



## 2024 American Pediatric Society Election Candidate

**Position:** Councilor

**Candidate:** Monika Goyal, MD, MSCE

**Institution(s):** Children's National Hospital and  
George Washington University

**Subspecialty:** Emergency Medicine

## Candidate Statement of Interest

It would be an honor and a privilege to serve on the American Pediatric Society Council. I currently hold the inaugural endowed chair for Women in Science and Medicine (WISH) and serve as Associate Division Chief for Academic Affairs and Research at Children's National Hospital. I am a tenured Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Emergency medicine at George Washington University and lead an NIH-funded research program, ADAPT- Addressing Disparities through Advocacy, Prevention, and Technology. I am an equity science scholar with expertise in leading multicenter pragmatic trials, health services research, and data science. I have published more than 130 peer-reviewed manuscripts and secured more than \$25 million in NIH funding. My research program focuses on identifying and addressing inequities in health care to achieve health equity for all children. This work has focused on adolescent sexual health, pain management, and firearm injuries in youth and has been highlighted in major news outlets such as The New York Times, Washington Post, and NBC Nightly News. I also serve on the editorial board for the *Pediatrics* journal and am a standing NIH study section member. I recently completed the ELAM (Executive Leadership in Academic Medicine) program. My greatest joy comes from mentoring students, trainees, and faculty, and I have a strong interest in faculty development, especially as it relates to justice, equity, diversity, and inclusion. I have had the pleasure of serving as a cohort leader for the APS/SPR Journeys Program for years, which has been a truly rewarding experience. I have also enjoyed my service as a councilor for SPR and would love to now contribute to APS in a similar capacity. Further, I am inspired to engage in national efforts to develop and retain physician scientists, especially women and those who identify as under-represented in medicine through the APS.

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## **Monika Goyal MD, MSCE - Bio**

- 1. Medical education and dates:** University of Pennsylvania, Perelman School of Medicine 2000-2004
- 2. House staff training and dates:** Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia 2004-2007
- 3. Fellowship positions and dates:** Pediatric Emergency Medicine, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia 2007-2010
- 4. Faculty positions:** Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, University of Pennsylvania, Perelman School of Medicine 2010-2012; Assistant Professor of Pediatrics & Emergency Medicine, George Washington University 2012-2018; Associate Professor with Tenure of Pediatrics & Emergency Medicine, George Washington University, 2018-Present
- 5. Current position:** Associate Professor with Tenure of Pediatrics & Emergency Medicine, George Washington University, 2018-Present; Associate Division Chief for Academic Affairs and Research, Children's National Hospital
- 6. Society memberships:** APS, SPR, AAP, APA
- 7. Previous and current service and involvement in the activities of the American Pediatric Society:** Journeys Program Cohort Leader 2020-2022, PAS abstract reviewer for >10 years, PAS session moderator for >10 years
- 8. Areas of research interest:** Health equity, health services, pragmatic clinical trials