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NYCPM Students Volunteer at Mt. Sinai Community Health Fair; Train Med Students Too

On Saturday, April 11, three third-year NYCPM students volunteered at the Mount Sinai Community Health Fair. This health fair provides about 20 different health screenings, including foot health, free of charge to the East Harlem community. Our three students, Michelle Kaufman, Amanda Riley and Naeemah Ruffin (all 2016) joined with three first-year medical students from the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai to conduct the foot screenings. Ruffin trained the first-year medical student volunteers to properly conduct a foot screening exam. They all stated they learned a great deal about Podiatry (many did not know all of what Podiatrists do) and were grateful that they had signed up to conduct foot screens. The coordinators have already asked Ruffin to return and lead the team next year.



At the Mount Sinai Community Health Fair were Naeemah Ruffin, Michelle Kaufman, Amanda Riley (all NYCPM, 2016) plus two (of three) Icahn School of Medicine at Mt. Sinai student volunteers, Eziwoma Alibo and Christian Pina. They are both first-year medical students.