

Resident DOCTOR

APPRECIATION WEEK
FEB 10 - 14 2025

Department
of Pediatrics



Resident Doctors Appreciation Week, Feb 10-14 2025



“During Resident Appreciation Week, we want to thank the incredible residents and fellows who truly are the heart and soul of pediatric care. Their dedication, hard work, and passion for children's health inspire us every day. We are deeply grateful for their commitment to learning, growing, and delivering exceptional care to children and families across BC and the Yukon.”

– Melissa Chan and Mia Remington, UBC
Pediatric Program Directors



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Celebrating Dr. Sajine Sathiaselan (R2)!

“Great support throughout bootcamp, so friendly and approachable!”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Sathiaselan...

“Held our (R1s) hands through bootcamp, buddy call, getting used to residency etc. and answered all our dumb panicked questions even when off the clock.”

“This lovely human made our orientation as smooth as humanly possible, answered all of our questions with patience & respect.”



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Celebrating Dr. Selene Chen (R2)!

“She has done a fantastic job welcoming all the new R1s and running bootcamp! Her joyous smile is contagious!”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Chen...

“She is a superstar, and she helped orientate the new R1s and have been such a key component in helping to welcome our new residents.”

“She was an amazing resident bootcamp facilitator!! She really brought her 100% with her tips and presence.”



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Celebrating Dr. Shane Murphy (R2)!

“Shane brings the great vibes wherever he goes. He has an incredible ability for lifting other residents up and making a great culture. Big brains, awesome physician, great support for junior + co learners with teaching and mentorship. He's a gem!”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Murphy...

“Shane is always supporting other co-residents and brings positivity to those around him!”

“Maintains an incredible positive attitude even while working so hard and covering the holidays!”



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Celebrating Dr. Lisa Hackett (R2)!

“Lisa brings everyone together! Her initiative is so inspiring and despite her long commute from the island she is always down to show residents around Vancouver!”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Hackett...

“Lisa is an incredible co-resident! She is always energetic and has a smile on her face! Her Halloween costume was STELLAR!”

“Lisa sets an incredible example of patient advocacy. She is so dedicated to her patients and goes above and beyond in their care.”

“Lisa is a ray of sunshine, always smiling and willing to chat about anything and everything. We love having you around.”



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Celebrating Justina Marianayagam (R3)!

“Justina is the biggest advocate not only for her patients but also for her co-residents!”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Marianayagam...

"Justina is the kind of person who shows up to where you're working at the hospital with a bag of cookies, just because she knew you had a hard week. She is loyal, kind, and such a fun gal to be around!"

"Bumped into Justina bringing cookies to her colleagues during her staycation and checking in on her colleagues to make sure they are doing well with the transition from year 2 to year 3. She is so kind and thoughtful and always taking the time to say hi in the hallways!"

"Justina never fails to show up to work with a smile on her face and makes everyone around her happier. She came in on her day off just to bring cookies to her coresidents which shows how much she cares about everyone and their mental health!"

"She's such a team player and goes above and beyond with little gestures to brighten people's days. You know you can count on her to have your back!"



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Celebrating Dr. Sarah Fletcher (R3)!

“Sarah goes out of her way to make you feel supported. She is truly is so comforting and approachable to learn from. She greets you with a smile on the ward and is an amazing senior. Thanks for being the best, Sarah!!!!
We appreciate you.”

**What our residents are saying about
Dr. Fletcher...**

“Sarah is the kind of person who I KNOW will always be there for my co-rezzies and I when we need it. The whole package, a rock-star, wonderfully astute physician, who is highly compassionate and a great advocate. ”

“Sarah is always wanting to help out her co-residents and has the answer to quite literally any question. She is so caring, and we are so lucky to have her in our program! ”

“Sarah is always such an inspiration for patient advocacy and making sure her patients receive the best care possible. ”

“Sarah is such a warm, friendly presence around the wards, always so kind and makes everyone feel supported and understood.”



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Celebrating Dr. Sean Duke (R4)!

“Honestly one of the best human beings and doctors i have ever met. He is so kind to everyone he meets and has been the best senior.”

What our residents are saying about Dr. Duke...

“Sean is the bestest senior ever! He is kind, caring, and super helpful. He is always checking in with the team, finding ways to make our days easier, and ensuring we are getting the most out of our learning experience. He even spends his own money on Starbs for us every day (RIP his wallet).”

“Any resident or patient is lucky to have him on their team :) Keep being the person you are, Sean!”

“Amazing senior, does just an incredible job of maintaining his cool friendly self throughout busy stressful days. 10/10”



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What our residents are saying about Dr. Lum...

“Made the crazy onboarding process of R1 so much more smooth. Thanks for all your support!!”

“Always there for all the new R1 silly questions however never made them feel silly. If we had a question or needed a resource link, Nancy made a whole slide show about it. Very approachable!”

“Being so freaking incredible during our R1 bootcamp. She is so kind, caring, helpful and fun! She makes all of us feel so supported and at ease. She is super busy studying for her royal college but you would never guess it as she pours into each of us any way she can! We are so grateful for her and cannot wait to see all the great things she does as staff soon!! We love Nancy!!”

Celebrating Dr. Nancy Lum (R4)!

“Supported the new R1s with MANY questions during onboarding/bootcamp, helped us get set up dealing with tech challenges, checked in post-call, etc., just overall very kind and helpful human going above and beyond.”