

ADRIENNE Q. NGUYEN

EDUCATION

- Des Moines University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Des Moines, IA** July 2022 – present
- DO Candidate, Class of 2026
- University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT** May 2020
- BS, Molecular and Cell Biology
 - BA, Environmental Health (Individualized Major)
 - **Awards:** Honors Scholar, Academic Excellence, Dean’s List

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Medical Association – Medical Student Section

- Elected MSS Region 2 Alternate Delegate to House of Delegates November 2023 – present
- Women in Medicine Standing Committee Advocacy Chair June 2023 – present
- Region 2 Resolution Committee Co-Chair May 2023 – present
- Des Moines University Chapter Delegate to MSS November 2022 – present

American Academy of Pediatrics – Section on Pediatric Trainees (SOPT)

- SOPT Resolution Task Force Member November 2023 – present

Iowa Medical Society

- Political Action Chair for Des Moines University’s Local Chapter January 2023 – present

PUBLICATIONS

Manuscript

- Smith, S.R., Nguyen, A., Chenard, D. et al. Impacts of a University Research Assistant Program: The First Decade. *Med.Sci.Educ.* 33, 1139–1146 (2023). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s40670-023-01852-6>

Health Policies

- Boyce J., et al. (2023, November). Expanding Adverse Childhood Experiences Categories. Interim Meeting, 2023, American Medical Association Medical Student Section Assembly. [Resolution]
- Calac, A., et al. (2022, November). Expanded Housing Voucher Anti-Discrimination Protections. Interim Meeting 2022, American Medical Association Medical Student Section Assembly. [Resolution]
- Calac, A., et al. (2022, November). Tribal Public Health Authority. Interim Meeting 2022, American Medical Association Medical Student Section Assembly. [Resolution]
- Calac, A., et al. (2022, November). Medicaid Managed Care for Indian Health Care Providers. Interim Meeting 2022, American Medical Association Medical Student Section Assembly. [Resolution]

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Connecticut Children's (CT Children's), Hartford, CT

Pediatric Oncology Student Training (POST) Grant Recipient May 2023 – present

- Piloting patient developed educational materials to inform providers about sexual and reproductive health for adolescent and young adult oncology patients.

Clinical Research Assistant and Coordinator September 2020 – July 2022

- Maintained a biorepository and clinical record of specimens for molecular and genomic research.

Chief Research Assistant/Principal Investigator May 2017 – May 2020

- Supervised more than 20+ students going in for weekly shifts at CT Children's emergency department to conduct translational research each academic semester

Connecticut Brownfields Initiative, Storrs, CT

Student Consultant Intern August 2019 - May 2020

- Collaborated with towns in Connecticut to create EPA grant proposals for Brownfield revitalization.
- Analyzed data on ArcMap for Individualized Major capstone project: *Environmental Justice in Brownfield Remediation: An Exploratory Analysis of Trends in Funding.*

UConn Health, Department of Cardiology, Farmington, CT

Health Research Program Student May 2019 – May 2020

- Conducted interviews for patients enrolled in various studies incorporating contingency management treatments.
- Analyzed data using SPSS towards Honors thesis: *Relationship Between Internalizing Problems and Internet Gaming Disorder Symptoms among Treatment-Seeking Youth.*

Injury Prevention Center (IPC), Hartford, CT

Hayley Petit Fellow May 2018 – July 2018

- Developed an Intimate Partner Violence screener for teen adolescents to raise awareness.

UConn Health Migrant Farm Worker Clinics, Farmington, CT

El Instituto Fellow April 2018 – November 2018

- Coordinated didactic and clinical training for volunteers at outdoor mobile clinics.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Atlanta, Georgia

Special Interest Groups Poster Presenter November 2019

- OUR Travel Award: "Relationship Between Internalizing Problems and Internet Gaming Disorder Symptoms among Treatment-Seeking Youth"

International Leadership Association, Ottawa, Canada

Case Competition Team Member October 2019

- Competed on UConn's first case study competition at ILA on a proposed method to address recidivism, rehabilitation, and re-entry in the American prison system

UConn@COP24, Katowice, Poland

Office of Sustainability Fellow November 2018

- Represented UConn at the annual UN Conference of Parties to discuss climate action with global environmental government agencies, corporations, and activist organizations.

Pediatric Academic Societies, Baltimore, Maryland

Poster Presenter April 2019

- Presented poster discussing "Impact of URAP on College Students"

Eastern Society for Pediatric Research, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Poster Presenter

March 2019

- Presented poster discussing “The Effects of a Family’s Trust in Medical Care Providers on Usage of the Pediatric Emergency Department for Non-Emergent Concerns”

WORK EXPERIENCE

UConn Honors Program, Storrs, CT

Honors Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

August 2017 – May 2020

- Facilitated workshops and coached students 1:1 on developing their own leadership skills.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Prevent Blindness Iowa, Des Moines, IA

Vision Screener for Elementary Schools

October 2022 – present

Big Brothers, Big Sister, Des Moines, IA

Mentor

October 2022 – present

Teaching Osteopathic Principles and Procedures, Des Moines, IA

Mentor

August 2022 – present

INTERESTS

- Conversational comprehension in Vietnamese and Spanish
- Formally certified lifeguard
- Traveling on a budget
- Learning about cultural diaspora through food
- Athletic serial hobbyist: competitive triathlons, swimming, tennis, pickleball, volleyball, skiing, rock climbing, ice skating