Meet the 2021-2022
EMS and Disaster Medicine Fellows!

Timothy Hong completed residency in Emergency Medicine at UCSF-SFGH and is excited to continue his career in San Francisco as one of its EMS and Disaster Medicine Fellows. He is excited to bring his interest in Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion to the world of EMS and Disaster, including engaging in EMS disparities research and getting involved in community paramedicine initiatives. He is also excited to help build out San Francisco’s disaster response capabilities, as well as strengthen educational programs for providers working in the city.

Courtney Shay is originally from Maryland, where her journey into EMS and Disaster Medicine started at the Rockville Volunteer Fire department. She worked as a firefighter/paramedic for several years before moving to Washington, DC to complete medical school and then to Phoenix, AZ where she completed residency in Emergency Medicine. She is currently one of the two EMS and Disaster Medicine Fellows at UCSF, where her work involves quality improvement, protocol development, and disaster management initiatives. She hopes to use her experience working as a first responder to help translate larger concepts and research into meaningful and applicable results in the pre-hospital environment.