



Welcome to Unity Health Care and Good Hope Health Center! We are excited that you will be learning with us. We hope to provide you with an enriching learning environment in exchange for your hard work and compassionate care for our patients. The health center is a small building located at 1638 Good Hope Rd, SE directly next door to Bread for the City. Good Hope serves a predominantly African American community of all ages.

On your first day, please present yourself at Good Hope Health Center at 8:15am and ask the security guard to be taken to your preceptor. Good Hope is approximately 2 miles from the metro; because it is generally unsafe to walk after dark it is recommended that students drive and bring their own lunches. Students share desk and computer space with providers.

Be sure to explore the documents available on the student website found at: http://www.unityhealthcare.org/Students/Residents_Students.htm. The resources found on this site will help you understand issues regarding community health in Washington, DC. Another important resource is the DC Area Health Education Center (AHEC) curriculum found on the web at: <http://dcahec.gwumc.edu/education/index.html>. It was designed to help students develop an appreciation and working knowledge of community-oriented primary care, especially as it relates to D.C. and its communities.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions, comments, or suggestions. Enjoy your time at Unity.

Sincerely,

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