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What attracted you to medicine?

The combination of science and human interaction.

What attracted you to your specialty?

Physiology in action! I can't imagine having to wait weeks or months to see if my medications are making a difference.

What do you find the most rewarding in your residency training?

Being able to calm a really scared patient before their general anesthetic and making sure they go to sleep and wake up feeling safe and comfortable.

What do you find the most challenging in your residency training?

Balancing work and family life. I have an almost two-year-old son at home and want to be there for him and my husband as much as possible, however it can be so hard to find the time to be everywhere I need and want to be at once.

What energizes you outside of residency?

Getting outside. Whenever I'm getting stir crazy, even a short walk outside makes me feel better.