



The Brooklyn Hospital Center

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Pharmacy Residency Class 2016-2017

Post Graduate Year One Residents:



Shujaat Bhatti- Long Island University, Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy

I was raised in Brooklyn, New York and have a special attachment to this city. I completed my pre-pharmacy studies at Brooklyn College and completed my PharmD at Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy (LIU Pharmacy). When I am not working or reading, I enjoy spending my time with friends and family. Some of my hobbies include watching movies, playing any type of sport (especially handball), exploring new places, and eating. I am ecstatic to continue my pharmacy career as a resident at The Brooklyn Hospital Center. I look forward to learning and working with my team and making a positive impact on patient care.



Katlyn Grossman – University of Pittsburgh

I am from Cleveland, OH and attended pharmacy school at the University of Pittsburgh (Hail to Pitt!). For fun I like hiking, traveling, watching hockey, and trying to pet people's dogs while they're not looking. I'm always looking for new podcasts and happy hour recommendations. This next year I am most excited about getting exposure to some of the specialty ambulatory care clinics at TBHC and getting the opportunity to work with students. I look forward to working with everyone!



Yae-Ji (Emily) Kim – Long Island University, Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy

My name is Emily and I have been working at the Brooklyn Hospital Center for 2 years as an intern and I am excited to stay for another year as a pharmacy resident! I am originally from Korea, but went to a high school in a small town in Colorado. I missed being in a big city, so I decided to move to New York for college. I studied biochemistry at Stony Brook University and later transferred to Long Island University to pursue my pharmacy career. In my spare time I love to bake cookies, do yoga, shop online, explore new restaurants, and tag people in cat and food videos on social media. I am so happy to stay with my TBHC family and look forward to working with all my new co-residents and preceptors.



Keene Saavedra - Medical University of South Carolina

I am proud to call Charleston, SC my hometown. After graduating from Georgetown University's School of Nursing and Health Studies, I decided to pursue a PharmD back home at the Medical University of South Carolina. Aside from pharmacy, I enjoy hanging out with my friends, catching up on the latest movies, playing basketball, watching NBA games, and playing ping pong. For this upcoming residency year, I am excited to grow as an independent clinician and to bond with The Brooklyn Hospital Center Family!



Subin Sunny – Philadelphia College of Pharmacy

I am originally from Westchester, NY and went to pharmacy school at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. In my free time I enjoy playing basketball, going to the gym, reading and going out with friends. I am excited to start my PGY-1 Residency at The Brooklyn Hospital Center and to have a great year along with my co-residents!



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Post Graduate Year Two Ambulatory Care:



Alyssa Gallipani, PharmD, MCPHS University (Boston), PGY-1 Pharmacy resident at Monmouth Medical Center

Although born in Brooklyn, I grew up in Middletown, New Jersey. After spending six amazing years in school in Boston, I am excited for the opportunity to now explore a new city! I completed my PGY-1 at Monmouth Medical Center in Long Branch, New Jersey, just two blocks from the beach. In my spare time, I enjoy lounging on the beach, going to concerts, and trying new food. I also love spending time with my family, including my dog, Boomer. I am excited to complete my PGY-2 in Ambulatory Care at The Brooklyn Hospital Center, and am looking forward to meeting my new co-residents!



Lindsey McIver, PharmD, University of New England College of Pharmacy, PGY-1 Pharmacy Resident at Upstate University Hospital

I am originally from Scotia, New York. Some of my favorite things include music, cooking, being outdoors and anything else fun to do with my friends or family. I am so excited to spend the next year in Brooklyn. I look forward to working with all of you and learning as much as possible throughout my PGY-2 year!

Post Graduate Year Two Long Island University/Ambulatory Care:



Rebecca Campbell, PharmD, University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, PGY-1 Pharmacy Resident at The Brooklyn Hospital Center

I grew up in Albany, N.Y., and have loved my time in NYC this past year. I'm thrilled to spend another year with The Brooklyn Hospital Center family! In my free time, I enjoy trying new restaurants, traveling, seeing movies, going to concerts, and playing with my two cats, Maia and Nibbler.

Post Graduate Year Two Long Island University/Emergency Medicine:



Jennifer Wiafe, PharmD, University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, PGY-1 Pharmacy Resident at NorthShore University Health System

I am originally from Connecticut. I graduated with my PharmD degree in 2015 from the University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences. I recently completed my first year of residency with NorthShore University HealthSystem in the Chicagoland area. My professional interests include emergency medicine, academia, and public health. In my spare time, I enjoy dancing, yoga, and catching up on my favorite television shows. I am excited to be joining The Brooklyn Hospital Center's Pharmacy Department as the first Emergency Medicine PGY-2 resident.

Post Graduate Year Two Infectious Diseases:



Sam Simon, PharmD, University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy, PGY-1 Pharmacy Resident at The Brooklyn Hospital Center

I grew up in Albuquerque, New Mexico and moved to Brooklyn after pharmacy school for residency. I am thrilled to spend another year at TBHC learning about infectious diseases. Living in NYC this past year has been an amazing experience and I am thankful to spend another year here. I enjoy eating at some of the great restaurants and going to concerts. I am looking forward to new challenges as a PGY-2 resident in infectious diseases and the start of my career.