



CHARLES E. SCHMIDT
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE
Florida Atlantic University

STUDENT OATH Class of 2017

We, the aspiring physicians of the Florida Atlantic University Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine Class of 2017, solemnly pledge to regard our undertaking of medical training as a privilege, and therefor commit ourselves to always uphold the following tenets:

TO PURSUE the knowledge with an open mind, remaining lifelong learners, while embracing and contributing to the advances of the ever-changing medical field.

TO VIGILANTLY PROTECT the sanctity of the patient-physician relationship, based on compassion, confidentiality, and dignity.

TO REMAIN UNBIASED and sensitive to the cultural, social and economic differences that exist within our community.

TO HONOR and respect the foundations of medical education.

TO ESTABLISH a peer relationships in which we can seek help and offer guidance when needed.

TO COLLECTIVELY HOLD EACH OTHER TO THE HIGHEST STANDARDS of academic integrity, while fostering a collaborative learning environment.

TO HUMBLY ACKNOWLEDGE our strengths and have the courage to acknowledge our weaknesses.

TO MAINTAIN our personal well-being in the name of best serving our patients, colleagues, and profession.

TO BECOME MODELS of professionalism that reflect the physicians we strive to become.

TO REMAIN GRATEFUL to our loved ones for their ongoing sacrifices, support, and patience in the pursuit of our professional goals.

We recite this pledge in service to each other, our institution, and our community. As members of the class of 2016 of the Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine, we promise to forge a legacy of excellence.