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### Bio

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#### BIO

I am an adult infectious disease fellow completing my post-doctoral research years in Dr. Desiree LaBeaud's lab. My research interests include global health epidemiology, infectious diseases diagnostics and global antimicrobial stewardship.

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Grant recipient, St. George's Small Grant Research Initiative (2023)
- Grant recipient, Stanford King Center on Global Development (2022)
- Student research travel award, SAFMR/SSCI (2018)
- magna cum laude, Emory University School of Medicine (2018)
- Member, Alpha Omega Alpha (2017)

#### BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Global Health Postdoctoral Affiliate, Stanford Center for Innovation in Global Health (2022 - present)

### Publications

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#### PUBLICATIONS

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- **Prevalence and Factors Associated with Herpes Simplex Virus Type 2 Infection in Patients Attending a Baltimore City Emergency Department** *PLOS ONE*  
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