

## Underrepresented in Medicine

# Resident & Fellow Directory

Department of Medicine | Academic Year 2024-2025

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## Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Leadership Team



Valerie Stone, MD, MPH Vice Chair for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Director, Health Equity Initiatives Department of Medicine Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School



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We are excited to share the sixth annual directory of URiM residents and fellows in the Department of Medicine at Brigham and Women's Hospital. With the support of Department of Medicine leadership, the past couple of years have seen a record number of URiM residents and fellows join our ranks. We thank all of you who have chosen BWH to continue their training and hope that this document is a useful resource in highlighting opportunities for mentorship, networking, and friendship among the URiM community. Additionally, this document can serve as a guide for prospective residents and fellows who may join our community in the future.

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# Resident Diversity and Inclusion Committee



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**Ramael Ohiomoba, MD** Resident, PGY-3 Categorical



Carla Rodriguez, MD Resident, PGY-2 Categorical

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## **Chief Residents**



## **Maxwell Coll, MD**

Chief Medical Resident BWH Internal Medicine Residency Program Email: mcoll@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Santa Fe, NM/NYC Undergraduate College: Washington University in St. Louis Medical School: Georgetown University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Cardio-oncology Non-Clinical Interests: Hanging out with my wife and dog, basketball, movies, musical theater and trying new restaurants (ultimate goal is finding the perfect Cubano)



## Ramón A. Rodriguez, MD

Chief Medical Resident DEI Chief Resident BWH Internal Medicine Residency Program Email: rarodriguez@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Providence, RI
Undergraduate College: Brown University
Medical School: Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons
Residency Training: Brigham and Women's Hospital
Clinical Interests: End-of-life disparities, Palliative Care, DEI initiatives, health equity
Non-Clinical Interests: Journaling, spending time with friends and family, exploring
Boston, retro videogame collecting

## Residents

## **Senior Residents**



## **Miguel Algara, MD**

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**Undergraduate College:** University of Texas at El Paso **Medical School:** Yale School of Medicine

## **Senior Residents**



## Chiaka Aribeana, MD, MBA

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**Undergraduate College:** Harvard University **Medical School:** Stanford University School of Medicine **Graduate Training:** Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania



## David A. Bunn, MD, MPH

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Undergraduate College: SUNY Albany Medical School: Harvard Medical School Graduate Training: Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health



## Ahmed Dia Eldin Elnaiem, MD

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Hometown: Rockville, MD Undergraduate College: Bucknell University Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: Health equity



## Nnenna Ezeh, MD, MPH

Resident, PGY-4 Medicine-Dermatology Email: Nezeh@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Grand Rapids, MI
Undergraduate College: University of Southern California
Medical School: University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health
Graduate School: Harvard T. H. Cahn School of Public Health
Clinical Interests: Rheumatology-dermatology, hair and skin of color, health equity and health policy
Non-Clinical Interests: trying new restaurants, cooking/baking, Netflix/Hulu, reading

## **Senior Residents**



## Annel Maria Fernandez, MD

Resident, PGY-3 Categorical Email: amfernandez@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Bronx, NY
Undergraduate College: Columbia University
Medical School: Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians & Surgeons
Clinical Interests: Gastroenterology, Hospitalist, community engagement/partnership, health equity
Non-Clinical Interests: modern/contemporary dance, walks, trying out new

restaurants, spending time with loved ones, community service

## Nathaniel Fessehaie, MD

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Hometown: Yorktown, VA Undergraduate College: Virginia Tech Medical School: University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Hospital Medicine, Global Health, Health Equity Non-Clinical Interests: basketball, weightlifting, traveling, hiking, cooking, trying new restaurants, reading



## Sara I. Gomez Villegas, MD

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Hometown: Medellin, Columbia Undergraduate College: Universidad de Antioquia Medical School: Universidad de Antioquia - School of Medicine Clinical Interests: ID/critical care Non-Clinical Interests: Dancing, fashion



## Samer Hassan, MD

Resident, PGY-3 Categorical Email: sfhassan@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Schaumburg, IL Undergraduate College: University of Illinois – Chicago Medical School: Yale School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Cardiology, Critical Care Non-Clinical Interests: Primary Care Delivery Design

## Senior Residents



## Boubini Jones-Wonni, MD

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### Juliana Lawrence, MD

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Hometown: Los Angeles, CA Undergraduate College: California State University, Los Angeles Medical School: Yale School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Global health equity Non-Clinical Interests: Hiking, photography, trying new restaurants



## Kristen E. Medley, MD, MPA

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Hometown: Palm Bay, FL Undergraduate College: Florida Atlantic University Medical School: New York University Grossman School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Primary care, general medicine Non-Clinical Interests: Health Policy



## Maliza W. Namude, MD

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Hometown: Potomac, MD Undergraduate College: Harvard Medical School: WashU in St. Louis Clinical Interests: Endocrinology, Health Equity / DEI Non-Clinical Interests: hiking, hip hop dance, cooking, eating

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## **Senior Residents**



## Ramael Ohiomoba, MD

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Hometown: Houston, TX Undergraduate: Vanderbilt University Medical School: Northwestern University Clinical Interests: Cardiology Non-Clinical Interests: Global Health



### **Raquel Ilana Selcer, MD**

Resident, PGY-3 Medicine-Pediatrics Email: rselcer@mgb.org

Hometown: Arcata, CA Undergraduate College: Scripps Research Medical School: University of California, Davis Clinical Interests: Dual Hospitalist (internal medicine and pediatrics), adolescent medicine, substance use disorder treatment, gender affirming care Non-Clinical Interests: Medical education, community-based research, community organizing, hiking, backpacking



### Kristene Tadese, MD

Resident, PGY-3 DGM Primary Care Email: ktadese@mgb.org

Hometown: Cleveland, OH Undergraduate College: Princeton University Medical School: Mayo Clinic Alix School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Primary Care Non-Clinical Interests: Music/Singing



## Meron Teklu, MD

Resident, PGY-3 Medicine-Dermatology Email: mteklu@mgh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Houston, TX Undergraduate College: Rice University Medical School: Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Medical Dermatology Non-Clinical Interests: Podcasts, reading, museums

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## **Senior Residents**



## Lilian Zerihun, MD

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Hometown: Greensboro, NC
Undergraduate College: Duke University
Medical School: Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons
Clinical Interests: Global Health, Hospitalist medicine, primary care
Non-Clinical Interests: Biking, parks, cafes and street markets

## **Junior Residents**



## Abdikarin M. Abdullahi, MD, MPH

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Hometown: San Diego, CA Undergraduate College: UCSD Medical School: UCSF Clinical Interests: hospital medicine Non-Clinical Interests: Health policy, housing, medical education, Sports (Go Lakers)



## Ahmed Ahmed, MD, MPP, MSc

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Hometown: Rochester, MN Undergraduate College: Cornell University Medical School: Harvard Medical School Graduate School: Oxford University Clinical Interests: undecided, hematology vs. cardiology Non-Clinical Interests: public policy and health policy



## Erik Almazan, MD

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Hometown: Chicago, IL Undergraduate College: University of Chicago Medical School: John Hopkins University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: gastroenterology, hospital medicine Non-Clinical Interests: soccer, basketball

## **Junior Residents**



## Koby K. Amankwah, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: kamankwah@mgb.org

Hometown: Calgary, AB, Canada & Tampa, FL Undergraduate College: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Medical School: Weill Cornell Medical College Clinical Interests: cardiology, health equity Non-Clinical Interests: soccer, basketball, board games, reading



## Sierra J. Atwater, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Medicine-Pediatrics Email: Satwater1@mgb.org

Hometown: Pittsboro, NC Undergraduate College: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Medical School: Duke University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Cardiology, ICU, healthcare administration, medical education Non-Clinical Interests: DEI, cooking, travel, food critic for local restaurants



## Noelle Castilla-Ojo, MD

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Hometown: Salem, NH Undergraduate College: Northeastern University Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: primary care, health disparities Non-Clinical Interests: time outdoors



## Anthony Cordova, MD, PhD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: afcordova@mgb.org

Hometown: Fremont, CA Undergraduate College: Stanford University Medical School: Stanford University Graduate School: Stanford University Clinical Interests: Oncology Non-Clinical Interests: cancer immunology research

## **Junior Residents**



## Ana Carolina do Amaral Henrique de Souza, MD, PhD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: acahsouza@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Rio de Janeiro Medical School: Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro Clinical Interests: Cardiology Non-Clinical Interests: Traveling



## **Derrick Gibson, MD, PhD**

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Hometown: Canyon, TX Undergraduate College: University of Texas at Austin Medical School: University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston Graduate School: University of Texas Clinical Interests: Medicine Non-Clinical Interests: Drawing



### Shawn Johnson, MD

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Hometown: Portland, Oregon Undergraduate College: Oregon State University Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: Oncology Non-Clinical Interests: Drug development, equity in clinical trials, translational science, quality improvement



### Veronica Kane, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: vkane1@mgb.org

Hometown: Arlington, VA Undergraduate College: Harvard College Medical School: Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians and Surgeons Clinical Interests: Health Equity Non-Clinical Interests: Urban gardening, cooking, Jamaica pond walks, cats, Indoor plant parenting, traveling in residency, baking

## **Junior Residents**



## Ivana T. Kohut, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: ikohut@mgb.org

Hometown: West Orange, NJ Undergraduate College: UPenn Medical School: LKSOM at Temple University Clinical Interests: ID, global health Non-Clinical Interests: Movies, Hiking, Barre, Board Games



## Karen Kwaning, MD, MPH

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Hometown: Moreno Valley, CA Undergraduate College: University of California, Berkeley Medical School: David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Clinical Interests: adult and pediatric inpatient medicine Non-Clinical Interests: adolescent mental health and school health



## Marcia M. Lange, MD, MPH

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: mmlange@mgb.org

Hometown: Ottawa, Canada Undergraduate College: McGill University Medical School: Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai Clinical Interests: Global health, gastroenterology and hepatology, obesity medicine Non-Clinical Interests: Baking, cooking, reality tv, trying new restaurants



## Gala Lepe Moreno, MD

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Hometown: Marlborough, MA Undergraduate College: Stanford University Medical School: University of California, San Francisco Clinical Interests: Hospital Medicine Non-Clinical Interests: Education, URiM mentorship

## **Junior Residents**



## Vanessa Nunez, MD, MBA

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: vnunez2@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Dos Palos, CA Undergraduate College: University of California, Los Angeles Medical School: David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA Graduate School: UCLA Clinical Interests: Healthcare delivery models, health care and social service integration Non-Clinical Interests: Cooking, couponing, petting other people's dogs in fun coffee shops



## Carla Rodriguez, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Categorical Email: crodriguez49@mgb.org

Hometown: Miami, FL Undergraduate College: University of Miami Medical School: Johns Hopkins School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Cardiology Non-Clinical Interests: Sports (running, basketball, soccer), trying new foods, going to the beach, traveling, music



## Katherina Tanson, MD

Resident, PGY-2 Medicine-Pediatrics Email: ktanson@mgb.org

Hometown: Old Bridge, New Jersey Undergraduate College: Drexel University Medical School: Drew/UCLA Medical Education Program Clinical Interests: Transitions of Care Medicine, Hematology, Adolescent Medicine, Health Equity Non-Clinical Interests: Mentorship, reading, cooking, music playlists



## Rebeca Vergara Greeno, MD

Resident, PGY-2 DGM Primary Care Email: rvergaragreeno@mgb.org

Hometown: Las Vegas, NV Undergraduate College: John Hopkins University Medical School: Yale School of Medicine Clinical Interests: General Internal Medicine, Global Health, Migrant Health Non-Clinical Interests: Walking, hiking, cooking, traveling, family, cats

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## Interns



## Nneoma Adaku, MD, PhD

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Undergraduate College: Yale University Medical School: Weill Cornell Medicinal School Graduate School: Rockefeller University Clinical Interests: Cardiology, ICU, healthcare administration, medical education Non-Clinical Interests: cooking, travel, food critic for local restaurants



## **Rachel Atkins, MD, MA**

Resident, PGY-1 Medicine-Anesthesia Email: ratkins@mgb.org

**Undergraduate College:** Washington University in St. Louis **Medical School:** University of Virginia School of Medicine **Clinical Interests:** Medical-Dermatology



## **Alexander Bell, MD**

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Undergraduate College: Florida State University Medical School: Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Oncology, bioinformatics, biotechnology Non-Clinical Interests: Running, cooking, dancing



## **Nicole Bencie, MD**

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Undergraduate College: Brown University Medical School: The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University Clinical Interests: Pediatric Cardiology/Adult Congenital Heart Disease Non-Clinical Interests: Disability advocacy and medical education

## Interns



## Damari Croswell, MD

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Undergraduate College: Washington University in St. Louis Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: Anesthesiology, health equity, universal healthcare access Non-Clinical Interests: Basketball, football, camping



## Miar Elaskandrany, MD, MBA

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Undergraduate College: Macaulay Honors College at Brooklyn College Medical School: SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University Clinical Interests: Cardiac/Pediatrics, Ultrasound Education, Health Equity, Inclusion and Diversity Non-Clinical Interests: Baking, traveling, film photography, art, reading



## Safwan Elkhatib, MD, PhD

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Undergraduate College: Iowa State University Medical School: University of Nebraska Medical Center Clinical Interests: Critical Care, ACLS, Palliative Care, MedEd, Redox Biology, immunology in critically ill Non-Clinical Interests: Overpriced brunch, listening to Car Talk, sports/being active, hanging out with my cats, general mischief/tomfoolery



## Juan Pablo Espinosa Leon, MD

Resident, PGY-1 Medicine-Anesthesia Email: jpespinosa@bwh.harvard.edu

Medical School: Universidad de los Andes, Colombia Clinical Interests: Anesthesiology Non-Clinical Interests: Travel, backpacking, hiking, tennis, exploring restaurants

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## Interns



## Kyle Gibson, MD, MS

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Undergraduate College: University of California, Berkeley Medical School: Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai Clinical Interests: Cardiology, health equity, personalized medicine, data science Non-Clinical Interests: Cooking, running, music, podcasts, surfing



## Earl Goldsborough III, MD

Resident, PGY-1 Medicine-Anesthesia Email: egoldsborough@bwh.harvard.edu

Undergraduate College: University of Pittsburgh Medical School: Johns Hopkins School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Obstetric anesthesiology, DEIB Non-Clinical Interests: soccer, reading, writing



## Gabriela Gomez, MD, MPH

Resident, PGY-1 Preliminary Email: gtgomez@bwh.harvard.edu

Undergraduate College: Duke University Medical School: Johns Hopkins School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Aging, Geriatric Oncology, patient-provider communication, Palliative Care Non-Clinical Interests: Weightlifting, visual arts, biking



## **Ashley Harriott, MD**

Resident, PGY-1 Medicine-Anesthesia Email: aharriott1@bwh.harvard.edu

Undergraduate College: Harvard College Medical School: Emory University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Global health, critical care, ultrasound, DEI Non-Clinical Interests: Travel, NYT games, charcuterie

## Interns



## Zoe Hirschi, MD

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Undergraduate College: Texas A&M University Medical School: McGovern Medical School at UTHealth Houston Clinical Interests: Nephrology, critical care, medical education, medical professionalism and ethics Non-Clinical Interests: Running, springboard diving, reading biographies, reality TV, my dog



### **David Jimenez, MD**

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Undergraduate College: Duke University Medical School: University of Pennsylvania, Perelman School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Med Ed, Clinical Informatics, Critical Care Non-Clinical Interests: Surfing, Skiing, Basketball, traveling



## **Olivia Lucey, MD**

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Undergraduate College: Brown University Medical School: Tufts University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: OB Anesthesiology, health justice Non-Clinical Interests: Pilates, spending time with my dog, travel



## **Michael Martinez, MD**

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Undergraduate College: University of Illinois at Chicago Medical School: NYU Clinical Interests: Dermatology, Value Based Care, Health Innovation Non-Clinical Interests: Speech & Debate, Current Events

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## Sachin Naik, MD, MBA

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Undergraduate College: University of Toronto Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: Radiology, Health Equity, Medical Technology Non-Clinical Interests: Soccer, F1, Travel, Dogs



## LaShyra "Lash" Nolen, MD, MPP

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Undergraduate College: Loyola Marymount University Medical School: Harvard Medical School Graduate School: Harvard Kennedy School of Government Clinical Interests: Primary care, antiracism in medical education, state and local policy, public policy frameworks for reparations for enslavement, medical writing for the public, public speaking and workshop building around topics related to health equity, interface of art and health equity, community organizing Non-Clinical Interests: Boxing, running, hiking, traveling, languages, nonfiction, writing rap music and poetry, live music, spending time with the people I love, eating and seeing the world, drinking abnormal amounts of bubble tea



## Leslie Ojeaburu, MD, MPH

Resident, PGY-1 Categorical Email: lojeaburu@bwh.harvard.edu

Undergraduate College: Harvard College Medical School: UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine Graduate School: UCLA Clinical Interests: Undecided, palliative care/gastroenterology but with global & local health equity at the core Non-Clinical Interests: Trying new restaurants with my wife, coffee, and discovering new music

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## Interns



## Chidinma Osuagwu, MD

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Undergraduate College: Tufts University Medical School: Temple University Clinical Interests: GHE, Critical Care, Cardiology Non-Clinical Interests: Reading, community organizing, dance



### Love Osunnuga, MD

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Undergraduate College: University of Notre Dame Medical School: University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Primary care, health equity, medical education Non-Clinical Interests: Cooking, biking, anime



### Andrew Padilla, MD

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Undergraduate College: Duke University Medical School: Duke University School of Medicine Clinical Interests: Anesthesiology, Mentorship Non-Clinical Interests: Artisan bread baking, laminated pastries, running, movies



## Hagen Puller, MD, MBA

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Undergraduate College: Harvard University Medical School: University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine Graduate School: Wharton School of Business at Univ of Penn Clinical Interests: Clinical-Stage Drug Development/Biopharma; Academic-Industry Partnership in Clinical Trials Non-Clinical Interests: Hanging out with my dog; Always searching for new ways to stay active

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## Interns



## Oscar Reyes Gaido, MD, PhD

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## Andre Small, MD

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Undergraduate College: Indiana University Bloomington Medical School: Harvard Medical School Clinical Interests: Cardiology



## David Velasquez, MD, MBA, MPP

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Undergraduate College: Univ of Southern California Medical School: Harvard Medical School Graduate Schools: Harvard Business School, Harvard Kennedy School of Government Clinical Interests: general medicine, public policy, health policy, care delivery, health equity Non-Clinical Interests: reading, writing, basketball

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## Fellows



## Ezimamaka C. Ajufo, MD

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**Medical School:** Oxford University Medical School **Residency Training:** University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center



## Elikplim Akaho, MD, MS

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Medical School: Kwame Nkrumah University of Science & Technology School of Medicine Sciences Residency Training: Cook County Hospital Clinical Interests: Infectious diseases/HIV



## Isabella Alviz Gomez, MD

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**Medical School:** Pontificia Universidad Javeriana Cali Facultad de Ciencias de la Salud **Residency Training:** Montefiore Medical Center/Albert Einstein College of Medicine



## **Brandon Bertot, MD**

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Undergraduate Training: Oberlin College
Medical School: Baylor College of Medicine
Residency Training: Brigham and Women's Hospital
Clinical Interests: General endocrinology, neuroendocrinology obesity medicine, medical education
Non-Clinical Interests: Spending time with my girlfriend, physical fitness enthusiast, New York sports fan (Giants, Knicks, Yankees), avid podcast consumer, traveler, foodie, Lego builder, lover of anime, Star Wars, and superheroes, and one day hopefully a Pokémon master

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## Fellows

## Linette Bosques-Nieves, MD, PhD

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## Brittany B. Bromfield, MBBS

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Hometown: Kingston, Jamaica
Undergraduate College: University of the West Indies
Medical School: University of the West Indies
Residency Training: UPMC
Clinical Interests: Hepatology, healthcare disparities, addiction medicine.
Non-Clinical Interests: Exploring new cultures through cuisine, staying active, and visiting family and friends in Jamaica.



## Javier Cabrera-Perez, MD, PhD

Fellow, Allergy and Immunology Email: jcabrera-perez@bwh.harvard.edu

Hometown: Ciego de Avila, Cuba / Minneapolis, MN Undergraduate Training: Columbia University Graduate Training: University of Minnesota Medical School: University of Minnesota Medical School Residency Training: Pediatric Medicine, Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine Non-Clinical Interests: photography, poetry, social justice, children's health and vaccination



## Fernanda Maria Carvalho Ninin, MD

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Medical School: University of São Paulo, Brazil Residency Training: Jacobi Medical Center, Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, NY

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Hometown: Somerset, New Jersey Undergraduate College: John Hopkins University Graduate Training: Georgetown University Medical School: George Washington University Residency Training: New York Presbyterian-Weill Cornell Clinical Interests: Hepatology, NAFLD, women's GI health, health equity Non-Clinical Interests: Travel, food – both cooking and exploring new restaurants, cycling



## Simon Correa Gaviria, MD

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**Medical School:** Universidad de Antioquia Facultad de Medicina **Residency Training:** Yale-New Haven Hospital



## Ana S. Cruz Solbes, MD

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**Medical School:** Tecnologico de Monterrey Escuela de Medicina Monterrey **Residency Training:** Yale New Haven Hospital



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**Medical School:** Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine **Residency Training:** Northwestern McGaw Family Medicine Residency at Lake Forest

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**Medical School:** Univ. of Missouri - Kansas City School of Medicine **Residency Training:** University of Rochester Medical Center



### Alejandro De La Hoz Gomez, MD

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Hometown: Bogotá, Colombia Medical School: Pontificia Universidad Javeriana, Bogotá, Colombia Residency Training: Boston University Medical Center Clinical Interests: Transplant Infectious Diseases Non-clinical Interests: literature, architecture



## Nathalie Anne de Oliveira e Silva de Morais, MD, PhD, MsC

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Medical School: Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Residency Training: Hospital Universitário Clementino Fraga Filho - Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Clinical Interests: Endocrinology Non-Clinical Interests: Philosophy, gardening, cooking, travel, meditation



### Samantha Espinosa, MD

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**Medical School:** University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine **Residency Training:** Mayo Clinic Florida

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## Fellows



## Thiago Gagliano-Luca, MD, PhD

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Hometown: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Medical School: Federal University of Rio de Janeiro Graduate Training: Federal University of Rio de Janeiro Residency Training: Rosalind Franklin University Clinical Interests: Androgens, aging, obesity Non-Clinical Interests: Weightlifting, cooking, traveling.



## Alexis C. Gomez, MD

Fellow, Nephrology Email: agomez4@mgb.org

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## Zadesha Gordon, MD

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