

## News at NYSIM

### NYSIM Highlights: SOA Additions to the SP team!



This month NYSIM would like to welcome our newest additions to the Standardized Patient (SP) Program, Sean Overstreet and Nicole Pavez! Before joining NYSIM, Sean Overstreet was an administrative professional with over 7 years of experience ranging from customer service, operations, and administrative work. After having worked as an Operations Manager at a medical scribe company, Sean realized a passion for the medical field and teaching. He started to pursue his career in the Department of Education (DOE) but ultimately found his way to NYSIM after deciding that he wanted a role that made an impact, but could also facilitate his desire to breach into the medical world.



Nicole Pavez was previously a Community Organizer at an Environmental Justice non-profit in West Harlem. She has a Master's degree in City & Metropolitan Planning from the University of Utah and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Brigham Young University. Through her studies and professional experiences, Nicole learned how the built environment along with quality of health care impacts communities of color and marginalized communities. Nicole is driven by NYSIM's mission of using simulation to improve health care quality among diverse patient populations. Outside of NYSIM, Nicole enjoys volunteering at WE ACT for Environmental Justice, creating Polymer Clay earrings, and spending time with her Shihtzu.

As Simulations Operations Associates (SOA) Sean and Nicole are bringing their skills and values to supporting OSCEs, and we look forward to seeing how they grow within our team. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to them both!

### NYSIM adopts Society for Simulation in Healthcare's "Healthcare Simulationist Code of Ethics"

The NYSIM Steering Committee recently voted to approve the Society for Simulation in Healthcare's "Healthcare Simulationist Code of Ethics." In line with NYSIM's mission and vision, this Code of Ethics was intended by its creators to, "...ensure that Healthcare Simulationists perform all activities to the highest ethical standards across the globe. It draws on and develops the fundamental values and practices expressed by the United Nations Development Program and other professional associations." The six aspirational values that are described in the Code of Ethics are: *Integrity, Transparency, Mutual Respect, Professionalism, Accountability, and Results Orientation*. We will aim for our staff as well as all faculty & learners who use NYSIM to make a concerted effort to adhere to these values which underscore our own guiding principles. To learn more, please visit the SSIH website here: <https://www.ssih.org/SSH-Resources/Code-of-Ethics>



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***The New York Simulation Center (NYSIM) is committed to supporting safe operations for all learners, faculty & staff.***

*Please note the following operational changes in order to support safe operating procedures:*

1. *NYSIM will adhere to recommended individual numbers per space which are posted throughout the simulation center.*
2. *Group sizes larger than 9 require attendees to be 14 days or more past the completion of their COVID-19 vaccination series; no exceptions.*
3. *All individuals entering Bellevue Hospital (therefore NYSIM) will require a temperature check in the Bellevue Lobby. Individuals may also be required to complete a symptom check.*
4. *All individuals will be required to use hand sanitizer as they enter NYSIM, and continue to follow good hand hygiene while in NYSIM.*
5. *All individuals will be asked to practice social distancing when possible and remain at least six feet apart even when wearing masks.*
6. *Surgical masks must be worn at all times while in NYSIM, unless alone in a closed room.*
7. *All individuals will be asked to report directly into the simulation rooms and not congregate at the front desk. The sitting area is closed.*
8. *No food or drink is permitted. All individuals will be asked to store any food/drink in a locker, or throw it away.*

*NYSIM will work with scheduled programs to adhere to the precautions above. If anyone has any questions/concerns they should contact [NYSIM@nyulangone.org](mailto:NYSIM@nyulangone.org). Leadership at NYSIM will respond promptly to the email.*

*Thank you,  
NYSIM Team*



**NYU Langone Health**

**Everyone is required to wear a face mask, and maintain social distance of 6 feet from others.**

A diagram showing two stylized human figures, one female and one male, standing on a horizontal line. A double-headed arrow between them is labeled "6 FEET". Both figures are wearing face masks.

**Wear your face mask** at all times in this facility.

**Clean your hands often** with soap and water or alcohol-based hand sanitizer. **Do not touch your face.**

Three icons: 1. A person wearing a mask with arrows pointing to the nose and chin, labeled "Cover your nose" and "Cover your chin". 2. A hand being washed with soap suds, labeled "Clean your hands". 3. A person touching their face with a red prohibition sign over it, labeled "Do not touch your face".

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## Upcoming Events at NYSIM

*Comments, suggestions and questions to [NYSIM@nyulangone.org](mailto:NYSIM@nyulangone.org) are always welcome to create a better learning and teaching environment for our faculty and learners.*

### **NYSIM Instructor Course 2021**

The 3-day NYSIM Instructor Course focuses on debriefing skills and simulation design. Sessions include Objective Oriented Debriefing, Advanced Debriefing Topics and Simulation Scenario Design. The course will continue to be held live and onsite at NYSIM, implementing safety guidelines that can be found on the NYSIM website (<http://nysimcenter.org/>).

Participants are required to wear surgical masks, and if you do not have one, it will be provided.

#### **2021 Sessions:**

**July 11- 15, Tuesday through Thursday - Waitlist Only**

**August, 9-11, Monday through Wednesday - Waitlist Only**

**November 16-18, Tuesday through Thursday - Registration Open**

To request a spot click the following link: <http://www.nysimcenter.org/courses/instructor-courses>

You will be contacted by Soma Roy ([Soma.Roy@nyulangone.org](mailto:Soma.Roy@nyulangone.org)) to confirm your registration. If the course is full, you will be notified of waitlist status. Please email Soma Roy with any questions.

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Symposium: 11:00am-4:45pm, Happy Hour: 4:45pm-5:45pm, EST.



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