

Pediatrics Residents

The Pediatrics Residency at NYU Grossman School of Medicine provides training for doctors who are dedicated to advancing healthcare for children of all ages. Meet our current class of residents, including our chief residents and residents for postgraduate year (PGY) 1, 2, and 3.

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Favorite New York City spot: The NYC Ferry that I take every day!

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PGY-1 Residents



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