## Office of Student Ombudsperson

The Office of Student Ombudsperson is available to any medical student to give counsel and feedback around academic, career, or personal concerns. They are also available to discuss informally any situation students have encountered around harassment, discrimination or other unfair treatment, interpersonal disputes in need of a neutral third party, uncertainty about or unfair application of a policy, or knowledge of misconduct. This Office is a confidential resource for students except in cases where legal action is needed (e.g., unlawful discrimination or harassment, assault/harm to student or patient). The Office serves as the student's advocate in situations where the student will need to file a formal report with the Grievance Committee or the police.

There are two Medical Student Ombudspersons:
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