Dear Pediatric Residents and Fellows of all Subspecialties in Pediatrics,

We are pleased to announce the sixth APA Ethics Special Interest Group (SIG) Essay Contest. The contest is open to all pediatric residents and pediatric subspecialty fellows (including pediatric surgical fellows). Essays should focus on the ethical issues that residents and fellows face while caring for patients. Topics may include but not limited to personal narratives of ethical dilemmas faced in training or practice or scholarly presentations of issues related to organizational, interprofessional or global health ethics.

Essays should be between 800 to 1600 words. Essays longer than 1700 words will be disqualified without review. Essays must be original and unpublished works. If multiple authors, the award will be shared. All co-authors should provide demographic information (training status) and role in manuscript preparation. Two awards will be offered and may be used for expenses related to PAS attendance:

1st Place - $200
2nd Place - $100

The winning essays will be read at the Pediatric Academic Societies (PAS) meeting in San Francisco, CA and will be published in PAS website as part of Ethics SIG newsletter in June 2017. If the resident or fellow will be attending PAS in San Francisco they may present their paper themselves.

Deadline: March 20, 2017
Submit essays to: zsalih@iu.edu

We wish you all the best in your writings in ethics!
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