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***PGY2 Solid Organ Transplant Resident***

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Kellie is from Denver, Colorado. She completed her undergraduate studies at Metropolitan State University of Denver, followed by her Doctor of Pharmacy degree at the University of Colorado Skaggs School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Studies. While attending pharmacy school, Kellie served on the executive board of Phi Lambda Sigma, student council affairs, and was an active member of Rho Chi. She went on to complete her PGY1 training at Oregon Health and Science University hospital in Portland, Oregon. Her clinical interests include cardiothoracic transplant, advanced heart failure and mechanical circulatory support, transplant-related infectious diseases, and management of antibody-mediated rejection. Although she misses the Colorado mountains, she is looking forward to spending time in Nashville— in particular, trying out all the delicious food and live music! In her free time, she can be found reading a book, checking out a new restaurant with co-residents, or cooking. A fun fact about Kellie is she was originally pursuing a career in fashion and marketing before switching paths to pharmacy— she's happy she made the change, but she still gets excited over a new pair of shoes.