

**ORIENTATION AGENDA, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 2025**

**Memorial Learning Center (MLC)**

**228 W. Miller Street (NE corner of Carpenter and Rutledge) - Room 1A**

- 7:30 - 8:30     **Registration Opens** / attendees must arrive no later than 7:45am – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Room 1A  
                  ❖ Obtain Orientation Materials
- Breakfast provided** (food/drinks available in the space all day)  
**Photography**
- 8:30 – 8:45     **Welcome to SIU School of Medicine**  
                  Careyana Brenham, MD, FAAFP  
                  SIU School of Medicine, Associate Dean for Graduate Medical Education
- 8:45 – 9:10     **Leadership Welcome**  
                  Akindele Adaramola, MD  
                  Chief Medical Officer, Springfield Memorial Hospital
- Ashish Tokhi, MD, MS, CPE  
                  Chief Physician Executive, Hospital Sisters Health System
- Vidhya Prakash, MD, FACP, FIDSA, FAMWA  
                  Chief Medical Officer, Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs and Population Health, SIU Medicine
- 9:10 – 9:15     **Transition to Employing Hospital Breakout Session**
- 9:15 – 9:50     **Employing Hospital Human Resource Breakout Session**  
                  ❖ HSHS St. John's Hospital – Room 2B – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
                  ❖ Springfield Memorial Hospital –Room 2A – 2<sup>nd</sup> floor
- 9:50 – 10:00    **Break / Transition to 1A**
- 10:00 – 10:30   **Physician Health & Wellness**  
                  Careyana Brenham, MD, FAAFP
- 10:30 – 10:45   **Welcome from the SIUSOM Office of Antiracism, Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion**  
                  Christopher Smyre, MD, Director of Research and Innovation  
                  Kelly Hurst, D.Ed., Equity Strategist
- 10:45 – 10:55   **Risk Management**  
                  Meghan Gripp, Risk Management, Springfield Memorial Hospital  
                  Megan Konkrite, Claims Coordinator/Risk Management, HSHS St. John's Hospital
- 10:55 – 11:00   **Compliance / Privacy Information**  
                  Taylor Welch, Compliance Specialist, SIU School of Medicine
- 11:00 – 11:10   **Medical Library**  
                  Geoffrey Pettys, Director of Medical Library, SIU School of Medicine
- 11:10 – 11:30   **Hospital / GME Information & wrap up for lunch**  
                  Pam Brown, Springfield Memorial Hospital – GME Coordinator  
                  Teresa Daenzer, HSHS St. John's Hospital – GME Coordinator



Deborah Dawson, HSHS St. John's Hospital – GME Coordinator  
Jennifer Rodgers, MS, C-TAGME, SIU SOM - Director of Graduate Medical Education

**11:30 – 12:30 Lunch & Table Time**

**Participants at Information Tables:**

- ❖ GMEC Representatives
- ❖ International Medical Graduate Welcome Ambassadors
- ❖ Office of Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion
- ❖ Sangamon County Medical Society
- ❖ SIUSOM Center for Human & Organizational Potential (cHOP)
- ❖ SIUSOM Medical Library
- ❖ Sangamon County Courthouse Facility Dog

**12:30 – 1:15 Resident Life**

- ❖ Social
- ❖ Family
- ❖ Cultural

**1:15 – 1:45 Physician Competencies, Professionalism, Clinical Work Hours**  
Careyana Brenham, MD, FAAFP

**1:45 – 2:00 Break**

**2:00 – 3:00 Introduction to Social Determinants of Health**  
Meredith Volle, MD, MPH  
Education Director, SIUSOM Population Science and Policy

**3:00 – 3:15 Closing Remarks**  
Careyana Brenham, MD, FAAFP

**3:15 – 4:00 Prairie Heart Cardiac Rehab Orientation (optional)**

**2025-2026 SIU New Resident Orientation Survey**

