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Dear UBC Residents and Program Directors,

As we are nearly half-way through July, I hope that everyone is settling in to the new Academic Year. Rotations, orientations, academic sessions and clinical experiences have all been affected by the pandemic. This creates a lot of anxiety around what is normally a stressful (and exciting) time.

As there are new residents and medical student clerkships have started, I wanted to be sure that you were all aware of where to find information related to COVID-19. The UBC PGME website has a FAQ page which is continually updated. It can be found here:

<https://postgrad.med.ubc.ca/current-trainees/covid-19-how-is-ubc-faculty-of-medicine-monitoring-the-situation/>

UBC Medical students are integral part of our care teams. They have specific PPE protocols that they must follow. These can be found here:

<https://video.med.ubc.ca/videos/cpd/elearning/PPE/00-course-overview/context.html>

Please encourage any medical students on your team to follow these protocols and ensure they are supported in doing so.

Please reach out to the PGME office if you have any questions, concerns or comments.

Sincerely,

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