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WHAT'S HAPPENING

A newsletter for the Maine Medical Center family



Congratulations to the TUSM-MMC Maine Track Class of 2019

The seventh Tufts University School of Medicine - Maine Medical Center (TUSM-MMC) Maine Track class found out where they will be spending their residencies on March 15 at Match Day 2019. Counting this year's class, more than 239 students have graduated from the program since 2013.

This year's class is comprised of 35 medical students. Five matched to MMC. An additional four TUSM students who were not part of the Maine Track program matched to MMC.

Other Maine Track students were placed in excellent teaching settings throughout the country.

All 14 MMC primary residency programs filled through the match process with students from TUSM and other medical schools. Kalli Varaklis, M.D., MMC's Designated Institutional Official said, "We are delighted to welcome many highly qualified medical students from across the country who have chosen to continue their education and training at MMC."



TUSM-MMC '19 students Merrill Brady and Abigail Benkert celebrate their matches at Tufts University in Boston.

Team from Congenital Heart joins Maine Medical Partners

The team at Congenital Heart in Scarborough has joined Maine Medical Partners (MMP). The partnership, called Maine Medical Partners – Congenital Heart, will enhance the coordinated care that patients of both Maine Medical Partners and Congenital Heart have come to expect.

The team at Maine Medical Partners – Congenital Heart, which includes Jon Donnelly, MD, Maribeth Hourihan, MD, Adrian Moran, MD, and Shari Wellen, MD, has worked closely with physicians at MMP and Maine Medical Center (MMC) for years.



Dr. Donnelly received his medical degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He trained in pediatrics at the Children's Hospital of New Mexico and pediatric cardiology at C.S. Mott Children's Hospital at the

University of Michigan.

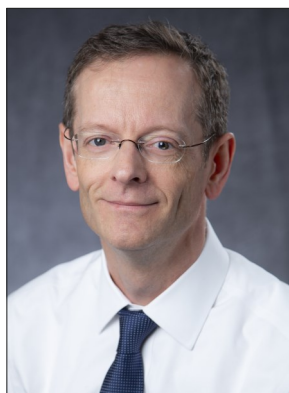
His subspecialty interests include diagnostic and intervention cardiac catheterization and intensive care medicine. He is the director of the Congenital Catheterization Laboratory at Maine Medical Center. He is Board certified in pediatric cardiology.



Dr. Hourihan received her medical degree from Tufts University School of Medicine. She subsequently completed both her pediatric and pediatric cardiology training at Boston Children's Hospital, where she served as both Chief Resident in Pediatrics and Chief Fellow in Pediatric Cardiology.

Dr. Hourihan's subspecialty interests are in office-based pediatric cardiology consultation, echocardiography and adults with congenital heart disease. She is Board

certified in pediatric cardiology.



Dr. Moran received his medical degree from University College Dublin, Ireland. He trained in pediatrics and pediatric cardiology at Boston Children's Hospital. His subspecialty interests include fetal echocardiography, transesophageal echocardiography, cardiac magnetic resonance imaging, Kawasaki Disease and cardiomyopathy management. He is Board certified in pediatric cardiology and adult congenital cardiology.



Dr. Wellen received her

undergraduate degree from the University of Pennsylvania and went on to receive a master of science in Biomedical Sciences from Barry University in Miami Shores, Florida followed by her medical degree from the University of Florida College of Medicine in Gainesville, Florida. She subsequently completed both her pediatric and pediatric cardiology training at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia with an additional year of non-invasive imaging training, including fetal and transesophageal echocardiography.

Dr. Wellen's primary interests include fetal echocardiography, transthoracic echocardiography and transesophageal echocardiography. She is Board certified in pediatric cardiology.

"Doctors Donnelly, Hourihan, Moran and Wellen have been providing excellent, patient-centered care to patients of MMP physicians for a long time," said Joel Botler, MD, MMP President and MMC Chief Medical Officer. "We are excited to have this experienced group join our care team."



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