

May 26, 2020

Dr. Scott Mcleod Program Director University of Calgary Calgary, AB

Dear Dr. Mcleod:

RE: 2019-2020 PARA Resident Physician Well-being Award – University of Calgary

Congratulations on being selected as the 2019-2020 recipient of the *PARA Resident Physician Well-being Award* for the University of Calgary. This award recognizes outstanding contributions of staff physicians to resident physician well-being.

This is what your nominators had to say about your commitment to resident physician well-being:

"Dr. McLeod is the Program Director for Developmental Pediatrics. He strongly advocates for the well being of subspecialty residents/fellows in the program, as well as for residents rotating through Developmental Pediatrics, through excellent clinical education with commitment to balance in work and life.

Dr. McLeod coordinates excellent clinical rotations, academic half-days, and extracurricular teaching that meets Royal College objectives and is high quality, timely, and relevant.

Dr. McLeod consults with subspecialty residents and fellows and advocates on our behalf with PGME and the RCPSC. This has been particularly important during the COVID-19 pandemic

Dr. McLeod makes every effort to ensure quality of life outside of Developmental Pediatrics including rapid granting of time off requests, conference funding, and limiting excess work outside of regular hours. He was instrumental in helping me change rotations quickly during a personal emergency and did so without hesitation, which relieved a huge burden."

In honour of this recognition, you will receive a commemorative plaque and a \$750 donation will be made in your name to the charity of your choice. Please advise of your charity selection and confirm the following information that will appear on your plaque:

Dr. Scott Mcleod Program Director Developmental Pediatrics, University of Calgary

Your hard work and dedication will also be featured in *PARAscope*, our monthly member enewsletter and PARA's Annual Report. To facilitate this, please provide us with a photo of yourself (JPG) to include in the feature. Your photo and accompanying information (confirmation of plaque details and charity of choice) can be forwarded to us at ravneet.saran@para-ab.ca.

Again, congratulations on receiving the 2019-2020 PARA Resident Physician Well-being Award, and please accept our sincere thanks for your ongoing commitment to resident physician education.

Sincerely,

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Dr. Francesco Rizzuti PARA President

cc: Dr. Jon Meddings, Dean, Cummings School of Medicine Dr. Lisa Welikovitch, Associate Dean, Postgraduate Medical Education Office