



**MURIEL BOWSER**  
MAYOR

June 29, 2023

The Honorable Phil Mendelson  
Chairman  
Council of the District of Columbia  
John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 504  
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

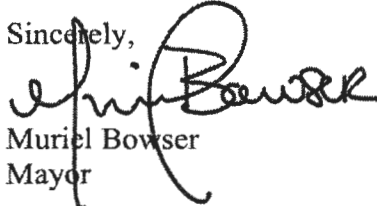
In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to section 203 of the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-99; D.C. Official Code § 3-1202.03), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

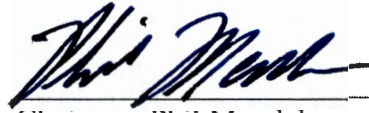
Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri  
River Road, NW  
Washington, DC 20016  
(Ward 3)

for appointment as a physician licensed to practice in the District member of the Board of Medicine, replacing Dr. Joelle Simpson, to serve the remainder of an unexpired term ending August 3, 2023, and for a new term to end August 3, 2026.

Enclosed you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,  
  
Muriel Bowser  
Mayor



Chairman Phil Mendelson  
at the request of the Mayor

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6 A PROPOSED RESOLUTION  
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9 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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14 To confirm the appointment of Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri to the Board of Medicine.  
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16 RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this  
17 resolution may be cited as the "Board of Medicine Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri Confirmation  
18 Resolution of 2023".  
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20 Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the appointment of:  
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27 as a physician licensed to practice in the District member of the Board of Medicine, pursuant to  
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31 August 3, 2026.

32 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution,  
33 upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

34 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

**1) PERSONAL DATA**

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**2) EDUCATION**

- 1991-1995 **Bachelor of Science**, Biology (Concentration in Genetics) & Spanish  
Duke University, Durham, NC
- 1995-1998 **Master's in Public Health** (Concentration in Family Health)  
New Jersey Graduate Program in Public Health, University of Medicine & Dentistry of  
New Jersey and Rutgers-The State University of New Jersey, Piscataway, NJ
- 1997-2001 **Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine**  
New York College of Osteopathic Medicine, Old Westbury, NY
- 2001-2004 **Internship & Residency, Pediatrics**  
Newark Beth Israel Medical Center, Newark, NJ  
Dually accredited by American Medical Association & American Osteopathic  
Association
- 2004-2005 **Chief Residency, Pediatrics**  
Newark Beth Israel Medical Center, Newark, NJ
- 2005-2007 **Fellowship, Pediatric Hospital Medicine** (1<sup>st</sup> PHM Fellow at Texas Children's)  
Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX
- 2012-2013 **Graduate Certificate, Master Teacher and Leadership Development Program (Cohort  
12)**  
The George Washington University School of Education & Human Development

**3) EMPLOYMENT**

**Academic Appointments**

- 1/01/2007- Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
06/30/2008 George Washington University School of Medicine
- 04/01/2013- Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
current George Washington University School of Medicine
- 07/01/2008- Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Volunteer Faculty  
current Howard University School of Medicine

## Hospital Appointments

2004-2005	Clinical Instructor Department of Pediatrics, Newark Beth Israel Medical Center
2006-2007	Clinical Instructor Department of Pediatrics, Baylor College of Medicine, Texas Children's Hospital
2007-current	Pediatric Hospitalist Children's National Medical Center
2007-2013, 2020-current	Pediatric Hospitalist HSC Pediatric Center

## 4) PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS/ LICENSES/ CERTIFICATIONS

### Active

2001-current	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Provider
2004-current	American Board of Pediatrics, #81953
2006-current	National Provider Identification, #1629158043
2007-current	Medical License, District of Columbia, DO 034235
2007-current	Drug Enforcement Agency Certificate, BP 7414965
2007-current	Controlled Drug Substances Certificate, CS 07-11603

### Inactive

2004-2007	Medical License, New Jersey, 25MB07540300
2004	Medical License, Pennsylvania, TMD001916 (Limited)
2005-2007	Medical License, Texas, M2010

## 5) SOCIETIES & HONORS

### Societies

2004-current	American Academy of Pediatrics
2007-current	American Pediatric Association
2010-current	Society for Hospital Medicine

### Honors

1995-1996	Rutgers Graduate Scholar
1996	Rutgers Graduate Teaching Assistantship
1997	American Public Health Association, Public Health Student Caucus Award

- 2004 Newark Beth Israel Medical Center Pediatric Resident of the Year
- 2007 Texas Children's Hospital Section Superstar  
*-Awarded for efforts as fellow to develop inaugural mission statement and goals for the Faculty Inpatient Service (predecessor to what is now known as the Section of Hospital Medicine).*
- 2009-2010, 2012-2016, 2018-2021 CNMC Golden Apple Teaching Award for Hospitalist Division
- 2008, 2011 CNMC Hospitalist Division Award for Most Valuable Contributions
- 2012 CNMC Hospitalist Division Top Educator Award by Residents
- 2017 Solutions for Patient Safety Hospital of the Month for Reducing 7 Day Readmissions
- 2017 Solutions for Patient Safety Champion of the Month – Pharmacy Team for Reducing 7 Day Readmissions
- 2018 CNMC Hospitalist Division David & Goliath Award
- 2020 CNH Hospital Medicine Division Behind-the-Scenes Award

## 6) ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES & UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

### Texas Children's Hospital Activities

- 2005-2007 Member, Care Management Committee
- 2005-2007 Member, Family Readiness for Discharge Committee
- 2005-2007 Member, Who's in Charge
- 2005-2007 Member, Utilization Review
- 2006-2007 Member, Quality Council
- 2006-2007 Member, Patient Safety Committee
- 2006-2007 Co-Chair, Faculty Inpatient Service Five Year Vision & Mission: Patient Care Sub-Committee

### CNMC - Appointments

- 2008-2021 Medical Unit Director, Medical Care Unit
- 2010-2021 Medical Quality Director
- 2011-2021 Chair, Order Set Oversight Committee
- 2018-2021 Voting Member, Medical Executive Committee
- 2020-2021 Interim, Associate Chief for Operations, Hospital Medicine Division
- 2021-current Associate Chief for Operations, Hospital Medicine Division

### CNMC – Medical Staff Committees

- 2010-2014 Member, Chart Quality Taskforce  
*-Updated acute care progress note template to streamline workflow, reduce errors, and improve discharge planning (go-live June 2011). Led working group to update Discharge Summary to re-vamp into "APSO" format, streamline completion, eliminate duplication of efforts, improve accuracy, and ultimately readability & value (go-live June 2013).*
- 2010-2012 Member, Handoff Taskforce  
*-Developed housewide handoff process & education, including "I-5" to verify content by handoff receiver*
- 2010-2018 Non-Voting Member, Medical Staff Executive Committee
- 2011-2021 Chair, Order Set Oversight Committee  
*-See Service Portfolio*
- 2018-2020 Voting Member, Medical Staff Executive Committee

#### Housewide Committees

- 2008-2020 Co-Chair, Medical Care Unit Care Delivery Team  
*-See Service Portfolio*
- 2008-2020 Member, Quality and Clinical Effectiveness Committee
- 2008-2017 Member, Care Delivery Forum
- 2008-2014 Chair, Role Based Communications Taskforce  
*-See Service Portfolio*
- 2008-2009 Member, Asthma Action Plan Compliance Team
- 2008-2010 Physician Lead, Medication Reconciliation Taskforce
- 2008-2010 Member, Patient Family Advisory Council
- 2009 Member, Coordination of Care Committee
- 2009-2011 Member, Grievance Committee
- 2011-2014 Co-Chair, Discharge Summary Improvement Taskforce  
*-Served as physician lead for Discharge Summary Improvement & Closed Loop Lab Committees, and represented inpatient physician workflows in this corporate goal.*
- 2013 Member, Clinical Documentation Improvement Taskforce
- 2013 Member, Observation Process Taskforce
- 2013-current Inpatient Physician Lead, Closed Loop Labs Taskforce  
*-See Service Portfolio*
- 2014-2018 Member, Referring Provider Communication Taskforce  
*-Worked with stakeholders to ensure seamless communication between CNHS staff and referring providers, including identifying PCP at admission. Improved transmission of completed interprofessional discharge summary to referring providers by improving EMR workflow.*
- 2014-2020 Member, Patient Safety Committee
- 2014-2017 Co-Chair, Safety in Numbers Taskforce, Technology Subcommittee
- 2016-current Member, Disruptive Patient Taskforce

**Departmental**

- 2008-2009 Physician Lead, Pamidronate Infusion Program
- 2008-2010 Physician Lead, Hospitalist Orthopedics Co-Management Program
- 2018-2021 Hospitalist Billing Project  
*-Division lead for project to improve timely professional billing using QI methodology, ABMS MOC eligible.*
- 2020-2021 Interim Associate Chief for Operations
- 2021-current Associate Chief for Operations

**External**

- Nov 2022- District of Columbia Board of Medicine

**7) EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

**Newark Beth Israel Medical Center**

- 2001-2005 Pediatric Resident & Chief Resident  
*-Quarterly lecture to pediatric residents and medical students on variety of core topics*
- 2004-2005 Pediatric Chief Resident  
*-Developed inaugural Senior Resident Board Preparation Course, mentored junior residents*
- 2004-2005 Graduate Medical Education Committee, Member
- 2004-2005 Inpatient Academic Attending

**Texas Children's Hospital/ Baylor College of Medicine**

- 2005-2007 Interesting Case Presentations biannual presentation
- 2006 Physician, Patient & Society Pediatrics  
*-Faculty volunteer to demonstrate physical exam findings to 2<sup>nd</sup> year medical students*
- 2005-2007 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Journal Club  
*-Semi-annual presentation*
- 2006-2007 Pediatric Hospital Medicine/ Emergency Medicine Morbidity & Mortality  
*-Semi-annual presentation*
- 2006-2007 Inpatient Academic Attending
- 2007 Pedi101 Evidence-Based Medicine Tutor

**Children's National Medical Center/ George Washington University School of Medicine**

- 2007-current Inpatient Academic Attending
- 2007-current Pediatric Hospital Medicine Fellowship Core Faculty
- 2008-current Pediatric Hospital Medicine Fellowship Selection Committee
- 2008-2009 Practice of Medicine I
- 2008-current Hospitalist Division Journal Club Series, Director

- 2008-current Hospitalist Division Journal Club Series bi-annual presentation
- 2010-current Hospitalist Division Faculty Development Series "Morbidity & Mortality series bi-annual presentation
- 2010-current Pediatric Residency Selection Committee
- 2012 Hospitalist Division Faculty Development Series "Quality Improvement 101"
- 2011-current Fellows' Core Curriculum Quality Improvement Course, Director  
-Mentor ~30 fellows across ~15 fellowship programs through a QI project
- 2013-2017 Workplace Communication Workshop  
-Presented at numerous national, institutional, and departmental venues
- 2013-current Effective Poster Presentation Workshop  
-Presented at numerous national, institutional, and departmental venues
- 2014-current Senior Resident as Teachers Evidence Based Medicine monthly session
- 2015-current Pediatric Residency Morbidity & Mortality Conference Faculty Mentor
- 2015-current Pediatric Residency Intern OSCE, Faculty Facilitator
- 2015-current Pediatric Residency Intern Orientation "Discharge Summary"
- 2015-current Pediatric Capstone Course "Evidence Based Medicine"
- 2017-2019 Interprofessional Quality Improvement Curriculum, Faculty
- 2017-2019 Quality Improvement Leadership Training [QUILT] for Fellowship Program Directors, Co-Director
- 2019-current Quality Improvement Leadership Training [QUILT], Faculty & Mentor

**National**

- 2019-2020 Academic Pediatric Association Quality & Safety Improvement Scholars Program: Member, Faculty Steering Committee
- 2019-2022 Society for Hospital Medicine Quality Improvement Special Interest Group: Member, Quality Improvement Initiative Subgroup

**Peer Review**

- 2011-2015 Abstract Reviewer, annual CNMC Research & Education Week
- 2011-current Abstract Reviewer, annual Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference
- 2011-current Abstract Reviewer, annual Pediatric Academic Societies Conference
- 2014-current Abstract Reviewer, annual Institute for Healthcare Improvement Conference
- 2015-current *Ad Hoc* Reviewer, Hospital Pediatrics
- 2016-current *Ad Hoc* Reviewer, Journal for Pediatric Quality & Safety

**Mentorship - See Educator's Portfolio for full list of mentees & accomplishments**

- 2012-current Hospitalist Fellow Scholarly Oversight Committee (SOC)
- 2012-current Hospitalist Fellowship Mentor
- 2012-current REACH Residency Project Mentor
- 2019 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference American Academy of Pediatrics Section of Hospital Medicine Mentor for Speed Mentoring in Clinical Research



**8) CONSULTANT APPOINTMENTS**

Not Applicable

**9) GRANTS AWARDED**

2009 Board of Visitors Grant  
*Principal Awardee.* \$7500 to implement dry erase communication boards in patient rooms to facilitate communication with medical team.

**10) PUBLICATIONS** (*Italics denotes mentee*)

**Peer Reviewed**

1. Seelbach EB, Yunghans M, **Pavuluri P**. "The impact of a parent brochure on perceptions of their child's hospitalization." *Hospital Pediatrics*. 2012 Apr 1;2(2):77-82.
2. *Breslin K, Marx J, Hoffman H, McBeth R, Pavuluri P*. "Pediatric early warning score at time of emergency department disposition is associated with level of care." *Pediatric Emergency Care*. 2014 Feb;30(2):97-103.
3. Parikh K, Davis AB, **Pavuluri P**. "Do we need this blood culture?" *Hospital Pediatrics* 2014 Mar;4(2):78-84.
4. *Jurgens V, Spaeder MC, Pavuluri P, Waldman Z*. "Hospital readmission in children with complex chronic conditions discharged from subacute care." *Hospital Pediatrics* 2014 May;4(3):153-8.
5. *Herrmann LE, Emanuel J, Shedlock A, Hoffner W, Pavuluri P*. "Case Report: Adenoviral Hemorrhagic Cystitis." *Consultant for Pediatrics* 2014;13(4):187-188.
6. *Herrmann LE, Winer JC, Kern J, Keller S, Pavuluri P*. "Integrating a clinical librarian to increase trainee application of evidence-based medicine on patient family-centered rounds." *Academic Pediatrics*. 2017;17(3):339-341.
7. Crandall KM, Almuhanha A, Cady R, Fahey L, Floyd TT, Freiburg D, Hilliard MA, *Kalburgi S, Khan N, Patrick D, Pavuluri P, Potter K, Scafidi L, Sigman L, Shah RK*. "10,000 Good Catches: Increasing safety event reporting in a pediatric health care system". *Journal for Pediatric Quality & Safety*. 2018 Mar/Apr;3(2): e072. [CITED AS TOP 10 DOWNLOADED ARTICLES IN JOURNAL FOR 2018]
8. Payne AS, **Pavuluri P**, Sten M-B, et al. A Multimodal Quality Improvement Curriculum for Pediatric GME Program Directors. *American Journal of Medical Quality*. June 2020. doi:10.1177/1062860620929419
9. Synhorst DC, Hall M, Harris M, Gay JC, Peltz A, Auger KA, Teufel RJ 2nd, Macy ML, Neuman MI, Simon HK, Shah SS, Lutmer J, Eghtesady P, **Pavuluri P**, Morse RB. Hospital Observation Status and Readmission Rates. *Pediatrics*. 2020 Nov;146(5):e2020003954.
10. Bettenhausen JL, Noelke C, Ressler RW, Hall M, Harris M, Peltz A, Auger KA, Teufel RJ 2nd, Lutmer JE, Krager MK, Simon HK, Neuman MI, **Pavuluri P**, Morse RB, Eghtesady P, Macy ML, Shah SS, Synhorst DC, Gay JC. The Association of the Childhood Opportunity Index on Pediatric Readmissions and Emergency Department Revisits. *Acad Pediatr*. 2021 Dec 17:S1876-2859(21)00630-6.

**Book Chapters**

1. **Pavuluri P** "Dehydration". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
2. **Pavuluri P** "Diaper Dermatitis". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
3. **Pavuluri P** "Infantile Seborrheic Dermatitis". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
4. **Pavuluri P** "Dermatomyositis/ Polymyositis". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
5. **Pavuluri P** "Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
6. **Pavuluri P** "Diabetes Insipidus". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
7. **Pavuluri P** "Diabetes Mellitus Type 1". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
8. **Pavuluri P** "Diabetes Mellitus Type 2". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
9. **Pavuluri P** "Diabetic Ketoacidosis". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.
10. **Pavuluri P** "Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation". In C Rassbach & Z Waldman (Eds.), 2009 Checklist in Pediatrics 12.0.0. Skyscape Publishers.

#### **Abstracts**

1. **Pavuluri P**, Han YS, Caviness AC. "Communication Boards Improve Caregiver Satisfaction During Pediatric Hospitalization". Poster Presentation at 2007 Pediatric Academic Societies Conference (Toronto, Canada).
2. **Pavuluri P**, Han YS, Caviness AC. "Communication Boards Improve Caregiver Satisfaction During Pediatric Hospitalization". Poster Presentation at 2007 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Salt Lake City, UT).
3. **Pavuluri P**, Davis A, DeWolfe C, Song X, Stockwell D. "Implementation and evaluation of CPOE-based decision-making tool for inpatient transmission precautions". Poster presentation, 2011 Children's National Medical Center Research Week (Washington, DC).
4. **Pavuluri P**, Davis A, DeWolfe C, Song X, Stockwell D. "Implementation and evaluation of CPOE-based decision-making tool for inpatient transmission precautions". Poster presentation, 2011 National Association Children's Hospitals & Related Institutions (Baltimore, MD)
5. Breslin K, Marx J, Hoffman H, McBeth R, **Pavuluri P**. "Pediatric Early Warning Score at time of emergency department disposition is associated with level of care". Poster Presentation, 2012 American Federation for Medical Research (Washington, DC).
6. **Pavuluri P**, King MA, Ogunlesi F, Freiburg D. "Improving Communication with Limited English Proficiency Patients and Families" Poster Presentation, 2012 CNMC Research Week (Washington, DC).
7. **Pavuluri P**, King MA, Ogunlesi F, Freiburg D. "Improving Nursing Participation in Multidisciplinary Family Centered Rounds" Poster Presentation, 2012 CNMC Research Week (Washington, DC).
8. Breslin K, Marx J, Hoffman H, McBeth R, **Pavuluri P**. "Pediatric Early Warning Score at time of emergency department disposition is associated with level of care". Poster Presentation, 2012 CNMC Research Week(Washington, DC).

9. **Pavuluri P**, King MA, Ogunlesi F, Freiburg D. "Improving Communication with Limited English Proficiency Patients and Families" Poster Presentation, 2012 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Covington, KY).
10. **Pavuluri P**, King MA, Ogunlesi F, Freiburg D. "Improving Nursing Participation in Multidisciplinary Family Centered Rounds" Poster Presentation, 2012 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Covington, KY).
11. *Breslin K, Marx J*, Hoffman H, *McBeth R*, **Pavuluri P**. "Pediatric Early Warning Score at time of emergency department disposition is associated with level of care". Poster Presentation, 2012 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Covington, KY).
12. Parikh K, Davis A, Zeltser D, **Pavuluri P**, "Blood Culture Utilization and Results for Common Inpatient Pediatric Diagnoses". Poster Presentation 2012 American Academy of Pediatrics Conference (New Orleans, LA).
13. *Jurgens V, Spaeder MC*, **Pavuluri P**, Waldman Z. "Hospital readmission in children with complex chronic conditions discharged from subacute care." 2013 Pediatric Academic Societies National Meeting (Washington, DC)
14. *Herrmann LE, Emanuel J, Shedlock A*, Hoffner W, **Pavuluri P**. "Case Report: Adenoviral Hemorrhagic Cystitis." Poster Presentation 2014 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (New Orleans, LA).
15. **Pavuluri P**, O'Brien A. "Role Based Communications: Streamlining Who's in Charge?" Poster Presentation 2014 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
16. **Pavuluri P**, O'Brien A. "Role Based Communications: Streamlining Who's in Charge?" Poster Presentation 2014 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (New Orleans, LA).
17. Corriveau C, **Pavuluri P**, Johnson P. "Fellows' Core Quality Improvement Curriculum Learning by Doing: A Tale of PDSA" Poster Presentation 2014 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
18. **Pavuluri P**, Malkus P, DiFazio M, Perez E, Venus J, Cronin B. "Closed Loop Lab Communications". Poster Presentation 2015 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
19. Ghebremariam E, Rigney K, Kiruthi, H, *Rush M*, Sury C, Tulloch T, Gafford J, Matthew S, **Pavuluri P**. "Reducing 7-Day Readmissions". Poster Presentation 2017 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
20. *Allard B*, **Pavuluri P**. "Technology Trends Among Parents of Hospitalized Children". Poster Presentation 2017 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
21. Ghebremariam E, Rigney K, Kiruthi, H, *Rush M*, Sury C, Tulloch T, Gafford J, Matthew S, **Pavuluri P**. "Reducing 7-Day Readmissions". Poster Presentation 2017 Solutions for Patient Safety National Learning Session (Chicago, IL). **Finalist, Staff Quality Improvement Research**
22. Schultz T, Welch L, Wavra T, Bannerman R, **Pavuluri P**, Robb A, McCalla P, Mason J, Parra M, Talley L. "A Multidisciplinary Taskforce Collaborates to Significantly Reduce Incidence of Disruptive/ Violent Patient "Behaviors". Poster Presentation 2018 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
23. Berkowitz D, Colyer C, Corriveau C, Nalubwama L, **Pavuluri P**, Payne A, Sarnacki R, Soghier L, Sten MB, Patterson M, Ottolini M. "Quality Improvement Leadership Training (QUILT) for Fellowship Program Directors". Poster Presentation 2018 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC). **Finalist, Faculty Educational Research**

24. *Siefman M, Escalante E, Noble A, Diaz P, Pavuluri P.* "Perception among families with Limited English Proficiency (LEP) regarding communication and utilization of interpreter services during hospitalization". Poster Presentation 2018 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC). **Winner, Trainee Clinical Research**
25. Payne AS, **Pavuluri P**, Sten MB, Corriveau C, Berkowitz R, Sarnacki R, Soghier L, Patterson M, Ottolini M. "Quality Improvement Leadership Training Program for Fellowship Program Directors". Poster Presentation 2019 ACGME Annual Educational Conference (Orlando, FL).
26. Rigney R, Ghebremariam E, **Pavuluri P**, Barksdale Bozik K, Jacobson A, Floyd B, Garofalo J, Kabba R, Maldonado E, Winder G. Improve Patient Flow through Appropriate Use of Conditional Discharge Orders". Poster Presentation 2019 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
27. Kiruthi H, Fomene A, Ghebremariam E, Rigney K, **Pavuluri P**. "Pharmacy Discharge Medication Counseling Reduces 7 Day Readmissions". Poster Presentation 2019 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
28. **Pavuluri P**, Ghebremariam E, Kiruthi H, Fomene A, Tulloch T, Gafford J, Mathew S, Rigney K. "7 Day Readmissions Improve with Bundle Compliance". Poster Presentation 2019 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
29. *Noble A, Escalante E, Diaz P, Pavuluri P.* "Increasing Face-to-Face Spanish Interpretations during Patient/ Family Centered Rounds (PFCR)". Poster Presentation 2019 CNMC Research & Education Week (Washington, DC).
30. Payne AS, **Pavuluri P**, Sten MB, Corriveau C, Berkowitz R, Sarnacki R, Soghier L, Patterson M, Ottolini M. "Quality Improvement Leadership Training Program for Fellowship Program Directors". Poster Presentation 2019 AAMC Integrating Quality Conference (Minneapolis, MN)
31. *Balsara S, Watry L, Pavuluri P.* "Not Just Bronchiolitis: When Lying Back Makes You Blue". Electronic Poster Presentation 2019 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Seattle, Washington).
32. **Pavuluri P**, Ghebremariam E, Kiruthi H, Fomene A, Tulloch T, Gafford J, Mathew S, Rigney K. "7 Day Readmissions Improve with Bundle Compliance". Poster Presentation 2019 Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Seattle, Washington).
33. Abalos KC, Schleyer AM, Cerasale MT, Baron S, **Pavuluri P**, Tripathi N, Mandel C. "Hospitalists' Educational Needs in Quality Improvement and Patient Safety Vary by Experience". Poster Presentation 2020 Society for Hospital Medicine Conference (Virtual).
34. Baron S, Cerasale MT, Abalos KC, Schleyer AM, Tripathi N, Mandel C, **Pavuluri P**. "Meta Quality Improvement: How the Initiative Subgroup of the QI Interest Group Uses QI Tools". Poster Presentation 2020 Society for Hospital Medicine Conference (Virtual).
35. Baron S, Schleyer AM, Abalos K, Kaufmann I, Glasgow J, Bazisk J, Cerasale MT, Clarke K, Jamal, Mandel C, Patil N, **Pavuluri P**, Zahra T, Aksoy T, Gambhir HS. "Quality Improvement in the Time of COVID-19: A Quality Improvement Initiative to Build Community and Enhance Engagement". Abstract published at 2021 Society for Hospital Medicine Converge Conference (Virtual). [Abstract 276 Journal of Hospital Medicine.](#)
36. Weston CB, Induru S, Olson E, Queen T, **Pavuluri P**. "Cerebral Venous Sinus Thrombosis in an Infant with Sickle Cell Trait". Oral Poster Presentation, Joint ESPR/AFMR 1st Annual Eastern Medical Research Conference (Virtual), March 2022.
37. Weston CB, Induru S, Olson E, Queen T, **Pavuluri P**. "A Too Fussy 2 Month Old". Clinical Conundrum ePoster. Pediatric Hospital Medicine Conference (Orlando, FL) July 2022.

## 11) PRESENTATIONS

### Regional Presentations

1. **Pavuluri P.** "Pediatric Hospital Medicine". Grand Rounds, 2009 Children's Hospital of New Jersey (Newark, NJ).
2. Seelbach E, Yunghans M, **Pavuluri P.** "Impact of a Parent Brochure on Perceptions of their Child's Hospitalization". 2010 Regional Ambulatory Pediatric Association (Charlottesville, VA).
3. **Pavuluri P, Quitania S.** "Order Set Oversight: Successes & Challenges of an Interprofessional Oversight Committee". 2019 Cerner North Atlantic Regional User Group Conference (Richmond, VA)
4. Ghebremariam E, **Pavuluri P,** Rigney K. "Leveraging the EHR for a Safer Transition Home-Reducing Readmissions". 2018 District of Columbia Hospital Association (DCHA) Education Symposium: DISRUPTION! Relevance Impact and the Road Ahead for Health Care (Washington, DC).

### International/ National Presentations

1. **Pavuluri P.** "Public Health Students' Perspectives on Graduate Public Health Curricula". 1997 American Public Health Association (Indianapolis, IN). Received Public Health Student Caucus Award (1997).
2. Parikh K, Shah N, **Pavuluri P.** "Read My Poster: Tips & Tricks to Creating Effective Scientific Posters". Workshop at 2013 Pediatric Academic Societies National Meeting (Washington, DC).
3. **Pavuluri P,** Shah N, Davis A, Bhansali P, Loke T, Futterman C. "Tips & Tricks to Creating Effective Workplace Communication". Workshop at 2013 Pediatric Academic Societies National Meeting (Washington, DC).
4. **Pavuluri P,** Bhansali B, Davis A, Sterner S, Ryan L. "Tips & Tricks to Creating Effective Workplace Communication". Workshop at 2013 Pediatric Hospitalist Medicine National Meeting (New Orleans, LA).
5. *Librizzi J, Aragona E,* Shah N, McCulloh R, **Pavuluri P,** Parikh K. "Preparing Poster & Brief Oral Presentations". Workshop at 2015 Pediatric Academic Societies National Meeting (San Diego, CA).
6. *Librizzi J, Aragona E,* Shah N, McCulloh R, **Pavuluri P,** Parikh K. "Preparing Poster & Brief Oral Presentations". Workshop at 2015 Pediatric Hospital Medicine National Meeting (San Antonio, TX).
7. **Pavuluri P,** Ottolini M, Griffin T. "LEAN-In to QI: It's CLER-ly Important". Workshop at 2015 Pediatric Hospital Medicine National Meeting (San Antonio, TX).
8. **Pavuluri P,** *Rush M,* Khan A, Vachani J. "QI-on-the-Fly". Workshop at 2019 Pediatric Hospital Medicine National Meeting (Seattle, WA).
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**12) COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- 2005 Hurricane Katrina Medical Relief  
Delivered basic medical care to patients displaced by Hurricane Katrina at Astrodome, Houston, TX
- 2005-2007 Christ United Methodist Church Mexico Medical Missions  
Delivered basic medical care to underserved children in Mexico border towns, three to four trips yearly
- 2016-2017 Pediatric Medical Reserve Corps, Washington DC  
Provided emergency medical assistance during large scale events: Presidential Inauguration (2017), National Museum of African American History and Culture Grand Opening (2016).
- 2020-current Member, Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity Committee, St. Alban's Early Childhood Center





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### **Padmaja Pavuluri**



Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri, DO MPH is a pediatric hospitalist and Associate Chief of Operations for the Hospital Medicine Division at Children's National Hospital, and an Associate Professor at the George Washington University School of Medicine.

Throughout her career, Dr. Pavuluri has held various institutional roles in quality and safety, including Director for Medical Quality, a Medical Unit Director, and Order Set Oversight Committee Chair. She has been involved with numerous unit-based and house wide improvement processes, specifically focused on discharge planning, reducing readmissions, and family centered rounds and care for patients with limited English proficiency. At Children's National, Dr. Pavuluri directs the Fellows' College Quality Improvement Curriculum. Her research interests include readmissions and any opportunity to improve workflow efficiency and enjoyment.

A Ward 3 resident, Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri received a Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine from the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine, a Master's in Public Health from Rutgers University, and a Bachelor of Science in Biology from Duke University. She completed her residency in pediatrics at the Newark Beth Israel Medical Center, her fellowship at Texas Children's Hospital, and a graduate certificate in the Master Teacher and Leadership Development Program from George Washington University.



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Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

**To:** Tommy Wells, Steve Walker  
**From:** Betsy Cavendish  
**Date:** March 8, 2023  
**Subject:** Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Dr. Aeva Gaymon-Doomes, Dr. Carolyn Gorman, Daanish Jones, Dr. Padmaja Pavuluri, and Dr. Asha Payne as members of the Board of Medicine

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**This is to Certify** that this office has reviewed the above-referenced resolutions and found them to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call Vanessa Careiro, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of the Mayor, at 202-724-1303, or me at 202-724-7681.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Elizabeth A. Cavendish'.

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Elizabeth A. (Betsy) Cavendish