



From the OFFICE OF THE DEAN

Dear Einstein Community:

I want to offer all of you the very best for a peaceful and enjoyable Thanksgiving.

As we gather with family and friends, or take part in other holiday activities, we are reminded that this time of year offers us the opportunity for reflection, to consider the people, events, and accomplishments for which we are grateful, and to gain perspective on what is good and hopeful even though we live in challenging times.

The past month, in particular, has been difficult and unsettling for many in our community and around the world. At Einstein, we are more than a campus community; we are a family. As Dr. Ozuah reminded us at the recent peace and unity vigil, in the words of Nelson Mandela, “Our choices should reflect our hopes and not our fears.”

It is my hope that we can continue our work together to make compassion, tolerance, and respect our guiding lights, and that we remember the strength we draw from our personal and professional communities. Focusing on why we are grateful also can remind us of why our vision for social justice, equitable healthcare for all, and humanity must always be our greater goal.

With gratitude,



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