

## Biography - Carrie Cunningham, MD, MPH

Carrie Cunningham, MD, MPH is a clinician scientist in endocrine surgery, who aspires to improve patient outcomes by providing expert, innovative, evidence-based clinical care and by performing state-of-the-art research. Since her promotion to Associate Professor, she has been supported for her research program, published broadly (~40 publications since 2018), and been invited to speak nationally and internally for her health services research. As a teacher, mentor, and member of the Harvard Faculty of Medicine, she looks forward to training and mentoring future surgical leaders and scientists, with a focus on endocrine disorders and cancer. She has served as a leader in a number of different organizations and was elected as the President of the Association for Academic Surgery. As the platform for her presidency and continued publication, speaking, and advocacy, she continues to advocate for mental health destigmatization, removal of barriers and access to affordable resources, and cultural change.