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What Makes Us Better?

Increasing diversity improves patient care and outcomes. Increases in diversity across all levels of medicine will lead to better outcomes for all. It is important to remember that diversity is not just about race or gender, but also includes other factors such as socio-economic status, geography, and other characteristics. Just imagine a medical professional who is blind and proficient in Braille. If every clinician were to undergo the same amount of experiences, this individual might have unique insights into the disease's nature and treatment options, which can be beneficial for patients with similar conditions. Diversity makes us better. Diversity leads to better patient care.

Diversity is not only beneficial for patients. Medical professionals benefit from diversity as well. Diversity within the medical field means exposure to different perspectives, which can lead to better decision-making. It is clear that diversity improves the quality of care. Just imagine a medical professional who is fluent in several languages. If every clinician were to speak the same language, the medical field would miss out on unique medical insights.

Diversity makes us better. Diversity is a strength. It makes us better. Diversity is our strength.

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Dean's Corner

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