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Dear PEAS Committee,

Congratulations! On behalf of the Pediatric Awards Committee, I am so pleased to inform you that the Pediatric Eating And Swallowing (PEAS) Project has received the Annual Innovation Award for the academic year 2020-2021.

Your nomination outlined that the PEAS Project is an innovative, quality improvement initiative, and the committee agreed that your innovative approach fulfilled all of the criteria for this award. Some of the comments from your nomination letters included:

"(T)he PEAS project genuinely listened to and engaged participants as they identified current barriers and facilitators of care."

"The project has been highly successful in achieving its deliverables including the implementation of an online, interactive pathway and resources to improve, standardize, and evaluate care for children with a pediatric eating, feeding or swallowing disorder."

"The PEAS project is a complex and comprehensive undertaking, requiring a highly dedicated and skilled project team, subject matter experts who were consulted locally and internationally, working group members, and many other stakeholders."

"The PEAS Project is well deserving of praise and recognition for achieving such a major milestone, and in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the new PEAS website has even greater relevancy as we shift to virtual care provision."

Your award will be announced to the department on a Faculty and Staff Celebration website that will be launched in June.

We would also like to celebrate your achievement at the virtual Department of Pediatrics' Faculty & Staff Celebration on June 16, 2021; we hope to "see" you there.

Yours sincerely,

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