

5/28/2020 – MS4 check in

Dear 4th year students,

As the first week of block 1 nears its end, we wanted to check in with you all to see how things are going. It was nice to see some of you around the hospital this week. From what we've heard from those of you we have spoken to, it seems that things seem to be going well. It's certainly required some adjustment, but faculty and students alike have been adapting well to this new learning environment. If you have additional feedback for us about your experiences this week, please let us know.

We also know also that many of you are still wondering about class rank determination in the setting of the COVID disrupted clerkships. Now that block J has ended, UME, Student Affairs, and the Registrar's Office are all meeting next week to figure this out. Our plan is to give everyone the benefit of the doubt with their final clerkship and make sure no one's class rank is penalized because a clerkship was only available as pass/fail. We will keep you updated with anything that we figure out once we've had a chance to do some calculations and analysis.

Stay safe, and keep up the good work everyone,

Dr. Mason

Dr. Lesperance