



Diversity and Inclusion Committee

Of The Department of Behavioral Health and Psychiatry

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Eid al-Adha



Eid al-Adha is the Muslim holiday that honors the sacrifice Ibrahim (Abraham) was willing to make in obedience to God's command: the life of his beloved son Isaac. But when Ibrahim was about to sacrifice his son, God —impressed with Ibrahim's faith — provided a sacrificial ram in the boy's place. People of Islamic faith around the world, celebrate this holiday every July 19th-20th surrounded by family and friends. We can all join in this spirit of sharing on this special day.

This holiday also reminds us of the unique cultures and beliefs that we as individuals carry. Knowing about this can motivate us to keep an open mind for the religious and spiritual beliefs of others.

Our colleagues and patient population that we treat is vastly diverse and embracing our differences can truly unite us all!





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MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Nidhi Sharoha



Dr. Nidhi Sharoha is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychiatry. She joined the Division of Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry in December 2018. She completed medical school at the New York Institute of Technology College of Osteopathic Medicine. While in medical school, she went on to do a combined Allopathic/Osteopathic Residency in Psychiatry at Nassau University Medical Center. In Nassau University, she served as Chief Resident of Research and Education and was awarded high scholarly achievement. Following her residency, she completed fellowship training in Consultation Liaison Psychiatry at Nassau University Medical Center as well. Dr. Sharoha has been involved in education throughout her career, teaching students, residents and psychology trainees. Currently, Dr. Sharoha has an added role in orienting and teaching medical students who rotate through Consultation Liaison Psychiatry and in 2020 she was appointed as Associate Fellowship Program Director. Dr. Sharoha has also published several case reports including a report on COVID 19 patients with tracheostomy and anxiety management.

