As the students of the Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine Class of 2018, we pledge:

TO PLACE the patient’s health, interest, and well-being as our first priority.

TO HOLD ourselves and our colleagues to the highest standards of professionalism by valuing honesty, integrity, and accountability.

TO TREAT the patient with respect, compassion, and empathy.

TO HONOR the sanctity of the physician-patient relationship and protect the patient’s trust and confidentiality.

TO SERVE altruistically and without judgement.

TO UPHOLD the traditions of practicing medicine and to incorporate technology responsibly.

TO PRACTICE teamwork in the pursuit of lifelong learning.

TO HAVE THE HUMILITY to realize when a situation extends beyond the scope of our expertise.

TO RESPECT the educational process and foster a collaborative spirit in becoming the best physicians possible.

TO LIVE a balanced and healthy life in order to effectively serve our community.

TO HONORABLY REPRESENT ourselves as ambassadors of our community, our profession, and the Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine.

By embodying these tenets, we will commit ourselves to a life that will bring honor to our profession.