

OATH

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FOR MY FAMILY

FOREWORD

The Language of Medicine

The language of medicine is something that one only truly begins to grasp only after medical students complete their first two years of classroom coursework and are allowed to enter the hallways of the hospital. Here, the pictures and paragraphs in medical textbooks come to life, and students realize the responsibility and reason behind their diligent studies. While everything they have learned up until this point is in service towards their patients, they soon learn that the practice of medicine is quite different from what you learn books. It is as if another unwritten language and form of communication exists between a physician and their patient. This book was created in the spirit of finding that voice, realizing their call to medicine, and the search for the kind of doctor they want to be to fulfill that calling. To further complete their training, each medical student must learn that none of the knowledge gained in medical school means anything without the trust of their patient.

These photos were taken throughout the rotations through each physician specialty in search for which specialty suited them best, but also to understand the true meaning of being a physician and the meaning behind the spirit of the words that are spoken ceremoniously in the Hippocratic Oath before receiving the title "Doctor of Medicine" upon their graduation. OATH is a tribute to that promise made between physician and patient.

Throughout these rotations it was discovered that all unknown males and females in this particular hospital are given names that correspond to the official naming system of the International Code of Signals. This alphabet is known over both sea waves and air waves. For each nautical flag has its own unique name spoken over radio: Alfa, Bravo, Charlie, Delta, etc. This alphabet, like the language of medicine, is universal to those who know its code and this book serves as a metaphor to discovering the language of medicine, a language in which so much communication does not involve words.

Like an alphabet book that serves as a beginner's guide to one who must first learn each individual letter in order to eventually construct words and phrases to communicate, each unknown "John" or "Jane" Doe patient case is an experience and a key character to learning the language of medicine. It is here in this book that I have documented moments in the hospital, with consent of both the patients and their caregivers, moments that have highlighted to me daily life in the hospital and the humanity and compassion in medicine that must always be present. It is often said that doctors never forget their very first patients in medical school because they help construct the foundation of experience that will serve for them as reference points for years to come.

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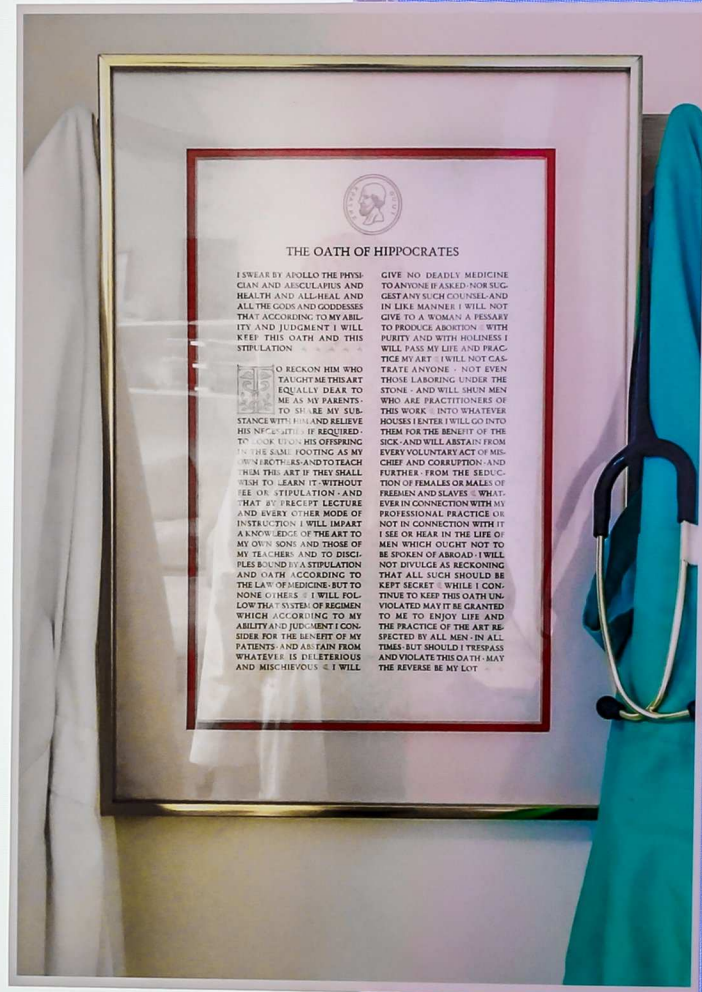
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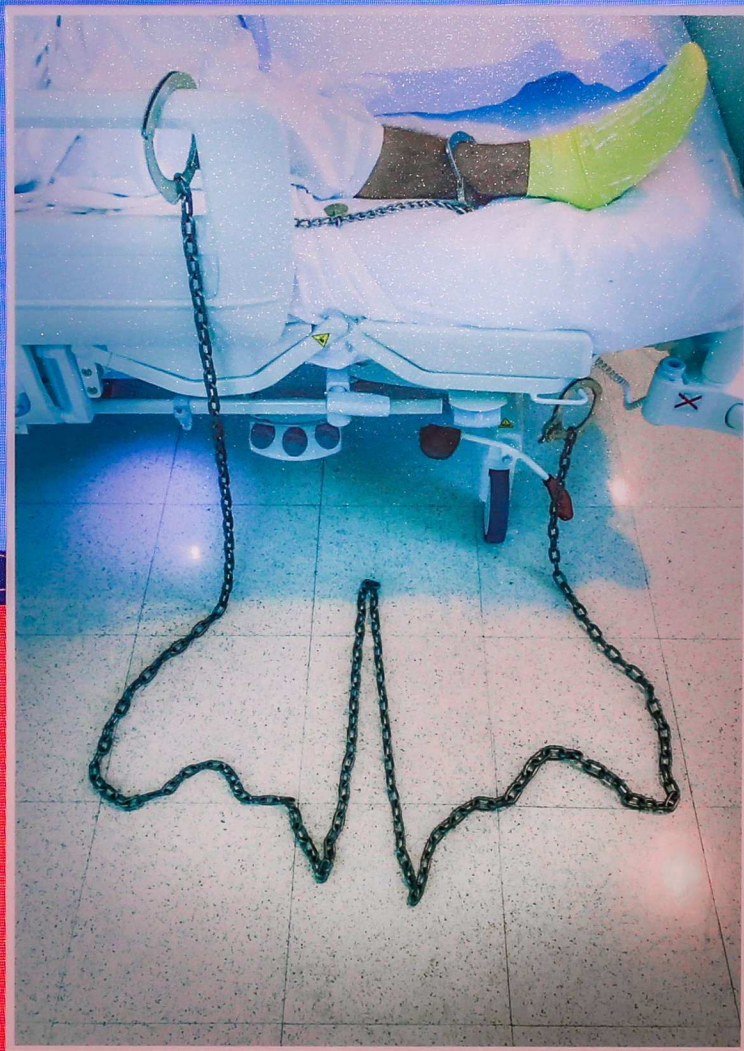
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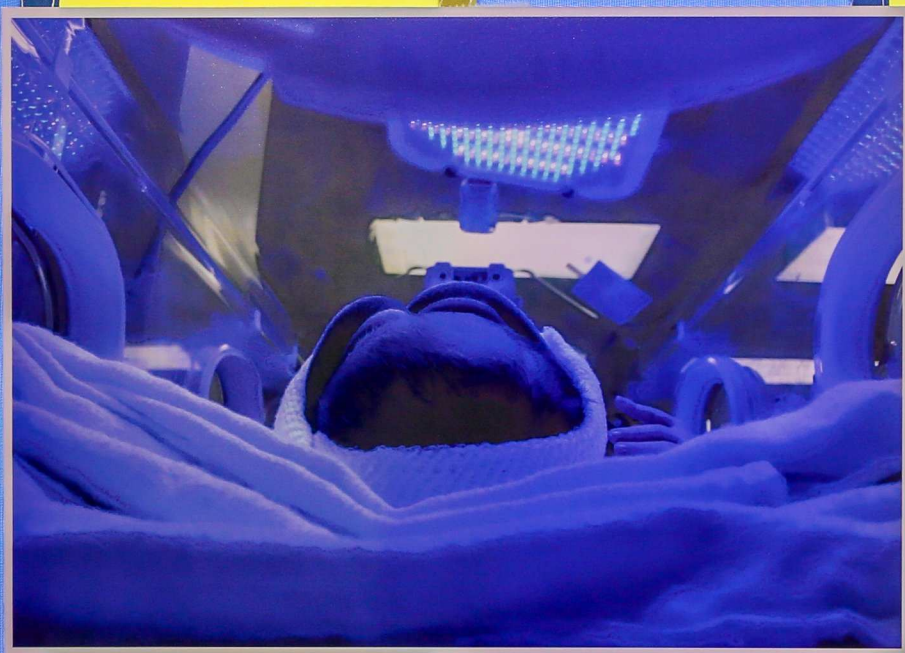
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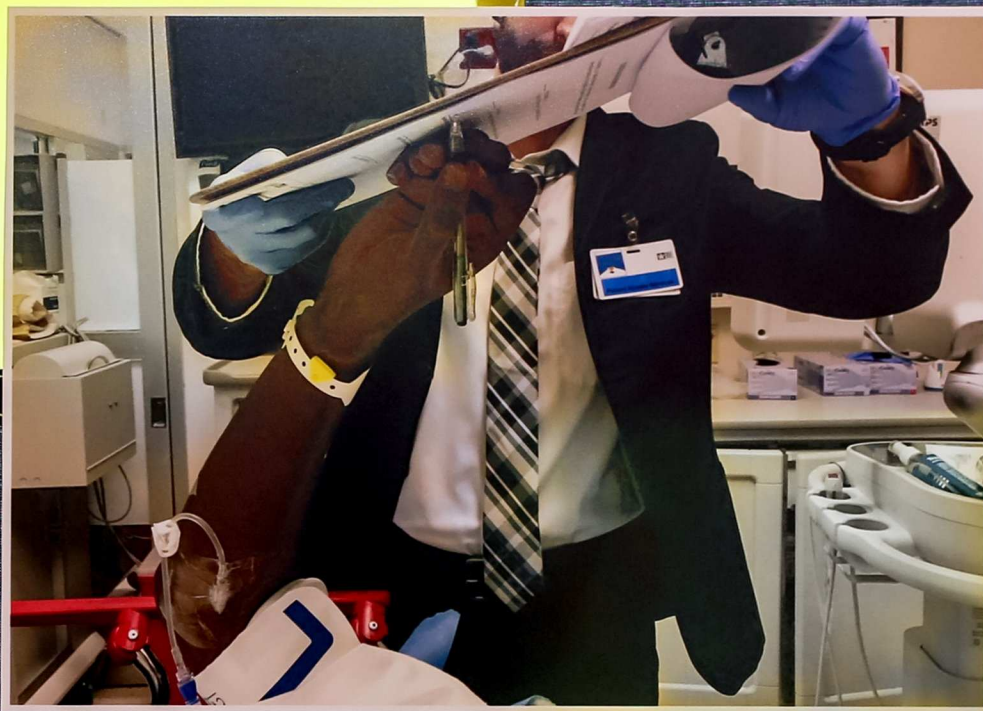
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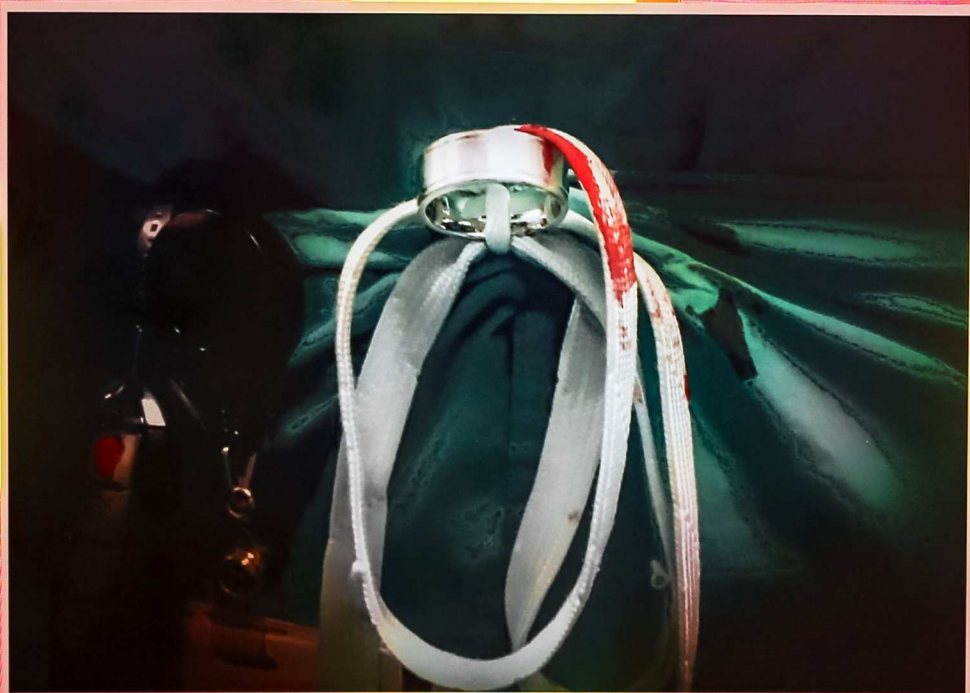
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ZULU , UNKFEMALE

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