



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



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Thank you to: Laurel Guthrie, SURGERY

You are doing a GREAT job as a chief, and I am looking forward to you starting your CGSO fellowship!

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: Kiro Malek, SURGERY

Thank you for all you do for taking care of surgical patients, and the great leadership of your team. You are doing a great job as a Chief.

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: Sara Grossi, SURGERY

You are doing a great job as a Chief! Keep it up.

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: Alicia Teferi, SURGERY

You are doing a great job as a Chief! I know it is not easy. Keep up the good work.

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: Josh Gabel, SURGERY

You are doing a great job as a Chief! Keep it up.

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: David Nelson, SURGERY

You are doing a great job as a Chief! I am looking forward to you representing us well starting next year at MDACC.

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: Laurel Guthrie and Alicia Teferi, SURGERY

To our incredible administrative chief surgery residents. You are a leader among leaders. What a phenomenal job you have done this year and during the pandemic. So proud to have you in our program!

From: Jukes Namm, Surgery



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Thank you to: Kelly Lara, SURGERY

Kelly, you have made our residency program better and we truly appreciate your willingness to step up and help in any way possible during the pandemic. Thank you!

From: Jukes Namm, Surgery



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Thank you to: SURGERY RESIDENTS

Thank you for the amazing job that you do in taking care of surgical patients!!

From: Mark Reeves, Surgery



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Thank you to: SURGERY RESIDENTS

Thank you to our general surgery residents for the incredible dedication and heart they show in their work. It has been an incredible privilege to work with you, especially in the midst of this pandemic. You have shown courage and empathy in the face of uncertainty and loss, and it has been miraculous to witness.

From: Aarth Kannappan, VA General Surgery



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Thank you to: Will Anderson, SURGERY

**thank you for always being happy to help and take excellent care of our patients.
we are incredibly grateful for you**

From: ACS



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Thank you to: Jee Song, SURGERY

You are such a kind hearted and hardworking resident. In addition to being such an excellent physician, you do so much for the medical students you work with and do an excellent job teaching and advocating for them. Thank you for all you do, it does not go unnoticed

From: LLUSOM Students



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Thank you to: Brandon Painter, SURGERY

My week of general surgery at the VA with you was incredible, in no small part due to your enthusiasm, encouragement, feedback, and love of teaching. You're exactly the type of resident that a medical student wishes to work with, and hopes to one day become! Thank you!

From: Ryan Marais, School of Medicine



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Thank you to: Kaitlin Gruenberg, SURGERY

My month of general surgery at the VA with you was incredible, in no small part due to your cheerfulness, encouragement, feedback and love of teaching. You're exactly the type of resident a medical student wants to work with and hopes to one day become! Thank you!

From: Ryan Marais, School of Medicine



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Thank you to: Christopher Khoury, SURGERY

My week of nights on general surgery at the VA with you was incredible, in no small part due to your cheerfulness, encouragement, feedback and love of teaching. You're exactly the type of resident a medical student wants to work with and hopes to one day become! Thank you!

From: Ryan Marais, School of Medicine



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Thank you to: Michael Wilkinson, SURGERY

You rock, dude. Every time I run into you in the hospital, it makes my day. I'm betting your patients feel the same way!

From: Ryan Marais, School of Medicine



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Thank you to: Kiro Malek, SURGERY

Hi Kiro! Thanks for being such a homie to medical students and looking out for us and our learning. It was suuuuper fun working with you (it's been a while but I still remember a lot of the things you taught me).

From: Nat Ng, School of Medicine



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Thank you to: William T Anderson, SURGERY

Thank you for all you do at the hospital for your patients! We greatly appreciate you!

From: Carly Anderson



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Thank you to: SURGERY RESIDENTS

I want to thank the Surgery residents and residency (and faculty) for being such great teamplayers! It was wonderful to see the continued collaboration! Thank you ALL!!

From: Sonny Lee, Internal Medicine Residency



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Thank you to: Kelly Lara (MIS/Bariatric Advanced GI Surgery Fellow), Wanda Lam (Global Surgery Fellow), Audrey Choi (CGSO Fellow), Bill Morano (CGSO Fellow), Laura Goodman (Pediatric Surgery Fellow), Sandeep Jhajj (Vascular Surgery Fellow), Rahul Kar (Vascular Surgery Fellow), SURGERY

Thank you for all that you have done this past year. The past 12 months have been difficult and a huge roller-coaster in our lives. However, your unwavering dedication to patient care, passion for self-improvement, and willingness to teach those around you have been a balm to my soul. Thank you for all that you do. You make my day, each and every one of them. May you continue to be a blessing to those around you, as you have been mine, in the years to come.

From: Esther Yung, Surgery



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Thank you to: Surgery Chief Residents, SURGERY

I could not have asked for a better group of chief residents to lead during this pandemic. You set the bar high for your fellow residents but support them in an incredible way. I am forever indebted to you.

From: Jukes Namm, Surgery



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