CLASS OATH 2015

We the Class of 2015 are proud to promise and uphold the following oath:

To Our Patients
- Thank you for trusting us and letting us into your lives while you are at your most vulnerable.
- We promise to preserve your autonomy, empower you as individuals, and comfort you while you heal.

To Our Teachers
- Thank you for imparting wisdom and instilling your passion for medicine in us. Throughout the years we have grown because you took the time to teach.
- We promise to continue this honored tradition as we advance in our medical careers, never forgetting those that came before us and those that will follow in our humble footsteps.

To Our Medical Community
- Thank you for allowing us to become part of the healthcare team.
- We promise to collaborate effectively and professionally, acknowledging the unique value of all those working alongside us.

To Our Local and Global Community
- Thank you for holding us to a higher standard. You further our awareness that each human is unique, and that these differences unite us.
- We promise to serve altruistically, treat without judgment, and care for the diverse populations that make up our country and the world.

To Our Family and Friends
- Thank you for your unwavering support. We could not have done this alone.
- We promise to remember the importance of our relationships, so we can be there for you as you were there for us.

To Ourselves
- Thank you for never giving up on this incredible journey.
- We promise to recognize our limitations and forgive our mistakes. We will pursue excellence in medicine without overlooking our personal well-being.

To The Ohio State University:
- Thank you for making us Buckeyes for life. You have instilled in us the values of service, research, leadership, and humanism, which encompass the mission of this public university.
- We promise to uphold these values and always be proundful of where we began our medical careers.

These promises will be our foundation as we embark on our journey as physicians.