

Happy Doctors' Day: Doctors Being Sent Home, Will Be 'Not On Call, Not Available' Until Tomorrow



That's a really long stethoscope

WASHINGTON, DC - In an annual holiday thrown by health care systems to celebrate the contributions of physicians and publicly acknowledge that they "[look like crap](#)" and "[need some rest for a change](#)," this National Doctors' Day will offer a sincere [thank you](#) by sending all physicians and [surgeons](#) across the nation home and making them unavailable.

"[Nurses get a whole week each year](#), so it's only fair that doctors really take advantage of this day," explained American Nurses Association President Pamela Cipriano, PhD, RN, FAAN. "Besides, with the rolling out of these [call lights with](#)

[lockout intervals](#) and the tricks we have up our sleeves, I think nurses are gonna be a-okay until tomorrow.”

President Andrew Gurman, President of the American Medical Association, appreciated the gesture. “All right, guys,” he told physicians from coast to coast. “You got 24 hours. No [interruptions](#), no [pages](#), no [notes](#), no nothing. Try to get some [sleep](#) for Pete’s sake. Let’s take this opportunity to recharge and, more importantly, [work on our resting bitch faces](#). Make the most of it!”

A Gomerblog poll of 2,000 physicians across specialties revealed 80% of physicians plan to sleep today, 10% plan to do a “lifetime’s worth of [laundry](#),” 5% plan to “[say hello to their family and loved ones](#)” if they can remember what they look like, and 5% plan to do an “unholy amount of [Netflix](#) binging.”

To ensure that patients remain cooperative while doctors are inaccessible, they will be given extra [ginger ale](#) and [turkey sandwiches](#). In addition, the filling out of [patient satisfaction surveys](#) will be suspended. If these measures doesn’t work, [Ativan diffusers](#) and [Haldol blowdarts](#) have been deployed and are on standby.

“Thank you, doctors, for all that you do, Happy Doctors’ Day!” read a beautiful banner hung above the entry way at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. “Now rest up and make yourselves great again, even though you aren’t here to read this banner!”