

AMA-YPS FINAL ACTIONS

The following items were debated at the 2017 Interim Assembly Meeting. The chart below presents the AMA-YPS final actions as well as follow-up actions. These items will remain as directives to the AMA-YPS Governing Council until it determines that the action requested has been completed.

Resolution/Report	AMA-YPS action	Follow-up action
Report A: Governing Council Activities/Action Plan Update	<p>Filed</p> <p>Report A is a compilation of activities accomplished by the AMA-YPS since the 2017 Annual Meeting. Updates on AMA-YPS objectives are organized under four main categories: focus; communications; leadership development; and membership and involvement.</p>	---
Report B: AMA Advocacy Efforts	<p>Filed</p> <p>Report B describes AMA and AMA-YPS advocacy efforts undertaken since the 2016 Interim Meeting.</p>	--
Report C: AMA-YPS Internal Operating Procedures	<p>Adopted as Amended</p> <p>Report C includes a brief report from Ad Hoc Committee on the YPS Internal Operating Procedures ("IOP Committee"). The IOP Committee offered various changes including updated language related to the Governing Council duties, absentee ballots, candidate endorsements, and candidate nominations. It was recommended that the changes put forth by the Internal Operating Procedures (IOP) Committee in YPS Report C would be adopted.</p> <p>YPS Report C was adopted as amended. Based on the action of the AMA-YPS Assembly, Section X, Subsection D of the AMA-YPS IOP was amended to include the following language:</p> <p>Application materials provided by candidates will be made available to properly credentialed YPS representatives prior to the Interim meeting. Candidates shall be presented on the floor of the YPS Assembly at the Interim</p>	The AMA-YPS IOP will be submitted to the AMA Council on Constitution and Bylaws for review.

	<p>meeting <u>and be given the opportunity for brief remarks ahead of a house vote.</u> Successful candidates must achieve a 2/3 majority vote (simple majority vote will be used to narrow the field when <u>only two candidates have requested the endorsement; when there are three or more candidates, if any single candidate receives a majority then that candidate will proceed to a subsequent vote to attain a 2/3 majority, otherwise the top two plurality vote getters will be listed on the subsequent ballot and the candidate attaining a simple majority will proceed to the subsequent 2/3 majority vote</u> when more than one candidate has requested endorsement). Candidates endorsed through this process may subsequently include the YPS endorsement on any promotional materials.</p> <p>Further, Section XI, Subsection C of the AMA-YPS IOP was amended to include the following language:</p> <p>Application materials provided by candidates will be made available to properly credentialed YPS representatives prior to the Interim meeting. Candidates shall be presented on the floor of the YPS Assembly at the Interim meeting and be given the opportunity for brief remarks ahead of a house vote. Successful nominees must achieve a 2/3 majority vote (simple majority vote will be used to narrow the field when <u>only two candidates have requested the nomination; when there are three or more candidates, if any single candidate receives a majority then that candidate will proceed to a subsequent vote to attain a 2/3 majority, otherwise the top two plurality vote getters will be listed on the subsequent ballot and the candidate attaining a simple majority will proceed to the subsequent 2/3 majority vote</u> when more than one candidate has requested nomination). Candidates nominated through</p>	
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	<p>this process may subsequently include the YPS nomination on cards and other promotional materials.</p>	
<p>Emergency Resolution 1: Giving Rights to Ectopic Pregnancies</p>	<p>Adopted as Amended</p> <p>Emergency Resolution 1 asked the AMA to oppose any policies that may potentially give probate, inheritance, social security, or other legal rights to ectopic pregnancies (including but not limited to cervical, intramural, cornual, interstitial, ampullary, ovarian, and Cesarean scar ectopic pregnancies) and/or molar pregnancies. Also, this resolution asked the AMA to oppose any personhood measure that is not based on sound scientific or medical knowledge, or which threatens the safety and effective treatment of patients. In addition, Emergency Resolution 1 asked the AMA to oppose any imposition on medical decision-making or the physician-patient relationship by changes in tax codes or in the definitions of beneficiaries.</p> <p>Further, this resolution requested immediate consideration at the 2017 Interim Meeting of the AMA HOD.</p>	<p>Forwarded to the AMA House of Delegates for consideration at the 2017 Interim Meeting.</p> <p>This resolution was considered as Resolution 007. The following substitute resolution, which included a change in title, was adopted in lieu of Resolution 007:</p> <p>Political Interference in the Patient-Physician Relationship RESOLVED, That our AMA oppose any policies that interfere with the patient-physician relationship by giving probate, inheritance, a social security number, or other legal rights to an undelivered pregnancy, or imposing legislative barriers to medical decision-making by changes in tax codes or in definitions of beneficiaries.</p>