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Amanda for being such a strong advocate for your patients and their families. Also thank you for always being such an amazing team player. Also appreciate you always sharing your wealth of Disney knowledge and coming to so many of our virtual applicant dinners (even when you are on wards)! We appreciate you!!!!





Thank you to: Jane Huang, PEDIATRICS

Hi Jane! Thank you for working so hard! I'm so proud and excited that you got matched for fellowship! I know you'll be a wonderful fellow, and your program will be lucky to have you. You've been such a great advocate for your patients and families and they're in great hands with you as their physician.





Thank you to: Stephanie Hynes, PEDIATRICS

Stephanie! You are the sweetest addition to our family here. Your sweet smile and personality is such a delight to see. I know this year hasn't been easy, but you have been pushing through and I am so proud of you. You are such a great resident, and I can see so many leadership qualities in you. Keep pushing through. You're doing great. Thank you for dedicating your lives to helping save the little humans and being an advocate for the patients and families.





Thank you to: Brian Nguyen, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Brian for always being so positive and a team player! Also thanks for participating in the interview virtual lunches!!!! You're awesome and we appreciate you:)





Thank you to: Cynthia Olatunji, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Cynthia for being a great advocate for your patients! We appreciate you and all you do!





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Thank you Cris for always being so enthusiastic to learn (we love your zoom chat comments during noon conference) and providing awesome care to your patients and their families. You're amazing and we appreciate you!





Thank you to: Kristofer Vance, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Kristofer for your amazing work ethic and for going above and beyond in providing great care for your patients. Thank you also for all your help with the resident interaction committee and for volunteering for the virtual interview dinners. We even appreciate your little sass. You're awesome!!!





Thank you to: Patrick Zacharias, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Patrick for always being so positive and a great team player. You always provide amazing care for your patients and their families. We appreciate all you do!!!





Thank you to: Amarjot Kang, PEDIATRICS

Hi Amar! Thank you for working so hard, especially during this pandemic. I know that it hasn't been easy, but all the hustle you've been doing doesn't go unnoticed. Thanks for all that you do!





Thank you to: Suraj Batish, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Suraj for providing such amazing care to your patients inpatient and outpatient. You're such an amazing clinician! Thank you also for your participation in our interview videos (yes, "baller is life")! We appreciate all you do!





Thank you to: Laurel Kelley, PEDIATRICS

Hi Laurel! You are such a sweet spirited person. You definitely lighten up a room whenever you walk in, and its contagious in the best way possible! I admire your leadership qualities, empathy, and care for your fellow residents, families, and patients. You are amazing, and I'm so glad you are part of our pediatric family!





Thank you to: Julianne Bullock, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Julie for always working so hard and having such a great attitude. Good luck on your endocrine fellowship! CHOC is lucky to have you!





Thank you to: Robert Cole, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Robbie for your amazing work ethic, being a strong advocate for your patients and their families, and always having an amazing attitude. We appreciate all you do!!! You're such an awesome resident.





Thank you to: Allyssa Dann, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Allyssa for being an awesome team player and always going above and beyond to make sure your patients and their families receive the best care possible both inpatient and outpatient. We appreciate your positive attitude. The residents are so lucky to have you as chief resident next year! You are going to do such an amazing job!!! We appreciate all you do Allyssa.





Thank you to: Christopher Day, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Christopher for providing great care to your patients and their families! We appreciate all you do!!!





Thank you to: Diane Kelly, PEDIATRICS

Hi Diane! Thank you for all of your hard work. I know this year has not been easy for anyone, but you've been really pushing through caring for all the patients that need care. It's so admirable and I'm so glad you are a part of our pediatric family here.





Thank you to: Daniel Dobroskay, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Daniel for being such a great team player and all your hard work! Also thank you so much for all your help for interview season and all the time and energy you placed to help with making the amazing video clips! They were so good. The residents are so lucky to have you as chief resident next year!





Thank you to: Carolyn Fall, PEDIATRICS

Thanks Carolyn for your amazing work ethic and for providing such great care for your patients. Good luck in NICU next year! USCD is so lucky to have you:)





Thank you to: Andrea Ho, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Andrea for always working so hard to provide amazing care for your patients. We also appreciate you for sending many submissions of pictures for our chiefs' email. Your stalker photos will be missed when you graduate. We appreciate you and all you have done for the children of the IE during the past 3 years!





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Thank you Jane for always having such an amazing work ethic and providing such great care for your patients. Good luck on your NICU fellowship. CHLA is lucky to have you as a fellow!





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Thank you to: David Lawrence, PEDIATRICS

Thank you David for your positive attitude and your willingness to always help! You're so awesome and we will miss you!





Thank you to: Dr. Diamreyan, PEDIATRICS

Thank you for being so chill to work with! Dr. Diamdhwejhejhw lol

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Victor Mac, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Victor for your hard work in providing great care for your patients and their families. Good luck in your new job!!!





Thank you to: Dr. Calaguas, PEDIATRICS

Thank you for being so amazing with your patients! And for also being an amazing doctor/ friend! Your awesome man!!

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Derek McCalla, PEDIATRICS

Thank you Derek for your amazing work ethic, always going above and beyond for your patients and their families, and for your positive attitude. The residents are so lucky to have you as their chief resident next year! You are going to be amazing!!! We appreciate you and all you have done in these past 3 years and excited to see what lies ahead for you:)





Thank you to: Dr. Marshall, PEDIATRICS

Thank you for being the happiest most cheerful doctor to work with! Awesome vibe Dr. Marshall!!!

From: Wendy Chacon, Pediatrics





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Dear Jane, congratulations on your NICU fellowship. We will definitely miss you this coming year. Wishing you the best! btw you are the greatest POGO player





Thank you to: Kristofer Vance, PEDIATRICS

Dear Kristofer, Its been great having you as my mentee! I just wanted give a shoutout on my appreciation of you. Keep up the good work man!

From: Alex Min, Pediatrics





Thank you to: Christin Tu, PEDIATRICS

Christin, thank you for being so awesome! You're such a pleasure to work with and we all appreciate how much you advocate for your patients. We want to take this opportunity to let you know how special you truly are. You are an excellent clinician and an exemplary senior resident. Keep up the good work!





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From: Tanya Pickett, Med Peds Program Coordinator





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Thank you to: Douglas Wang, PEDIATRICS

Hi Doug! Congratulations on the baby! This is so exciting! I guess you're listening to Diatte's advice: have babies during residency so you can get paternity leave, haha. I know it's been such a crazy year, especially since you're doing both medicine and peds, but I'm so inspired by you and your peers. You all make this job absolutely worth it. I'm so glad you're part of our family here. Thank you for everything you do!





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Hi Kris! You really had to give us a huge scare right at the start of your intern year, huh? Literally started with a huge bang. There was one thing I really admired about you during that time: you stuck it through (even though I don't think you knew what was going on). That spoke volumes to me about you. You're such a hard worker, dedicated, and loyal. I'm so glad you came to Loma Linda and joined our family here. I'm also glad that you haven't had anymore falls. Keep working hard. I promise you, we notice all the dedication. I'm here if you need anything at all. Thank you for all that you do!





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Hi Matt! I'm so glad that you joined our family here. I'm so sorry that i overlooked you that one time ... your height just was... yeah. Haha Just kidding. Thank you for working so hard, especially during this crazy pandemic and with a baby at home. You are doing so great. I'm so proud of you! Thank you for everything that you do!





Thank you to: Victor Mac, PEDIATRICS

Hi Vic! I'm so proud of you. You're almost done with residency! Thank you for working so hard during this pandemic. I know it hasn't been easy, but you're doing an amazing job.





Thank you to: Christin Tu, PEDIATRICS

CHRIS! You are such a wonderful person. Thank you for always coming down to the office ... even though it's mostly for the chiefs and not me. Just kidding. I'm so proud of you. You are such a wonderful leader and being so insightful. I love it when you come by. Thanks for making me your Peds Queen.





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From: Gordon Tan, MD, Pediatrics





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Hi Zander! I'm so glad that you came to our program and got that interview with us last year. You've been a wonderful intern and have been working so hard during the pandemic. Keep it up! I'm so grateful for everything you have been doing





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Hi Steven! I haven't seen you in a bit! I hope you're doing well. I know you are very very busy. I'm so proud of how hard you've been working during your intern year. It's very inspiring and I know you'll continue to grow as a wonderful physician. I'm so glad you're a part of our family here





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Hi Derek! You are such an amazing person! Your uplifting spirit is contagious. You have such wonderful leadership skills, empathy, advocacy, and a caring heart that reflects the character of Jesus. Congrats on being a dad! I know that working hard during COVID with a new baby has been tough, but i'm very proud of you! Thank you for everything you do. I'm so glad you're a part of our family here.





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Hi Roman! Thank you for working so hard during the pandemic. I'm so glad you are a part of our pediatric family here.





Thank you to: Evan Melville, PEDIATRICS

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Thank you to: Tania Michaels, PEDIATRICS

Hi Tania! Thank you for having such an upbeat attitude everytime you come here. You're such nia optimistic person and I highly admire that about you. Thank you for working so hard during this crazy pandemic. I'm so proud of you!





Thank you to: Robin Miller, PEDIATRICS

Hi Robin! I'm so glad you are a part of our pediatric family. Thank you for being such a wonderful resident. I know you'll continue to do great things and be a wonderful little humans doctor.





Thank you to: Michael Min, PEDIATRICS

Hi Michael! I'm so glad you matched to our residency program. I know it's a long ways away from where you did medical school. Just kidding. You've been working so hard during this pandemic and I'm so proud of you. Thank you for all your hard work. I know it's hard being Alex's cousin, but you're really taking it like a champ. I'm so glad you're a part of our family here. If Alex is bothering you, I'll protect you.





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Thank you to: Brian Nguyen, PEDIATRICS

Hi Brian! I'm so glad you came to our program. You are such a funny person, and I wish you'd come by the office more often! Thank you for working so hard. I'm so proud of you.





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Hi my lovely Drew. You're amazing. Thank you for working so hard. I know it hasn't been an easy past month but just push through. Much love to you





Thank you to: Ideen Tabatabai, PEDIATRICS

Hi Ideen! Thank you for working so hard during this crazy pandemic. I have noticed all the effort and dedication and I'm so proud of you. Keep it up!





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From: Dr. DLP





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Thank you to: Ideen Tabatabai, PEDIATRICS

thank-you for being such an empathetic physician who understands what patients experience.





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Thank you to: Vantel Phillips, PEDIATRICS

I just wanted to say thank-you for the blessing you have been to our staff and patients at SACHS. Your dedication to this underserved population is unmatched. Working with you is always a pleasure and we hope that we will be able to woo you back someday soon! Appreciatively, Cathy Tan and the SACHS Pediatrics Team

From: Cathy Tan, Pediatrics





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From: Cathy Tan, Pediatrics





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