

## **Education**

University of Michigan, B.S., Major: Brain, Behavior, and Cognitive Science; Minor: French 2009

Drexel University College of Medicine, M.D. 2016

Resident, George Washington University, Emergency Medicine, Class of 2020

## **Interest in Health Policy**

My health policy interest began during the years between my undergraduate studies and medical school when I lived in the Washington, DC area and worked at the National Institutes of Health doing clinical research for the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

During medical school, I spent the summer between first and second year working at the American Academy of Pediatrics, Department of Federal Affairs. Through this opportunity, I learned how policy is made regarding the pediatric population and pediatricians on issues ranging from general health concerns, Children's Hospital Graduate Medical Education, Medicare/Medicaid and CHIP, and the implementation of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.

As a supplement to my experience at the American Academy of Pediatrics, I was accepted to the Government Relations Internship Program (GRIP). Through GRIP, I attended weekly sessions at the AMA offices where I learned about several issues affecting the medical profession.

I currently participate in the George Washington University Resident Committee, and I am a member of the American College of Emergency Physicians committees on State Legislative/ Regulatory affairs and Quality & Patient Safety.