



Alison Knapp, PGY5, Anesthesiology

I moved to Saskatoon in 2020 for Anesthesia residency after completing medical school at McMaster. In my spare time I like to run, go to hot yoga with my co-residents, and this summer I took up paddle boarding!

Here are some of the reasons Alison was chosen as Resident of the Month (As quoted from the nomination letter):

"Dr. Knapp has demonstrated outstanding organizational skills and a commitment to education by creating comprehensive orientation manuals for incoming residents starting on call at Royal University Hospital. Additionally, she developed orientation packages specifically for R1 residents beginning their call duties at St. Paul's Hospital and personally delivered in-person presentations to ensure a smooth transition for these new residents."

"In her role as a representative on the residency program committee, Dr. Knapp has been a tireless advocate for her peers, consistently bringing forward and addressing resident concerns. Her approachable nature and willingness to listen have made her a trusted confidante for many residents who felt safe and supported in bringing their issues to her attention."

"Dr. Knapp has also served as an inspiring mentor and role model. Her leadership and teaching abilities were particularly evident during her time in the intensive care unit, where numerous junior residents praised her guidance and support. Her ability to create a positive and educational environment has significantly improved the ICU experience for many residents."