Dr. Jennifer McBride

Department: Internal Medicine (but I am Internal Medicine/Pediatrics)

Title: Docent, Clinical Skills Course Director, Associate Program Director Internal Medicine Residency

Birth date: January 26th

What are your hobbies? My three children, coaching softball, reading, getting into archery with the Girl Scouts

What is your family setup? I have been married for 17 years. He and I met here at UMKC Medical School. I have three children. I have an 11 y/o girl, a 7 y/o girl, and a 4 y/o son. We have two cats and recently added a new dog to the mix. We named him Sparky. He is an English Foxhound and has a lot of energy.

Where did you grow up? When I was a child, I moved around a lot. I have a lot of family in the St. Joe and Higginsville area, so that is where I spent most of my summers. I went to High School in Floyd Knobs, Indiana. My parents and siblings still live there.

What is your hidden talent? I play Bari sax. I was fortunate to go to a great high school where arts were supported. My daughter’s band teacher lets me have the school Bari Sax during the summer to play. Last year I got to play in the band with my daughter for a school concert. It is a great stress reliever.

Which song do you have playing on repeat right now? Justin Timberlake’s, “Suit and Tie”
### USMLE Step 2

**New Score Requirement**

The Council on Curriculum has been informed that, for test dates beginning July 1\textsuperscript{st}, the passing score for Step 2 CK has been raised from 196 to 203. The full text of the USMLE’s announcement is available here: [http://www.usmle.org/announcements/?ContentId=116](http://www.usmle.org/announcements/?ContentId=116)

Historically, UMKC students’ scores on Step 2 CK are well above this mark. Last year, our school’s average was 229. We are confident that you and your classmates will continue to perform well.

### Student Affairs Feedback

**We want to hear from you!**

We value feedback as a way to learn what we’re doing right and where we can improve. Students wishing to provide feedback about their experiences with advising, ETC services, the Wellness program, Financial Literacy, or Career Advising are welcome to contact Cary Chelladurai at chelladuraic@umkc.edu. For general questions and input you can also email somadvising@umkc.edu.

### Scholarship

#### Vietnamese American Medical Association (VAMA)

**Eligibility:**

1. Enrolled as a fifth year medical student at an accredited medical school in the US (Class of 2014).
2. Have financial aid offered by the school he/she is attending.
3. Demonstrate a strong interest in serving the Vietnamese communities in the US when he/she completes training.

**Amount:** $1000/ea.
5 scholarships are available

**Deadline:** June 30, 2013

Please contact Robin Hill for details.

#### Tung Van Dinh, MD Memorial Travel Scholarship

This scholarship is intended to encourage medical students and residents to learn about health care in developing countries. The funds will support one recipient per year to travel to and complete a project in a developing country. There is no preference with regards to location as long as the country visited is an underdeveloped country.

**Eligibility:**

- Any currently enrolled student in an accredited US medical school, who is in good standing, may apply.
- The accepted project must be conducted as part of the elective curriculum of the medical school.
- The project must be completed prior to medical school graduation.

**Amount:** $2,500
2 scholarships are available

**Deadline:** June 30, 2013
Please contact Robin Hill for details.
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