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Subject: Weekly Wire Submission 5/28 & 6/4

Hi,

I've approved the following for posting in the Wire for the Class of 2018. Two week run-time: 5/28 & 6/4 issues.

University Hospital of Geneva Quality of Care Unit needs your help!

As part of an international study (including Switzerland, France, Germany, Denmark, United Kingdom, Canada, United States of America, Australia) on emotional difficulties among healthcare professionals, our University Hospital of Geneva Quality of Care Unit needs your help!

You will be working soon, not as a trainee anymore, but as a healthcare professional. Your first impressions of your job, the difficulties you will encounter with your patients, and how you will overcome them, can teach us a lot about what novice healthcare professionals are experiencing. Using this information, we will be able to develop a training program in order to better prepare future healthcare professionals for practical clinical work.

If you agree to participate, you will receive a short questionnaire (max. 10 min) by email once a week for 1 year. After the first year, you will receive a questionnaire every six months during 2 years. Throughout the course of the study, you will have access to a psychologist via a helpline (hotline). If you participate in this project, 0.5 CHF (max. 28 CHF / participant) will be donated to the Theodora Foundation (which organizes clown visits for hospitalized children) for each completed questionnaire.

You are, of course, entirely free to accept or refuse to participate in this study. You will also be free to withdraw from this study at any time, without having to provide any justifications. If you decide to participate, please send an email containing your last name, first name, and the email address, you would like to use for this study (it has to last 3 years), to Boris.Cheval@unige.ch

If you agree to participate, you will also be among the first to be informed of the results of the study.

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