



**Hometown:** Terrell, TX

**Undergraduate School:** BS, Biology Trinity University San Antonio, TX  
MS, Human Nutrition Columbia University New York, NY  
MPH, University of Texas Houston, TX

**Medical School:** University of Texas Health Science Center of San Antonio

**Medicine Interests and plans after residency:**

Infectious Dermatology, Tropical Diseases, Refugee Health

**Why did you decide to come to the U of M Residency Program?**

I enjoyed all of the people I met on the interview and was impressed with how down to earth and intelligent people were; this is also one of the few institutions that offer a combined program in Internal Medicine and Dermatology.

**What do you enjoy most about the program?**

My colleagues, excellent faculty, and the administration's willingness to improve upon the curriculum and education.

**Languages spoken other than English:**

Spanish

**Furthest you've traveled from home?**

India

**Favorite Minnesota Activity you want to try?**

Snowshoeing

**Coollest/Geekiest/Random thing about you?**

I love DIY and I have done several projects making various (relatively uncomplicated) wooden structures including a desk/tabletop, succulent picture frames (google it), and restoring a work bench to make a pseudo-industrial console table.

**Your first job?**

Working at a Garden Center

**If you weren't a physician you would be \_\_\_\_.**

A public health worker, focusing on nutrition in the developing world.