2020-2021 Golden Stethoscope Nomination

Nominated for: Best Patient/Physician Communicaton Skills

Name of Nominee Dr. Charity Lehn

Dr. Lehn is truly a role model for patient communication skills. She makes her patients comfortable and builds the patient provider relationship through her honest, direct, and yet easy nature of speaking. She is able to broach more sensitive topics, such as domestic safety, smoking cessation or weight loss, with tact and respect to the patient's situation. She demonstrates great empathy through her words and non-verbal communication while discussing her patient's concerns and makes them feel heard. On one account Dr. Lehn put a new mother at ease on their first meeting, allowing her the space to discuss her concerns regarding post-partum depression. Dr. Lehn has taught me through her own words how to tactfully approach and discuss sensitive areas of a patients life. She is exemplary in her communication skills and as such I am nominating her for the Golden Stethoscope Awards.

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