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EXCEPTIONAL MOMENTS

IN TEACHING



The College of Medicine recognizes exceptional teachers with the monthly “Exceptional Moments in Teaching” program. Honorees are selected via student assessments from courses and clerkships. Recognized teachers—including medical faculty, residents, nurses and other educators—are those who challenge students and provide an exceptional learning experience.

Anuradha Duleep, MD, is associate professor of Neurology, medical director of the Neurology Clinic and division chief of Neurology at SUNY Upstate Medical University. She is the **February 2021** Recipient of the **Exceptional Moments in Teaching Recognition**.

COMMENTS FROM DR. DULEEP’S STUDENTS:

“Dr. Duleep cares deeply for the safety of patients, residents and students. With the daily changes in what students can do in times of COVID, Dr. Duleep did an exceptional job during rounds to make sure students were able to see patients in a way that was safe for everyone. She would individually take students and did an amazing job communicating with students so that we knew what the plan was each morning.”

“Dr. Duleep taught me about how to give not-so-pleasant news to a patient in a very tactful way. I feel like this type of learning could not have been done through watching videos, reading, or hearing about it. I had to witness this in order to learn. And I witnessed Dr. Duleep masterfully deliver bad news to a patient and also make sure that the patient’s child was not affected negatively by the bad news”

“Dr. Duleep was extremely kind, understanding and respectful. She always stopped to explain everything. She prompted us with thought-provoking questions that were always reasonable for the level of our knowledge/education. She is a role model in that she spends time with her patients, she comforts them and she never leaves without having answered all of their questions.”