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Dr. Nancy Ascher and Dr. Scot Merrick would like to announce the creation of the Sam Bastani Resident and Fellow Emergency Fund, available for residents/fellows in need of emergency medical/insurance coverage should the need arise.

The fund was named in honor of Dr. Sam Bastani (1975-2014), whose training in Cardiothoracic Surgery was delayed by a serious illness.

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