Hi PharmD students:

Some big updates today. **Action required of P3s!**

**REALLY IMPORTANT for P3s:** Your first two APPE rotations are nearly scheduled. Dean Walker, Dr. Pikula, Julie Markum and Elaine Chateau are working their tails off to get rotations lined up for 80+ of you.

1. As many of you as possible will go on rotations that you were originally scheduled for as long as it open during this COVID crisis. There are a limited number of operating APPEs at this time and they are mostly community, DI, non-traditional and a few Amb Cares.
2. If #1 above does not apply to you, you will likely get COVID-19 Emergency Preparedness APPE for rotation 1. P4s have given this rotation strong reviews.
3. I recognize that this might mean that you are not getting one of your prioritized rotations in rotation 1, and we want you to get your desired rotations. **Like we did with P4s**, getting **you graduated on time is our highest priority.** Second priority will be to get you the rotations you preferred, but priority 1 is your graduation. Let us get your P4 year started as best we can and the EE group will be working on making sure you get all the required rotations/ hours necessary for graduation. EE will work with you on those rotations that you might be missing, but please give them (at least) a few weeks for the COVID dust to settle. Things should open up when COVID subsides.
4. **Look for an email from Dean Walker, through CORE-ELMS in the next 48 hours. This is the most important email that you will be receiving this month.** Read thoroughly and follow through on **everything** on the CORE-ELMS email if you want to ensure on-time graduation. The margin for fixing problems caused by ignored emails is very small this year.

**P3s: Mark your Calendars! May 13 and 14 is mandatory APPE Orientation.** Will be done online, but hold 8AM-5PM open for both days until schedule finalized. Again, attend so that we can get rotation 1 started and start you on road to graduation.

I gave my first Therapeutics TBL class online yesterday to the **P2s.** I thought it went pretty well. TBL works online if everyone participates actively. **Good job P2s!**

**Everybody:** My oldest daughter Christine actually won free Crocs today from that contest
that I told you about last week. Did any of you win?

**This one is most important to me:** My youngest daughter Becky delivered our first grandchild! Grace Lynn weighed 7lb and 7 oz. Mom, Dad, and baby doing great, but COVID stopping us from seeing them for many weeks. Here is the cutie only a few hours old:

![Newborn Baby](image)

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