



Committee of Interns and Residents *SEIU*Healthcare®

Maimonides Medical Center CIR Leadership Team Statement

As leaders of the union for physicians in training at Maimonides Medical Center, we understand that the American healthcare system is broken, and important hospitals like ours are under-resourced. However, we strongly believe that the answers to these challenges are found in working on solutions and prioritizing the voices of real frontline providers, not by external attacks and criticism.

COVID-19 has placed enormous stress on every hospital in the country, with well-publicized national shortages of staff adding to the existing challenges of delivering care during a pandemic.

We are proud of the world-class care that we deliver, with clinical outcomes that are recognized year after year by independent organizations as among the best in the U.S.

Maimonides has always gone above and beyond to engage with the diverse communities it serves and deliver care in a culturally sensitive manner.

Our safety net hospitals like Maimonides need more funding, not less, to address the historically inequitable underfunding of institutions that serve our most vulnerable communities.

As the doctors who care for over 300,000 patients and families who come to Maimonides every year, we appreciate those who place their trust in us for their healthcare needs. Please understand that all of us who are part of Team Maimonides remain committed to and focused on providing the best possible care to every person who walks through our doors.