Accomplishments

- Family medicine is the only specialty that addresses the triple aim: improved health care experience, improved population health outcomes and decreased overall cost.

- We helped our patients and our community navigate a challenging year with the COVID 19 pandemic including our “Vulnerable Patient Outreach” Program where residents, faculty and staff reached out to hundreds of patients most in need with resources and support. We were the bedrock of support for primary care on this campus through a challenging year for clinicians and patients. We helped guide a campus-wide wellness program for residents and faculty. We continued to innovate to improve primary care delivery.

- Our residency program has a national reputation of excellence. We recruited diverse students from around the country due to substantial national leadership and reputation. Our faculty, including the program director, serve in national leadership positions and have won national teaching awards.

- Dr. Brown received the prestigious ACGME Parker Palmer Courage to Teach Award in 2021. This recognition is provided to only 10 program directors from the thousands across the United States.

- Our award-winning American Family Physician (AFP) Podcast has over 5,000,000 downloads.

Strengths

1. Evidence-based medicine focus
2. Strong stable faculty, resident relationships and mentoring
3. Innovative family medicine center
4. National leadership and scholarly activity, strong national presence lead by AFP Podcast and faculty in national leadership positions
5. Strong recruiting, drawing residents from around the nation including improved diversity