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CHEN JOINS UMMC FACULTY IN STROKE, NEUROCRITICAL CARE

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JACKSON, Miss. – Dr. Shirley Chen has joined the Medical Center faculty as an assistant professor of neurology as a neurocritical care/stroke specialist.

A 1998 graduate of New York University, Chen received the M.D. from the Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. She completed an internship at Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore in 2006 and residency training in neurology at the University of South Florida in 2009. Also, she completed a fellowship in neuro critical care at California Pacific Medical Center in 2011.

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