

## **MEMORANDUM FROM THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES**

- **All Delegates, Alternate Delegates and others receiving this material are reminded that it refers only to items to be considered by the House.**
- **No action has been taken on anything herein contained, and it is informational only.**
- **Only those items that have been acted on finally by the House can be considered official.**
- **REMINDER: *Only the Resolve portions of the resolutions are considered by the House of Delegates. The Whereas portions or preambles are informational and explanatory only.***



## UNDERSTANDING THE RECORDING OF AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION POLICY

Current American Medical Association (AMA) policy is catalogued in PolicyFinder, an electronic database that is updated after each AMA House of Delegates (HOD) meeting and available online. Each policy is assigned to a topical or subject category. Those category headings are alphabetical, starting with “abortion” and running to “women”; the former topic was assigned the number 5, and “women” was assigned 525. Within a category, policies are assigned a 3 digit number, descending from 999, meaning that older policies will *generally* have higher numbers within a category (eg, 35.999 was initially adopted before 35.984). A policy number is not affected when it is modified, however, so a higher number may have been altered more recently than a lower number. Numbers are deleted and not reused when policies are rescinded.

AMA policy is further categorized into one of four types, indicated by a prefix:

- “H” – for statements that one would consider positional or philosophical on an issue
- “D” – for statements that direct some specific activity or action. There can be considerable overlap between H and D statements, with the assignment made on the basis of the core nature of the statement.
- “G” – for statements related to AMA governance
- “E” – for ethical opinions, which are the recommendations put forward in reports prepared by the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs and adopted by the AMA-HOD

AMA policy can be accessed at [ama-assn.org/go/policyfinder](http://ama-assn.org/go/policyfinder).

The actions of the AMA-HOD in developing policy are recorded in the *Proceedings*, which are available [online](#) as well. Annotations at the end of each policy statement trace its development, from initial adoption through any changes. If based on a report, the annotation includes the following abbreviations:

BOT – Board of Trustees	CME – Council on Medical Education
CCB – Council on Constitution and Bylaws	CMS – Council on Medical Service
CEJA – Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs	CSAPH – Council on Science and Public Health
CLRPD – Council on Long Range Planning and Development	

If a resolution was involved, “Res” is indicated. The number of the report or resolution and meeting (A for Annual; I for Interim) and year (two digits) are also included (eg, BOT Rep. 1, A-14 or Res. 319, I-12).

AMA policy is recorded in the following categories, and any particular policy is recorded in only a single category.

5.000 Abortion	10.000 Accident Prevention/Unintentional Injuries
15.000 Accident Prevention: Motor Vehicles	20.000 Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome
25.000 Aging	30.000 Alcohol and Alcoholism
35.000 Allied Health Professions	40.000 Armed Forces
45.000 Aviation Medicine	50.000 Blood
55.000 Cancer	60.000 Children and Youth
65.000 Civil and Human Rights	70.000 Coding and Nomenclature
75.000 Contraception	80.000 Crime
85.000 Death and Vital Records	90.000 Disabled
95.000 Drug Abuse	100.000 Drugs
105.000 Drugs: Advertising	110.000 Drugs: Cost
115.000 Drugs: Labeling and Packaging	120.000 Drugs: Prescribing and Dispensing
125.000 Drugs: Substitution	130.000 Emergency Medical Services
135.000 Environmental Health	140.000 Ethics
145.000 Firearms: Safety and Regulation	150.000 Foods and Nutrition

155.000 Health Care Costs	160.000 Health Care Delivery
165.000 Health Care/System Reform	170.000 Health Education
175.000 Health Fraud	180.000 Health Insurance
185.000 Health Insurance: Benefits and Coverage	190.000 Health Insurance: Claim Forms and Claims Processing
195.000 Health Maintenance Organizations	200.000 Health Workforce
205.000 Health Planning	210.000 Home Health Services
215.000 Hospitals	220.000 Hospitals: Accreditation Standards
225.000 Hospitals: Medical Staff	230.000 Hospitals: Medical Staff - Credentialing and Privileges
235.000 Hospitals: Medical Staff - Organization	240.000 Hospitals: Reimbursement
245.000 Infant Health	250.000 International Health
255.000 International Medical Graduates	260.000 Laboratories
265.000 Legal Medicine	270.000 Legislation and Regulation
275.000 Licensure and Discipline	280.000 Long-Term Care
285.000 Managed Care	290.000 Medicaid and State Children's Health Insurance Programs
295.000 Medical Education	300.000 Medical Education: Continuing
305.000 Medical Education: Financing and Support	310.000 Medical Education: Graduate
315.000 Medical Records and Patient Privacy	320.000 Medical Review
330.000 Medicare	335.000 Medicare: Carrier Review
340.000 Medicare: PRO	345.000 Mental Health
350.000 Minorities	355.000 National Practitioner Data Bank
360.000 Nurses and Nursing	365.000 Occupational Health
370.000 Organ Donation and Transplantation	373.000 Patients
375.000 Peer Review	380.000 Physician Fees
383.000 Physician Negotiation	385.000 Physician Payment
390.000 Physician Payment: Medicare	400.000 Physician Payment: Medicare - RBRVS
405.000 Physicians	406.000 Physician-Specific Health Care Data
410.000 Practice Parameters	415.000 Preferred Provider Arrangements
420.000 Pregnancy and Childbirth	425.000 Preventive Medicine
430.000 Prisons	435.000 Professional Liability
440.000 Public Health	445.000 Public Relations
450.000 Quality of Care	455.000 Radiation and Radiology
460.000 Research	465.000 Rural Health
470.000 Sports and Physical Fitness	475.000 Surgery
478.000 Technology - Computer	480.000 Technology - Medical
485.000 Television	490.000 Tobacco Use, Prevention and Cessation
495.000 Tobacco Products	500.000 Tobacco: AMA Corporate Policies and Activities
505.000 Tobacco: Federal and International Policies	510.000 Veterans Medical Care
515.000 Violence and Abuse	520.000 War
525.000 Women	600.000 Governance: AMA House of Delegates
605.000 Governance: AMA Board of Trustees and Officers	610.000 Governance: Nominations, Elections, and Appointments
615.000 Governance: AMA Councils, Sections, and Committees	620.000 Governance: Federation of Medicine
625.000 Governance: Strategic Planning	630.000 Governance: AMA Administration and Programs
635.000 Governance: Membership	640.000 Governance: Advocacy and Political Action

## **LIST OF MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THIS HANDBOOK (A-19)**

Resolutions and reports have been collated by referral according to reference committee assignment. In the listing below, referral is indicated by letter in parenthesis following the title of the report. Resolutions have been numbered according to referrals (i.e., those referred to the Reference Committee on Amendments to Constitution and Bylaws begin with 001, Reference Committee B begins with 201, etc.).

The informational reports contain no recommendations and will be filed on Sunday, June 9, unless a request is received for referral and consideration by a Reference Committee (similar to the use of a consent calendar).

- 1. Memorandum from the Speaker**
- 2. Understanding the Recording of American Medical Association Policy**
- 3. Declaration of Professional Responsibility - Medicine's Social Contract with Humanity**
- 4. Delegate / Alternate Delegate Job Description, Roles and Responsibilities**
- 5. Seating Allocation and Seating Chart for the House of Delegates**
- 6. Hotel Maps**
- 7. Official Call to the Officers and Members of the AMA**
  - Listing of Delegates and Alternate Delegates**
  - Officials of the Association and AMA Councils**
  - House of Delegates Reference Committee Members**
- 8. Note on Order of Business**
- 9. Summary of Fiscal Notes**

### **FOLLOWING COLLATED BY REFERRAL**

- 10. Report(s) of the Board of Trustees - Jack Resneck, Jr., MD, Chair**
  - 01 Annual Report (F)
  - 02 New Specialty Organizations Representation in the House of Delegates (Amendments to C&B)
  - 03 2018 Grants and Donations (Info. Report)
  - 04 AMA 2020 Dues (F)
  - 05 Update on Corporate Relationships (Info. Report)
  - 06 Redefining AMA's Position on ACA and Healthcare Reform (Info. Report)
  - 07 AMA Performance, Activities and Status in 2018 (Info. Report)
  - 08 Annual Update on Activities and Progress in Tobacco Control: March 2018 Through February 2019 (Info. Report)
  - 09 Council on Legislation Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies (B)
  - 10 Conduct at AMA Meetings and Events (F)
  - 11 Policy and Economic Support for Early Child Care (D)
  - 12 Data Used to Apportion Delegates (F)
  - 13 Employed Physician Bill of Rights and Basic Practice Professional Standards (G)

- 14 Reforming the Orphan Drug Act; An Optional National Prescription Drug Formulary; Reform of Pharmaceutical Pricing: Negotiated Payment Schedules (B)
- 15 Physician Burnout and Wellness Challenges; Physician and Physician Assistant Safety Net; Identification and Reduction of Physician Demoralization (G)
- 16 Developing Sustainable Solutions to Discharge of Chronically-Homeless Patients (D)
- 17 Ban on Medicare Advantage "No Cause" Network Terminations (B)
- 18 Increased Use of Body-Worn Cameras by Law Enforcement Officers (B)
- 19 FDA Conflict of Interest (B)
- 20 Safe and Efficient E-Prescribing (B)
- 21 Augmented Intelligence in Health Care (B)
- 22 Inappropriate Use of CDC Guidelines for Prescribing Opioids (B)
- 23 Prior Authorization Requirements for Post-Operative Opioids (B)
- 24 Discounted/Waived CPT Fees as an AMA Member Benefit and for Membership Promotion (F)
- 25 All Payer Graduate Medical Education Funding (C)
- 26 Research Handling of De-Identified Patient Information (Amendments to C&B)
- 27 Advancing Gender Equity in Medicine (F)
- 28 Opposition to Measures that Criminalize Homelessness (D)
- 29 Improving Safety and Health Code Compliance in School Facilities (D)
- 30 Opioid Treatment Programs Reporting to Prescription Monitoring Programs (B)
- 31 Non-Payment and Audit Takebacks by CMS (G)
- 32 Impact of High Capital Costs of Hospital EHRs on the Medical Staff (G)

**11. Report(s) of the Council on Constitution and Bylaws - Jerome C. Cohen, MD, Chair**

- 01 Clarification to the Bylaws: Delegate Representation, Registration and Credentialing (Amendments to C&B)
- 02 Section Internal Operating Procedures and Council Rules: Roles of the House of Delegates, Board of Trustees and the Council on Constitution and Bylaws (Info. Report)

**12. Report(s) of the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs - James E. Sabin, MD, Chair**

- 01 Competence, Self-Assessment and Self-Awareness (Amendments to C&B)
- 02 Physician Assisted Suicide (Amendments to C&B)
- 03 CEJA's Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies (Amendments to C&B)
- 04 Judicial Function of the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs - Annual Report (Info. Report)
- 05 Discrimination Against Physicians by Patients (Info. Report)

**13. Opinion(s) of the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs - James E. Sabin, MD, Chair**

- 01 Amendment to E-2.2.1, "Pediatric Decision Making" (Info. Report)

**14. Report(s) of the Council on Long Range Planning and Development - Alfred Herzog, MD, Chair**

- 01 Demographic Characteristics of the House of Delegates and AMA Leadership (Info. Report)

**15. Report(s) of the Council on Medical Education - Carol D. Berkowitz, MD, Chair**

- 01 Council on Medical Education Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies (C)
- 02 Update on Maintenance of Certification and Osteopathic Continuous Certification (C)
- 03 Standardizing the Residency Match System and Timeline (C)
- 04 Augmented Intelligence in Medical Education (C)
- 05 Accelerating Change in Medical Education Consortium Outcomes (Info. Report)
- 06 Study of Medical Student, Resident, and Physician Suicide (C)
- 07 For-Profit Medical Schools or Colleges (Info. Report)

**16. Report(s) of the Council on Medical Service - James G. Hinsdale, MD, Chair**

- 01 Council on Medical Service Sunset Review of 2009 AMA House Policies (G)
- 02 Covering the Uninsured Under the AMA Proposal for Reform (A)
- 03 Medicare Coverage for Dental Services (A)
- 04 Reclassification of Complex Rehabilitation Technology (A)
- 05 The Impact of Pharmacy Benefit Managers on Patients and Physicians (A)
- 06 Preventive Prostate Cancer Screening (A)
- 07 Hospital Consolidation (G)
- 08 Group Purchasing Organizations and Pharmacy Benefit Manager Safe Harbor (G)
- 09 Health Plan Payment of Patient Cost-Sharing (G)
- 10 Alternative Payment Models and Vulnerable Populations (G)
- 11 Corporate Investors (G)

**17. Report(s) of the Council on Science and Public Health - Robyn F. Chatman, MD, Chair**

- 01 CSAPH Sunset Review of 2009 House of Delegates Policies (E)
- 02 Drug Shortages: 2019 Update (Info. Report)
- 03 Low Nicotine Product Standard (D)
- 04 Vector-Borne Diseases (D)

**18. Report(s) of the HOD Committee on Compensation of the Officers - Marta J. Van Beek, MD, Chair**

- 01# Report of the House of Delegates Committee on Compensation of the Officers (F)

**19. Joint Report(s)**

- 01 CME/CSAPH Joint Report - Protecting Medical Trainees from Hazardous Exposure (C)

**20. Report(s) of the Speakers - Susan R. Bailey, MD, Speaker; Bruce A. Scott, MD, Vice Speaker**

- 01 Recommendations for Policy Reconciliation (Info. Report)

**21. Resolutions**

- 001 Opposing Attorney Presence at and/or Recording of Independent Medical Examinations (Amendments to C&B)
- 002 Addressing Existential Suffering in End-of-Life Care (Amendments to C&B)
- 003 Conforming Sex and Gender Designation on Government IDs and Other Documents (Amendments to C&B)
- 004 Reimbursement for Care of Practice Partner Relatives (Amendments to C&B)
- 005 Right for Gamete Preservation Therapies (Amendments to C&B)
- 006 Use of Person-Centered Language (Amendments to C&B)
- 007 Delegation of Informed Consent (Amendments to C&B)
- 008# Preventing Anti-Transgender Violence (Amendments to C&B)
- 009# References to Terms and Language in Policies Adopted to Protect Populations from Discrimination and Harassment (Amendments to C&B)
- 010# Covenants not to Compete (Amendments to C&B)
- 011# Mature Minor Consent to Vaccinations (Amendments to C&B)
- 012# Improving Body Donation Regulation (Amendments to C&B)
- 013# Opposing Office of Refugee Resettlement's Use of Medical and Psychiatric Records for Evidence in Immigration Court (Amendments to C&B)
- 014# Disclosure of Funding Sources and Industry Ties of Professional Medical Associations and Patient Advocacy Organizations (Amendments to C&B)

015# Opposing Mandated Reporting of People Who Question Their Gender Identity (Amendments to C&B)

016# Sexual and Gender Minority Populations in Medical Research (Amendments to C&B)

017# National Guidelines for Guardianship (Amendments to C&B)

018# Support for Requiring Investigations into Deaths of Children in Foster Care (Amendments to C&B)

019# Opposition to Requirements for Gender-Based Medical Treatments for Athletes (Amendments to C&B)

020# Changes to E-5.7, “Physician-Assisted Suicide” (Amendments to C&B)

021# Health, In All Its Dimensions, Is a Basic Right (Amendments to C&B)

022# Opposition to Involuntary Civil Commitment for Substance Use Disorder (Amendments to C&B)

101 Health Hazards of High Deductible Insurance (A)

102 Use of HSAs for Direct Primary Care (A)

103 Health System Improvement Standards (A)

104 Adverse Impacts of Single Specialty Independent Practice Associations (A)

105 Payment for Brand Medications When the Generic Medication is Recalled (A)

106 Raising Medicare Rates for Physicians (A)

107 Investigate Medicare Part D - Insurance Company Upcharge (A)

108 Congressional Healthcare Proposals (A)

109 Part A Medicare Payment to Physicians (A)

110 Establishing Fair Medicare Payer Rates (A)

111 Practice Overhead Expense and the Site-of-Service Differential (A)

112 Health Care Fee Transparency (A)

113 Ensuring Access to Statewide Commercial Health Plans (A)

114 Ensuring Access to Nationwide Commercial Health Plans (A)

115 Safety of Drugs Approved by Other Countries (A)

116 Medicare for All (A)

117 Support for Medicare Disability Coverage of Contraception for Non-Contraceptive Use (A)

118 Pharmaceutical Pricing Transparency (A)

119# Returning Liquid Oxygen to Fee Schedule Payment (A)

120# Medicare Coverage of Hearing Aids (A)

121# Maintenance Hemodialysis for Undocumented Persons (A)

122# Reimbursement for Telemedicine Visits (A)

123# Standardizing Coverage of Applied Behavioral Analysis Therapy for Persons with Autism Spectrum Disorder (A)

124# Increased Affordability and Access to Hearing Aids and Related Care (A)

125# Mitigating the Negative Effects of High-Deductible Health Plans (A)

126# Ensuring Prescription Drug Price Transparency from Retail Pharmacies (A)

127# Eliminating the CMS Observation Status (A)

201 Assuring Patient Access to Kidney Transplantation (B)

202 Reducing the Hassle Factor in Quality Improvement Programs (B)

203 Medicare Part B and Part D Drug Price Negotiation (B)

204 Holding the Pharmaceutical Industry Accountable for Opioid-Related Costs (B)

205 Use of Patient or Co-Worker Experience/Satisfaction Surveys Tied to Employed Physician Salary (B)

206 Changing the Paradigm: Opposing Present and Obvious Restraint of Trade (B)

207 Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Tests (B)  
208 Repeal or Modification of the Sunshine Act (B)  
209 Mandates by ACOs Regarding Specific EMR Use (B)  
210 Air Ambulances (B)  
211 Use of FAIR Health (B)  
212 Pharmacy Benefit Managers (B)  
213 Financial Penalties and Clinical Decision-Making (B)  
214 The Term Physician (B)  
215 Reimbursement for Health Information Technology (B)  
216 Eliminate the Word Provider from Healthcare Contracts (B)  
217 Medicare Vaccine Billing (B)  
218 Payment for Medications Used Off Label for Treatment of Pain (B)  
219 Medical Marijuana License Safety (B)  
220 Study of Confidentiality and Privacy Protection in the Treatment of Substance Disorders (B)  
221 Extending Medicaid Coverage to 12-Months Postpartum (B)  
222 Protecting Patients from Misleading and Potentially Harmful "Bad Drug" Ads (B)  
223 Simplification and Clarification of Smoking Status Documentation in the Electronic Health Record (B)  
224 Extending Pregnancy Medicaid to One Year Postpartum (B)  
225 DACA in GME (B)  
226 Physician Access to Their Medical and Billing Records (B)  
227 Controlled Substance Management (B)  
228 Truth in Advertising (B)  
229 Clarification of CDC Opioid Prescribing Guidelines (B)  
230# State Legislation Mandating Electrocardiogram (ECG) and/or Echocardiogram Screening of Scholastic Athletes (B)  
231# Alignment of Federal Privacy Law and Regulations Governing Substance Use Disorder Treatment (42 CFR Part 2) with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (B)  
232# COPD National Action Plan (B)  
233# GME Cap Flexibility (B)  
234# Improved Access to Non-Opioid Therapies (B)  
235# Prescription Coverage of the Lidocaine Transdermal Patch (B)  
236# Support for Universal Basic Income Pilot Studies (B)  
237# Opportunities in Blockchain for Healthcare (B)  
238# Coverage Limitations and Non-Coverage of Interventional Pain Procedures Correlating to the Worsening Opioid Epidemic and Public Health Crisis (B)  
239# Improving Access to Medical Care Through Tax Treatment of Physicians (B)  
240# Formation of Collective Bargaining Workgroup (B)  
241# Facilitation of Research with Medicare Claims Data (B)  
301 American Board of Medical Specialties Advertising (C)  
302 The Climate Change Lecture for US Medical Schools (C)  
303 Graduate Medical Education and the Corporate Practice of Medicine (C)  
304 Tracking Outcomes and Supporting Best Practices of Health Care Career Pipeline Programs (C)  
305 Lack of Support for Maintenance of Certification (C)  
306 Interest Rates and Medical Education (C)  
307 Mental Health Services for Medical Students (C)



308 MOC Moratorium (C)

309 Promoting Addiction Medicine During a Time of Crisis (C)

310 Mental Health Care for Medical Students (C)

311 Grandfathering Qualified Applicants Practicing in U.S. Institutions with Restricted Medical Licensure (C)

312 Unmatched Medical Graduates to Address the Shortage of Primary Care Physicians (C)

313 Clinical Applications of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine for Medical Students, Residents and Fellows (C)

314 Evaluation of Changes to Residency and Fellowship Application and Matching Processes (C)

315 Scholarly Activity by Resident and Fellow Physicians (C)

316 Medical Student Debt (C)

317 A Study to Evaluate Barriers to Medical Education for Trainees with Disabilities (C)

318 Rural Health Physician Workforce Disparities (C)

319# Adding Pipeline Program Participation Questions to Medical School Applications (C)

320# Opioid Education in Medical Schools (C)

321# Physician Health Program Accountability, Consistency, and Excellence in Provision of Service to the Medical Profession (C)

322# Support for the Study of the Timing and Causes for Leave of Absence and Withdrawal from United States Medical Schools (C)

401 Support Pregnancy Intention Screenings to Improve the Discussion of Pregnancy Intention, Promote Preventive Reproductive Health Care and Improve Community Health Outcomes by Helping Women Prepare for Healthy Pregnancies and Prevent Unintended Pregnancies (D)

402 Bullying in the Practice of Medicine (D)

403 White House Initiative on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (D)

404 Shade Structures in Public and Private Planning and Zoning Matters (D)

405 Gun Violence Prevention: Safety Features (D)

406 Reduction in Consumption of Processed Meats (D)

407 Evaluating Autonomous Vehicles as a Means to Reduce Motor Vehicle Accidents (D)

408 Banning Edible Cannabis Products (D)

409 Addressing the Vaping Crisis (D)

410 Reducing Health Disparities Through Education (D)

411 AMA to Analyze Benefits / Harms of Legalization of Marijuana (D)

412 Regulating Liquid Nicotine and E-Cigarettes (D)

413 End the Epidemic of HIV Nationally (D)

414 Patient Medical Marijuana Use in Hospitals (D)

415 Distracted Driving Legislation (D)

416 Non-Medical Exemptions from Immunizations (D)

417 Improved Health in the United States Prison System Through Hygiene and Health Educational Programming for Inmates and Prison Staff (D)

418 Eliminating the Death Toll from Combustible Cigarettes (D)

419 Universal Access for Essential Public Health Services (D)

420 Coordinating Correctional and Community Healthcare (D)

421 Contraception for Incarcerated Women (D)

422 Promoting Nutrition Education Among Healthcare Providers (D)

423# Mandatory Immunizations for Asylum Seekers (D)

424# Physician Involvement in State Regulations of Motor Vehicle Operation and/or Firearm Use by Individuals with Cognitive Deficits Due to Traumatic Brain Injury (D)

425# Distracted Driver Education and Advocacy (D)  
426# Health Care Accreditation of Correctional, Detention and Juvenile Facilities (D)  
427# Utility of Autonomous Vehicles for Individuals Who are Visually Impaired or Developmentally Disabled (D)  
428# Dangers of Vaping (D)  
429# Support for Children of Incarcerated Parents (D)  
430# Compassionate Release for Incarcerated Patients (D)  
431# Eliminating Recommendations to Restrict Dietary Cholesterol and Fat (D)  
432# Decriminalization of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Status Non-Disclosure in Virally Suppressed Individuals (D)  
433# Transformation of Rural Community Public Health Systems (D)  
434# Change in Marijuana Classification to Allow Research (D)  
501 USP 800 (E)  
502 Destigmatizing the Language of Addiction (E)  
503 Addressing Healthcare Needs of Children of Incarcerated Parents (E)  
504 Screening, Intervention, and Treatment for Adverse Childhood Experiences (E)  
505 Glyphosate Studies (E)  
506 Clarify Advertising and Contents of Herbal Remedies and Dietary Supplements (E)  
507 Removing Ethylene Oxide as a Medical Sterilant from Healthcare (E)  
508 Benzodiazepine and Opioid Warning (E)  
509 Addressing Depression to Prevent Suicide Epidemic (E)  
510 The Intracranial Hemorrhage Anticoagulation Reversal Initiative (E)  
511 Mandating Critical Congenital Heart Defect Screening in Newborns (E)  
512 Fertility Preservation in Pediatric and Reproductive Aged Cancer Patients (E)  
513 Determining Why Infertility Rates Differ Between Military and Civilian Women (E)  
514 Opioid Addiction (E)  
515 Reversing Opioid Epidemic (E)  
516 Alcohol Consumption and Health (E)  
517# Compounding (E)  
518# Chemical Variability in Pharmaceutical Products (E)  
519# Childcare Availability for Persons Receiving Substance Use Disorder Treatment (E)  
520# Substance Use During Pregnancy (E)  
521# Put Over-the-Counter Inhaled Epinephrine Behind Pharmacy Counter (E)  
522# Improved Deferral Periods for Blood Donors (E)  
523# Availability and Use of Low Starting Opioid Doses (E)  
524# Availability of Naloxone Boxes (E)  
525# Support for Rooming-in of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Patients with Their Parents (E)  
526# Trauma-Informed Care Resources and Settings (E)  
527# Increasing the Availability of Bleeding Control Supplies (E)  
528# Developing Diagnostic Criteria and Evidence-Based Treatment Options for Problematic Pornography Viewing (E)  
529# Adverse Impacts of Delaying the Implementation of Public Health Regulations (E)  
530# Implementing Naloxone Training into the Basic Life Support (BLS) Certification Program (E)  
601 AMA Policy Statement with Editorials (F)  
602 Expectations for Behavior at House of Delegates Meetings (F)  
603 Creation of an AMA Election Reform Committee (F)

604 Engage and Collaborate with The Joint Commission (F)  
 605 State Societies and the AMA Litigation Center (F)  
 606 Investigation into Residents, Fellows and Physician Unions (F)  
 607 Re-establishment of National Guideline Clearinghouse (F)  
 608 Financial Protections for Doctors in Training (F)  
 609 Update to AMA Policy H-525.998, "Women in Organized Medicine" (F)  
 610 Mitigating Gender Bias in Medical Research (F)  
 611# Election Reform (F)  
 612# Request to AMA for Training in Health Policy and Health Law (F)  
 613# Language Proficiency Data of Physicians in the AMA Masterfile (F)  
 614# Racial and Ethnic Identity Demographic Collection by the AMA (F)  
 615# Implementing AMA Climate Change Principles Through JAMA Paper Consumption Reduction and Green Healthcare Leadership (F)  
 616# TIME'S UP Healthcare (F)  
 617# Disabled Physician Advocacy (F)  
 701 Coding for Prior Authorization Obstacles (G)  
 702 Peer Support Groups for Second Victims (G)  
 703 Preservation of the Patient-Physician Relationship (G)  
 704 Prior Authorization Reform (G)  
 705 Physician Requirements for Comprehensive Stroke Center Designation (G)  
 706 Hospital Falls and "Never Events" - A Need for More in Depth Study (G)  
 707 Cost of Unpaid Patient Deductibles on Physician Staff Time (G)  
 708# Access to Psychiatric Treatment in Long Term Care (G)  
 709# Promoting Accountability in Prior Authorization (G)  
 710# Council for Affordable Quality Healthcare Attestation (G)  
 711# Impact on the Medical Staff of the Success or Failure in Generating Savings of Hospital Integrated System ACOs (G)  
 712# Promotion of Early Recognition and Treatment of Sepsis by Out-of-Hospital Healthcare Providers to Save Lives (G)

# Contained in the Handbook Addendum

**DECLARATION OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY:  
MEDICINE'S SOCIAL CONTRACT WITH HUMANITY**

**Preamble**

**Never in the history of human civilization** has the well-being of each individual been so inextricably linked to that of every other. Plagues and pandemics respect no national borders in a world of global commerce and travel. Wars and acts of terrorism enlist innocents as combatants and mark civilians as targets. Advances in medical science and genetics, while promising great good, may also be harnessed as agents of evil. The unprecedented scope and immediacy of these universal challenges demand concerted action and response by all.

As physicians, we are bound in our response by a common heritage of caring for the sick and the suffering. Through the centuries, individual physicians have fulfilled this obligation by applying their skills and knowledge competently, selflessly and at times heroically. Today, our profession must reaffirm its historical commitment to combat natural and man-made assaults on the health and well-being of humankind. Only by acting together across geographic and ideological divides can we overcome such powerful threats. Humanity is our patient.

**Declaration**

**We, the members of the world community of physicians,** solemnly commit ourselves to:

1. Respect human life and the dignity of every individual.
2. Refrain from supporting or committing crimes against humanity and condemn all such acts.
3. Treat the sick and injured with competence and compassion and without prejudice.
4. Apply our knowledge and skills when needed, though doing so may put us at risk.
5. Protect the privacy and confidentiality of those for whom we care and breach that confidence only when keeping it would seriously threaten their health and safety or that of others.
6. Work freely with colleagues to discover, develop, and promote advances in medicine and public health that ameliorate suffering and contribute to human well-being.
7. Educate the public and polity about present and future threats to the health of humanity.
8. Advocate for social, economic, educational, and political changes that ameliorate suffering and contribute to human well-being.
9. Teach and mentor those who follow us for they are the future of our caring profession.

We make these promises solemnly, freely, and upon our personal and professional honor.

Adopted by the House of Delegates of the American Medical Association  
in San Francisco, California on December 4, 2001

## **Delegate/Alternate Delegate Job Description, Roles and Responsibilities**

*At the 1999 Interim Meeting, the House of Delegates adopted as amended Recommendation 16 of the final report of the Special Advisory Committee to the Speaker of the House of Delegates. This recommendation included a job description and roles and responsibilities for delegates and alternate delegates. The description and roles and responsibilities were modified at the 2002 Annual Meeting by Recommendation 3 of the Joint Report of the Board of Trustees and Council on Long Range Planning and Development. The modified job description, qualifications, and responsibilities are listed below.*

Delegates and Alternate Delegates should meet the following job description and roles and responsibilities:

### **Job Description and Roles and Responsibilities of AMA Delegates/Alternate Delegates**

Members of the AMA House of Delegates serve as an important communications, policy, and membership link between the AMA and grassroots physicians. The delegate/alternate delegate is a key source of information on activities, programs, and policies of the AMA. The delegate/alternate delegate is also a direct contact for the individual member to communicate with and contribute to the formulation of AMA policy positions, the identification of situations that might be addressed through policy implementation efforts, and the implementation of AMA policies. Delegates and alternate delegates to the AMA are expected to foster a positive and useful two-way relationship between grassroots physicians and the AMA leadership. To fulfill these roles, AMA delegates and alternate delegates are expected to make themselves readily accessible to individual members by providing the AMA with their addresses, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses so that the AMA can make the information accessible to individual members through the AMA web site and through other communication mechanisms. The qualifications and responsibilities of this role are as follows:

#### **A. Qualifications**

- AMA member.
- Elected or selected by the principal governing body or the membership of the sponsoring organization.
- The AMA encourages that at least one member of each delegation be involved in the governance of their sponsoring organization.

#### **B. Responsibilities**

- Regularly communicate AMA policy, information, activities, and programs to constituents so he/she will be recognized as the representative of the AMA.
- Relate constituent views and suggestions, particularly those related to implementation of AMA policy positions, to the appropriate AMA leadership, governing body, or executive staff.
- Advocate constituent views within the House of Delegates or other governance unit, including the executive staff.
- Attend and report highlights of House of Delegates meetings to constituents, for example, at hospital medical staff, county, state, and specialty society meetings.
- Serve as an advocate for patients to improve the health of the public and the health care system.
- Cultivate promising leaders for all levels of organized medicine and help them gain leadership positions.
- Actively recruit new AMA members and help retain current members.

SEATING ALLOCATION – 2019 ANNUAL MEETING

ADDICTION MEDICINE - 2

American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) – 2

AMDA – 2

AMDA – The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine (AMDA) – 2

AMGA - 4

American Medical Group Association (AMGA) - 4

ANESTHESIOLOGY - 10

American Society of Anesthesiologists (ASA) - 10  
Trustee (McDade) - 1  
Former Board Chair (Patchin) - 1  
Delegates - 7  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

ARS – 1

American Rhinologic Society (ARS) - 1

CARDIOLOGY - 10

American College of Cardiology (ACC) - 6  
American Society of Echocardiography (ASE) - 2  
Heart Rhythm Society (HRS) - 1  
Society for Cardiovascular Angiography and Interventions (SCAI) - 1

CHEST PHYSICIANS - 3

American College of Chest Physicians (CHEST) (ACCP) - 3

CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE- 2

Society of Critical Care Medicine (SCCM) - 2

DERMATOLOGY - 9

American Academy of Dermatology (AAD) - 4  
American College of Mohs Surgery (ACMS) - 1  
American Society for Dermatologic Surgery (ASDS) - 2  
American Society of Dermatopathology (ASD) - 1  
Society for Investigative Dermatology (SID) - 1

EMERGENCY MEDICINE - 9

American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP) - 9  
Former President (Stack) - 1  
Delegates - 7  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

ENDOCRINOLOGY - 6

American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists (AACE) - 2  
American Soc for Reproductive Medicine (ASRM) - 2  
The Endocrine Society (ES) - 2

FAMILY PHYSICIANS - 17

American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) - 17  
Former Board Chair (Langston) - 1  
Delegates - 16

GASTROENTEROLOGY - 6

American College of Gastroenterology (ACG) - 2  
American Gastroenterological Association (AGA) - 2  
American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (ASGE) - 2

GERIATRIC MEDICINE - 2

American Geriatric Society (AGS) – 2

GREAT LAKES - 75

Illinois - 21  
Trustee (Kobler) - 1  
Delegates - 12  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate – 1  
American Acad of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (AAFPRS) - 1  
American College of Legal Medicine (ACLM) - 1  
American Coll of Radiation Oncology (ACRO) - 1  
American Med Women’s Association (AMWA) - 1  
North American Neuro-Ophthalmology Society (NANOS) - 1  
Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (SNMMI) - 1

Indiana - 7  
Former Board Chair (Steen) - 1  
Delegates – 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Michigan - 15  
Trustee (Mukkamala) - 1  
Delegates - 13  
Medical Student Regional Delegate - 1  
Ohio - 13  
Delegates - 11  
Medical Student Regional Delegates - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

Pennsylvania - 19  
Former President (Gurman) - 1  
Delegates - 14  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin (AAPIO) - 1  
American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics (ACMGG) - 1

HEART OF AMERICA - 9

Kansas - 3  
Missouri – 6  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1

HEMATOLOGY - 2

American Society of Hematology (ASH) - 2

HOSPITAL MEDICINE - 2

Society of Hospital Medicine (SHM) - 2

INFECTIOUS DISEASE - 3

Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA) - 3  
Delegates - 2  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

INTERNAL MEDICINE - 24

American College of Physicians (ACP) – 24  
Trustee (Fryhofer) – 1  
Delegates – 23

MOBILITY CAUCUS - 22

American Acad of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS) - 5  
American Academy of Physical Med & Rehabilitation (AAPMR) - 2  
American Association for Hand Surgery (AAHS) - 1  
Amer Assoc of Neuromuscular & Electrodiagnostic Med (AANEM) - 1  
American Clinical Neurophysiology Soc (ACNS) - 1  
American College of Occupational & Environmental Med (ACOEM) - 1  
American College of Rheumatology (ACRh) - 2  
American Orthopaedic Association (AOra) - 1  
American Orthopaedic Foot and Ankle Society (AOFAS) - 1  
American Society of Surgery of the Hand (ASSH) - 1  
American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians (ASIPP) - 2  
Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
International Academy of Independent Medical Evaluators (IAIME) - 1  
International Society for the Advancement of Spine Surgery (ISASS) – 1  
North American Spine Society (NASS) - 2

NEUROSCIENCES - 29

American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry (AACAP) - 2  
American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine (AAHPM) - 1  
American Academy of Neurology (AAN) - 4  
American Academy of Pain Medicine (AAPM) - 1  
American Acad of Psychiatry and the Law (AAPL) - 1  
American Assoc for Geriatric Psychiatry (AAGP) - 2  
American Association of Neurological Surgeons (AANS) - 4  
Former President (Carmel) - 1  
Delegates – 2  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American Psychiatric Association (APA) - 9  
Delegates - 8  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate – 1  
American Society of Neuroimaging (ASNI) - 1  
Congress of Neurological Surgeons (CNS) - 1  
GLMA – 1  
North American Neuromodulation Society (NANS) - 1  
Spine Intervention Society (SIS) - 1

NEW ENGLAND - 31

Connecticut - 7  
Delegates - 4  
Medical Student Regional Delegates- 3  
Maine - 3  
Former President (McAfee) - 1  
Delegates - 2  
Massachusetts - 16  
Trustee (Motta) -1  
Delegates - 13  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
American Soc of Abdominal Surgeons (ASAS) - 1  
New Hampshire - 2  
Trustee (Tuttle) - 1  
Delegate - 1  
Rhode Island - 2  
Vermont – 1

NEW YORK - 28

Former President (Nielsen) - 1  
Former Board Chair (Cady) - 1  
Delegates - 20  
Medical Student Regional Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegates - 2  
American College of Nuclear Medicine (ACNM) - 1  
American Society of Neuroradiology (ASN) - 1  
Society of Interventional Radiology (SIR) - 1

NORTH CENTRAL - 13

Iowa - 3  
Minnesota – 6  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Nebraska - 2  
North Dakota - 1  
South Dakota - 1

OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNECOLOGISTS - 16

American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists (AAGL) - 2  
American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) - 14  
Delegates - 13  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

ONCOLOGY - 4

American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) – 4  
Delegates - 3  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

PACWEST CONFERENCE - 72

Alaska - 1  
Arizona - 8  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine (AIUM) - 2  
California - 32  
Trustee (Ribeira) - 1  
Former Presidents (Bristow, Corlin, Plested) - 3  
Delegates - 23  
Medical Student Regional Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegates - 2  
American Soc for Radiation Oncology (ASRO) – 2  
Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
Colorado - 8  
Former President (Lazarus) - 1  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Obesity Medicine Association (OMA) - 1  
Hawaii - 2  
Idaho - 1  
Montana - 1  
Nevada – 4  
Delegates - 2  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
New Mexico - 3  
Delegates - 2  
American Academy of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology (AAAAI) – 1

PACWEST CONFERENCE (CONT'D)

Oregon - 3  
Former President (Reardon) - 1  
Delegates - 2  
Utah - 4  
Former Presidents (A. Nelson, J. Nelson) - 2  
Delegates - 2  
Washington - 4  
Wyoming – 1

PATHOLOGY - 11

American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) – 3  
American Society of Cytopathology (ASC) - 1  
College of American Pathologists (CAP) – 4  
Delegates - 3  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME) - 1  
United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology (USCAP) – 2

PEDIATRICS - 6

American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) - 6  
Delegates - 5  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE - 6

Aerospace Medical Association (AsMA) - 1  
American Academy of Insurance Medicine (AAIM) - 1  
American Association of Public Health Physicians (AAPHP) – 2  
Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American College of Medical Quality (ACMQ) - 1  
American College of Preventive Medicine (ACPM) - 1

RADIOLOGY - 12

American College of Radiology (ACR) – 8  
Delegates - 7  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American Roentgen Ray Society (ARRS) – 3  
Association of University Radiologists (AUR) - 1

RSNA - 3

Radiological Society of North America (RSNA) – 3

SECTIONS - 11

Academic Physicians Section (APS) - 1  
Integrated Physician Practice Section (IPPS) - 1  
International Medical Graduates Section (IMG) - 1  
Medical Student Section (MSS) - 2  
Trustee (Sarma) - 1  
Delegate – 1  
Minority Affairs Section (MAS) - 1  
Organized Medical Staff Section (OMSS) - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section (RFS) - 1  
Senior Physicians Section (SPS) - 1  
Women Physicians Section (WPS) -1  
Young Physicians Section (YPS) - 1

SERVICES - 6

Air Force - 1  
Army - 1  
AMSUS - Society of Federal Health Professionals - 1  
Navy - 1  
Public Health Service - 1  
Veterans Affairs - 1

SLEEP MEDICINE – 2

American Academy of Sleep Medicine (AASM) - 2

SOUTHEASTERN - 122

Alabama - 5  
Delegates - 4  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Arkansas - 4  
Trustee (Ferguson) – 1  
Delegates - 3  
Delaware - 2  
Former Board Chair (Permut) – 1  
Delegate - 1  
District of Columbia - 4  
Former Board Chair (Scalettar) - 1  
Delegates - 2  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Florida - 22  
Former Presidents (Coble, Wilson) - 2  
Delegates - 14  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 2  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegates - 2  
American Vein and Lymphatic Society (AVLS) - 1  
The Triological Society (TS) - 1  
Georgia - 5  
Kentucky - 5  
Former President (Hoven) - 1  
Delegates (minus Vice Speaker) - 5  
Louisiana - 8  
Former Presidents (Johnson, Palmisano) - 2  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
Maryland - 9  
Trustee (Edwards) - 1  
Former Board Chair (Lewers) - 1  
Delegates - 5  
Acad of Physicians in Clinical Research (APCR) - 1  
Renal Physicians Association (RPA) - 1

Mississippi - 5  
Former President (Hill) - 1  
Delegates - 3  
American Osteopathic Association (AOA) - 1  
New Jersey - 9  
Delegates - 8  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
North Carolina - 7  
Trustee (Oswehr) - 1  
Delegates - 6  
Oklahoma - 7  
Delegates - 4  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 2  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1

Puerto Rico - 2  
South Carolina – 9  
Trustee (Harmon) - 1  
Former President (Smoak) - 1  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery (ASMBS) - 1  
Tennessee - 7  
Trustee (Williams) - 1  
Delegates - 5  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1

SOUTHEASTERN (CONT'D.)

Virginia - 10  
Former President (Wootton) - 1  
Delegates - 8  
Medical Student Regional Delegate- 1  
West Virginia – 2

SURGEONS - 47

American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery (AACS) - 1  
American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO) - 5  
Delegates - 4  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American Academy of Otolaryngic Allergy (AAOA) - 1  
Amer Acad of Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery (AAOHNS) - 3  
American Association for Thoracic Surgery (AATS) - 1  
American Association of Plastic Surgeons (AAPS) - 1  
American College of Surgeons (ACS) – 13  
American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (ASAPS) - 1  
American Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery (ASRMS) - 1  
American Society of Breast Surgeons (ASBS) - 1  
American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery (ASCTRS) - 2  
American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons (ASCRS) - 1  
American Society of General Surgeons (ASGS) - 1  
American Soc of Maxillofacial Surgeons (ASMS) - 1  
Amer Soc of Ophthalmic Plastic & Reconstructive Surg (ASOPRS) - 1  
American Society of Plastic Surgeons (ASPS) - 2  
American Society of Retina Specialists (ASRS) - 1  
American Society of Transplant Surgeons (ASTS) - 1  
Contact Lens Assoc of Ophthalmologists (CLAO) - 1  
International Coll of Surgeons-US Section (ICS-US) - 1  
Society for Vascular Surgery (SVS) - 1  
Society of Amer Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES) - 2  
Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons (SLR) - 2  
Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS) - 2

TERRITORIES - 2

Guam - 1  
Virgin Islands - 1

TEXAS - 26

Former Presidents (Dickey, Rohack) - 2  
Delegates (minus Speaker) - 20  
Medical Student Regional Delegate - 1  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
American College of Allergy, Asthma and Immunology (ACAAI) - 1  
International Society of Hair Restoration Surgery (ISHRS) – 1  
National Medical Association (NMA) - 1

THORACIC MEDICINE - 2

American Thoracic Society (ATS) - 2

UROLOGY - 4

American Assoc of Clinical Urologists (AACU) - 1  
American Urological Association (AUA) - 3  
Delegates -2  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate – 1

WISCONSIN - 8

Former Board Chair (Flaherty) - 1  
Delegates - 5  
Resident and Fellow Section Delegate - 1  
Undersea & Hyperbaric Medical Society (UHMS) - 1

OFFICIAL OBSERVERS - 28

Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care  
Alliance for Continuing Education in the Health Professions  
Alliance for Regenerative Medicine  
Ambulatory Surgery Center Association  
American Academy of Physician Assistants  
American Association of Medical Assistants  
American Board of Medical Specialties  
American Dental Association  
American Health Quality Association  
American Hospital Association  
American Nurses Association  
American Podiatric Medical Association  
American Public Health Association  
Association of periOperative Registered Nurses  
Association of State and Territorial Health Officials  
Commission on Graduates of Foreign Nursing Schools  
Council of Medical Specialty Societies  
Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates  
Federation of State Medical Boards  
Federation of State Physician Health Programs  
Medical Group Management Association  
Medical Professional Liability Association  
National Association of County and City Health Officials  
National Commission on Correctional Health Care  
National Council of State Boards of Nursing  
National Indian Health Board  
Society for Academic Continuing Medical Education  
US Pharmacopeia

TELLERS - 8

**HOUSE OF DELEGATES · HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO (A-19)**

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# HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO

## GUEST MAP

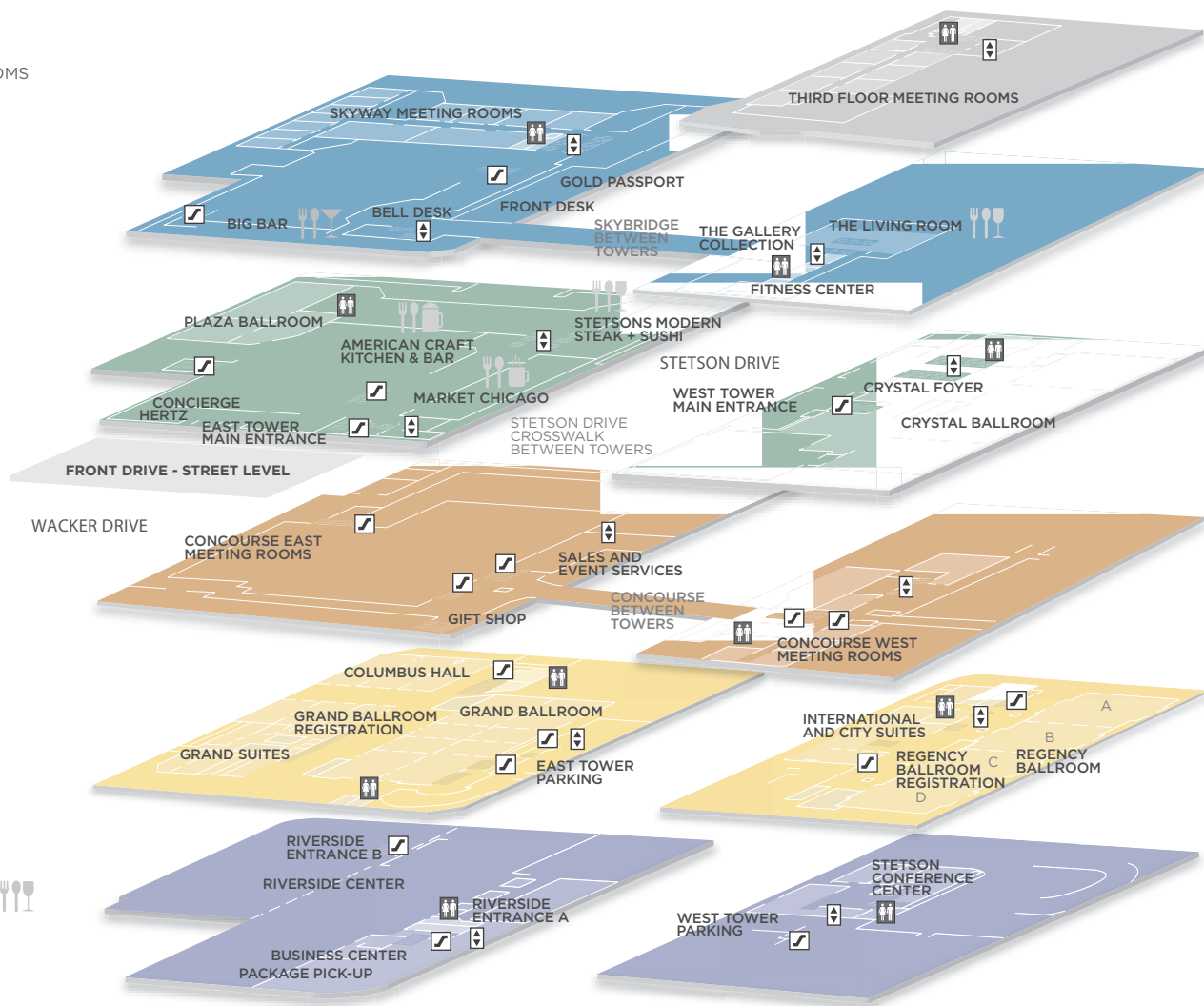


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- ACAPULCO**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- ADDAMS**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- AMERICAN CRAFT KITCHEN & BAR**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- ATLANTA**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- BELL DESK**  
East Tower, Skyway Level
- BIG BAR**  
East Tower, Skyway Level
- BURNHAM**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- BUSINESS CENTER, PACKAGE ROOM**  
East Tower, Exhibit Level
- COLUMBIAN**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- COLUMBUS HALL (ROOMS A-L)**  
East Tower, Ballroom Level
- COMISKEY**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- CONCOURSE WEST MEETING ROOMS**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- CONCIERGE**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- CRYSTAL BALLROOM**  
West Tower, Lobby Level
- DUSABLE**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- EAST TOWER MAIN ENTRANCE**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- EAST TOWER PARKING**  
East Tower, Ballroom Level
- FIELD**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- FITNESS CENTER**  
West Tower, Skyway Level
- FRONT DESK**  
East Tower, Skyway Level
- THE GALLERY COLLECTION**  
West Tower, Skyway Level  
*Gallery Boardrooms 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5*
- GIFT SHOP**  
East Tower, Concourse Level
- GOLD COAST**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- GOLD PASSPORT**  
East Tower, Skyway Level
- GRAND BALLROOM**  
East Tower, Ballroom Level
- GRAND SUITES**  
East Tower, Ballroom Level
- HAYMARKET**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- HERTZ**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- HONG KONG**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- HORNER**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- CONCOURSE EAST MEETING ROOMS**  
East Tower, Concourse Level  
*Michigan Meeting Rooms*  
*Michigan 2 Meeting Rooms*  
*Michigan 3 Meeting Rooms*  
*Monroe Meeting Rooms*
- THE LIVING ROOM**  
West Tower, Skyway Level
- MARKET CHICAGO**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- McCORMICK**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- NEW ORLEANS**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- OGDEN**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- PACKAGE PICK-UP**  
East Tower, Exhibit Level
- PICASSO**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- PLAZA BALLROOM**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- REGENCY BALLROOM**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- RIVERSIDE CENTER**  
East Tower, Exhibit Level
- SALES AND EVENT SERVICES**  
East Tower, Concourse Level
- SAN FRANCISCO**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- SANDBURG**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- SKYWAY MEETING ROOMS**  
East Tower, Skyway Level
- SOLDIER FIELD**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- STETSON CONFERENCE CENTER**  
West Tower, Exhibit Level
- STETSONS MODERN STEAK + SUSHI**  
East Tower, Lobby Level
- TORONTO**  
West Tower, Ballroom Level
- WATER TOWER**  
West Tower, Concourse Level
- WEST TOWER PARKING**  
West Tower, Exhibit Level
- WRIGHT**  
West Tower, Third Floor
- WRIGLEY**  
West Tower, Concourse Level

## EAST TOWER

## WEST TOWER



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**CROSSING BETWEEN TOWERS:** Cross between towers via the Skybridge or the Concourse. You may also cross from the lobby level via the crosswalk on Stetson Drive.





**REFERENCE COMMITTEE ROOM ASSIGNMENTS  
SUNDAY, JUNE 9**

**8:30AM – Noon**

Reference Committee A	Regency Ballroom A
Reference Committee B	Regency Ballroom B
Reference Committee C	Regency Ballroom C
Reference Committee E	Regency Ballroom D
Reference Committee F	Grand Ballroom

**1:30pm- 5pm**

Constitution & Bylaws	Regency Ballroom C
Reference Committee D	Regency Ballroom D
Reference Committee G	Regency Ballroom A

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# 2019 ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Official Call to the Officers and Members of the American Medical Association to attend the Annual Meeting of the House of Delegates in Chicago, Illinois, June 8-12, 2019.

The House of Delegates will convene at 2 p.m. on June 8, at the Hyatt Regency Chicago.

## STATE ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATION IN THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Alabama 4	Guam 1	Massachusetts 13	New York 20	Tennessee 5
Alaska 1	Hawaii 2	Michigan 13	North Carolina 6	Texas 20
Arizona 5	Idaho 1	Minnesota 5	North Dakota 1	Utah 2
Arkansas 3	Illinois 12	Mississippi 3	Ohio 11	Vermont 1
California 23	Indiana 5	Missouri 5	Oklahoma 4	Virgin Islands 1
Colorado 5	Iowa 3	Montana 1	Oregon 2	Virginia 8
Connecticut 4	Kansas 3	Nebraska 2	Pennsylvania 14	Washington 4
Delaware 1	Kentucky 5	Nevada 2	Puerto Rico 2	West Virginia 2
District of Columbia 2	Louisiana 5	New Hampshire 1	Rhode Island 2	Wisconsin 5
Florida 14	Maine 2	New Jersey 8	South Carolina 5	Wyoming 1
Georgia 5	Maryland 5	New Mexico 2	South Dakota 1	

## SPECIALTY SOCIETY REPRESENTATION IN THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

AMDA – The Society of Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine 2	American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine 2
American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry 2	American Medical Group Association 4
American Academy of Dermatology 4	American Psychiatric Association 8
American Academy of Family Physicians 16	American Roentgen Ray Society 3
American Academy of Neurology 4	American Society for Clinical Pathology 3
American Academy of Ophthalmology 4	American Society for Dermatologic Surgery 2
American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons 5	American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy 2
American Academy of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery 3	American Society for Reproductive Medicine 2
American Academy of Pediatrics 5	American Society of Addiction Medicine 2
American Academy of Physical Med. & Rehabilitation 2	American Society of Anesthesiologists 7
American Academy of Sleep Medicine 2	American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery 2
American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry 2	American Society of Clinical Oncology 3
American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists 2	American Society of Echocardiography 2
American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists 2	American Society of Hematology 2
American Association of Neurological Surgeons 2	American Society of Plastic Surgeons 2
American College of Cardiology 6	American Thoracic Society 2
American College of Chest Physicians (CHEST) 3	American Urological Association 2
American College of Emergency Physicians 7	College of American Pathologists 3
American College of Gastroenterology 2	Infectious Diseases Society of America 2
American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists 13	North American Spine Society 2
American College of Physicians 23	Radiological Society of North America 3
American College of Radiology 7	Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons 2
American College of Rheumatology 2	Society of Critical Care Medicine 2
American College of Surgeons 13	Society of Hospital Medicine 2
American Gastroenterological Association 2	Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons 2
American Geriatrics Society 2	Society of Thoracic Surgeons 2
	The Endocrine Society 2
	United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology 2

*Remaining eligible national medical specialty societies (70) are entitled to one delegate each.*

The Academic Physicians Section, Integrated Physician Practice Section, International Medical Graduates Section, Medical Student Section, Minority Affairs Section, Organized Medical Staff Section, Resident and Fellow Section, Senior Physicians Section, Women Physicians Section, Young Physicians Section, Army, Navy, Air Force, Public Health Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Professional Interest Medical Associations, AMWA, AOA and NMA are entitled to one delegate each.

State Medical Associations	283
National Medical Specialty Societies	281
Professional Interest Medical Associations	2
Other National Societies (AMWA, AOA, NMA)	3
Medical Student Regional Delegates	28
Resident and Fellow Delegate Representatives	28
Sections	10
Services	5
<b>Total Delegates</b>	<b>640</b>

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Rhonda Sharp, Lagrange IN  
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#### **Regional Medical Student Alternate Delegate(s)**

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## **2019 Annual Meeting Notes on Orders of Business Grand Ballroom, Hyatt Regency Chicago**

FIRST SESSION, Saturday, June 8, 2:00 – 6:00 pm

SECOND SESSION, Sunday, June 9, 8:00 – 8:30 am

THIRD SESSION, Monday, June 10, 2:00 – 6:00 pm

FOURTH SESSION, Tuesday, June 11, 9:00 am – 3 pm

*Note: The Inauguration of Patrice A. Harris, MD, as the 174th President of the American Medical Association, will be held at 5:00 pm in the Crystal Ballroom of the Hyatt Regency Chicago.*

FIFTH SESSION, Wednesday, June 12, 9:00 am – noon

## SUMMARY OF FISCAL NOTES (A-19)

### **BOT Report(s)**

- 01 Annual Report: Info Report
- 02 New Specialty Organizations Representation in the House of Delegates: Minimal
- 03 2018 Grants and Donations: Info Report
- 04 AMA 2020 Dues: no significant fiscal impact
- 05 Update on Corporate Relationships: Info Report
- 06 Redefining AMA's Position on ACA and Healthcare Reform: Info Report
- 07 AMA Performance, Activities and Status in 2018: Info Report
- 08 Annual Update on Activities and Progress in Tobacco Control: March 2018 Through February 2019: Info Report
- 09 Council on Legislation Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies: n/a
- 10 Conduct at AMA Meetings and Events: Estimated cost between \$75,000 - \$100,000 for Conduct Liaison fees and travel expenses, as well as potential meeting costs for the Committee on Conduct at AMA Meetings and Events
- 11 Policy and Economic Support for Early Child Care: Minimal
- 12 Data Used to Apportion Delegates:
- 13 Employed Physician Bill of Rights and Basic Practice Professional Standards: Minimal
- 14 Reforming the Orphan Drug Act; An Optional National Prescription Drug Formulary; Reform of Pharmaceutical Pricing: Negotiated Payment Schedules: Minimal
- 15 Physician Burnout and Wellness Challenges; Physician and Physician Assistant Safety Net; Identification and Reduction of Physician Demoralization: Minimal
- 16 Developing Sustainable Solutions to Discharge of Chronically-Homeless Patients: Modest
- 17 Ban on Medicare Advantage "No Cause" Network Terminations: Modest
- 18 Increased Use of Body-Worn Cameras by Law Enforcement Officers: Modest
- 19 FDA Conflict of Interest: Minimal
- 20 Safe and Efficient E-Prescribing: Minimal
- 21 Augmented Intelligence in Health Care: Modest
- 22 Inappropriate Use of CDC Guidelines for Prescribing Opioids: Minimal
- 23 Prior Authorization Requirements for Post-Operative Opioids: Minimal
- 24 Discounted/Waived CPT Fees as an AMA Member Benefit and for Membership Promotion: 0
- 25 All Payer Graduate Medical Education Funding: Minimal
- 26 Research Handling of De-Identified Patient Information: Minimal
- 27 Advancing Gender Equity in Medicine: Modest
- 28 Opposition to Measures that Criminalize Homelessness: Minimal
- 29 Improving Safety and Health Code Compliance in School Facilities: Minimal
- 30 Opioid Treatment Programs Reporting to Prescription Monitoring Programs: Minimal
- 31 Non-Payment and Audit Takebacks by CMS: Minimal
- 32 Impact of High Capital Costs of Hospital EHRs on the Medical Staff: n/a

### **CC&B Report(s)**

- 01 Clarification to the Bylaws: Delegate Representation, Registration and Credentialing: n/a
- 02 Section Internal Operating Procedures and Council Rules: Roles of the House of Delegates, Board of Trustees and the Council on Constitution and Bylaws: Info. Report

### **CEJA Opinion(s)**

- 01 Amendment to E-2.2.1, "Pediatric Decision Making": Info. Report



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### **CEJA Report(s)**

- 01 Competence, Self-Assessment and Self-Awareness: Minimal
- 02 Physician Assisted Suicide: n/a
- 03 CEJA's Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies: Minimal
- 04 Judicial Function of the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs - Annual Report: Info. Report
- 05 Discrimination Against Physicians by Patients: Info. Report

### **CLRPD Report(s)**

- 01 Demographic Characteristics of the House of Delegates and AMA Leadership: Info. Report

### **CME Report(s)**

- 01 Council on Medical Education Sunset Review of 2009 House Policies: Minimal
- 02 Update on Maintenance of Certification and Osteopathic Continuous Certification: Modest
- 03 Standardizing the Residency Match System and Timeline: Minimal
- 04 Augmented Intelligence in Medical Education:
- 05 Accelerating Change in Medical Education Consortium Outcomes: Info. Report
- 06 Study of Medical Student, Resident, and Physician Suicide: \$81,500
- 07 For-Profit Medical Schools or Colleges: Info. Report

### **CMS Report(s)**

- 01 Council on Medical Service Sunset Review of 2009 AMA House Policies: Minimal
- 02 Covering the Uninsured Under the AMA Proposal for Reform: Minimal
- 03 Medicare Coverage for Dental Services: Minimal
- 04 Reclassification of Complex Rehabilitation Technology: Minimal
- 05 The Impact of Pharmacy Benefit Managers on Patients and Physicians: Minimal
- 06 Preventive Prostate Cancer Screening: Minimal
- 07 Hospital Consolidation: Minimal
- 08 Group Purchasing Organizations and Pharmacy Benefit Manager Safe Harbor: Minimal
- 09 Health Plan Payment of Patient Cost-Sharing: Minimal
- 10 Alternative Payment Models and Vulnerable Populations: Minimal
- 11 Corporate Investors: Minimal

### **CSAPH Report(s)**

- 01 CSAPH Sunset Review of 2009 House of Delegates Policies: Minimal
- 02 Drug Shortages: 2019 Update: Info. Report
- 03 Low Nicotine Product Standard: Minimal
- 04 Vector-Borne Diseases: Minimal

### **HOD Comm on Compensation of the Officers**

- 01# Report of the House of Delegates Committee on Compensation of the Officers: Maximum annual stipend is \$87K.

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### **Joint Report(s)**

- 01 CME/CSAPH Joint Report - Protecting Medical Trainees from Hazardous Exposure: Minimal

### **Report of the Speakers**

- 01 Recommendations for Policy Reconciliation: Minimal

### **Resolution(s)**

- 001 Opposing Attorney Presence at and/or Recording of Independent Medical Examinations: minimal
- 002 Addressing Existential Suffering in End-of-Life Care: Moderate
- 003 Conforming Sex and Gender Designation on Government IDs and Other Documents: Minimal
- 004 Reimbursement for Care of Practice Partner Relatives: Modest
- 005 Right for Gamete Preservation Therapies: Moderate
- 006 Use of Person-Centered Language: Minimal
- 007 Delegation of Informed Consent: Modest
- 008# Preventing Anti-Transgender Violence: Modest
- 009# References to Terms and Language in Policies Adopted to Protect Populations from Discrimination and Harassment: not yet determined
- 010# Covenants not to Compete: Minimal
- 011# Mature Minor Consent to Vaccinations: Minimal
- 012# Improving Body Donation Regulation: Minimal
- 013# Opposing Office of Refugee Resettlement's Use of Medical and Psychiatric Records for Evidence in Immigration Court: Modest
- 014# Disclosure of Funding Sources and Industry Ties of Professional Medical Associations and Patient Advocacy Organizations: Minimal
- 015# Opposing Mandated Reporting of People Who Question Their Gender Identity: Minimal
- 016# Sexual and Gender Minority Populations in Medical Research: Minimal
- 017# National Guidelines for Guardianship: Modest
- 018# Support for Requiring Investigations into Deaths of Children in Foster Care: Minimal
- 019# Opposition to Requirements for Gender-Based Medical Treatments for Athletes: not yet determined
- 020# Changes to E-5.7, "Physician-Assisted Suicide": not yet determined
- 021# Health, In All Its Dimensions, Is a Basic Right: Modest
- 022# Opposition to Involuntary Civil Commitment for Substance Use Disorder: Modest
- 101 Health Hazards of High Deductible Insurance: minimal
- 102 Use of HSAs for Direct Primary Care: Modest
- 103 Health System Improvement Standards: Modest
- 104 Adverse Impacts of Single Specialty Independent Practice Associations: Minimal
- 105 Payment for Brand Medications When the Generic Medication is Recalled: Modest
- 106 Raising Medicare Rates for Physicians: Modest
- 107 Investigate Medicare Part D - Insurance Company Upcharge: Minimal
- 108 Congressional Healthcare Proposals: Modest
- 109 Part A Medicare Payment to Physicians: Modest
- 110 Establishing Fair Medicare Payer Rates: Modest
- 111 Practice Overhead Expense and the Site-of-Service Differential: Modest
- 112 Health Care Fee Transparency: Modest

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### **Resolution(s)**

- 113 Ensuring Access to Statewide Commercial Health Plans: Modest
- 114 Ensuring Access to Nationwide Commercial Health Plans: Modest
- 115 Safety of Drugs Approved by Other Countries: Modest
- 116 Medicare for All: Modest
- 117 Support for Medicare Disability Coverage of Contraception for Non-Contraceptive Use: Modest
- 118 Pharmaceutical Pricing Transparency: Modest
- 119# Returning Liquid Oxygen to Fee Schedule Payment: Modest
- 120# Medicare Coverage of Hearing Aids: Modest
- 121# Maintenance Hemodialysis for Undocumented Persons: Modest
- 122# Reimbursement for Telemedicine Visits: Modest
- 123# Standardizing Coverage of Applied Behavioral Analysis Therapy for Persons with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Minimal
- 124# Increased Affordability and Access to Hearing Aids and Related Care: Modest
- 125# Mitigating the Negative Effects of High-Deductible Health Plans: Modest
- 126# Ensuring Prescription Drug Price Transparency from Retail Pharmacies: Modest
- 127# Eliminating the CMS Observation Status: Modest
- 201 Assuring Patient Access to Kidney Transplantation: Modest
- 202 Reducing the Hassle Factor in Quality Improvement Programs: Modest
- 203 Medicare Part B and Part D Drug Price Negotiation: Modest
- 204 Holding the Pharmaceutical Industry Accountable for Opioid-Related Costs: Modest
- 205 Use of Patient or Co-Worker Experience/Satisfaction Surveys Tied to Employed Physician Salary: Minimal
- 206 Changing the Paradigm: Opposing Present and Obvious Restraint of Trade: Modest
- 207 Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Tests: Modest
- 208 Repeal or Modification of the Sunshine Act: Minimal
- 209 Mandates by ACOs Regarding Specific EMR Use: Modest
- 210 Air Ambulances: Minimal
- 211 Use of FAIR Health: Modest
- 212 Pharmacy Benefit Managers: Modest
- 213 Financial Penalties and Clinical Decision-Making: Minimal
- 214 The Term Physician: Modest
- 215 Reimbursement for Health Information Technology: Modest
- 216 Eliminate the Word Provider from Healthcare Contracts: Minimal
- 217 Medicare Vaccine Billing: Modest
- 218 Payment for Medications Used Off Label for Treatment of Pain: Modest
- 219 Medical Marijuana License Safety: Modest
- 220 Study of Confidentiality and Privacy Protection in the Treatment of Substance Disorders: Modest
- 221 Extending Medicaid Coverage to 12-Months Postpartum: Modest
- 222 Protecting Patients from Misleading and Potentially Harmful "Bad Drug" Ads: Modest
- 223 Simplification and Clarification of Smoking Status Documentation in the Electronic Health Record: Minimal
- 224 Extending Pregnancy Medicaid to One Year Postpartum: Modest
- 225 DACA in GME: Minimal

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### **Resolution(s)**

- 226 Physician Access to Their Medical and Billing Records: Modest
- 227 Controlled Substance Management: Modest
- 228 Truth in Advertising: Modest
- 229 Clarification of CDC Opioid Prescribing Guidelines: Modest
- 230# State Legislation Mandating Electrocardiogram (ECG) and/or Echocardiogram Screening of Scholastic Athletes: Modest
- 231# Alignment of Federal Privacy Law and Regulations Governing Substance Use Disorder Treatment (42 CFR Part 2) with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act: Minimal
- 232# COPD National Action Plan: Modest
- 233# GME Cap Flexibility: Modest
- 234# Improved Access to Non-Opioid Therapies: Modest
- 235# Prescription Coverage of the Lidocaine Transdermal Patch: Modest
- 236# Support for Universal Basic Income Pilot Studies: Minimal
- 237# Opportunities in Blockchain for Healthcare: Modest
- 238# Coverage Limitations and Non-Coverage of Interventional Pain Procedures Correlating to the Worsening Opioid Epidemic and Public Health Crisis: Modest
- 239# Improving Access to Medical Care Through Tax Treatment of Physicians: Modest
- 240# Formation of Collective Bargaining Workgroup: Modest
- 241# Facilitation of Research with Medicare Claims Data: Modest
- 301 American Board of Medical Specialties Advertising: minimal
- 302 The Climate Change Lecture for US Medical Schools: Estimated cost of \$50,000 includes one FTE, management review, and in house designer
- 303 Graduate Medical Education and the Corporate Practice of Medicine: Minimal
- 304 Tracking Outcomes and Supporting Best Practices of Health Care Career Pipeline Programs: Modest
- 305 Lack of Support for Maintenance of Certification: Minimal
- 306 Interest Rates and Medical Education: Minimal
- 307 Mental Health Services for Medical Students: Minimal
- 308 MOC Moratorium: Minimal
- 309 Promoting Addiction Medicine During a Time of Crisis: Minimal
- 310 Mental Health Care for Medical Students: Minimal
- 311 Grandfathering Qualified Applicants Practicing in U.S. Institutions with Restricted Medical Licensure: Modest
- 312 Unmatched Medical Graduates to Address the Shortage of Primary Care Physicians: Modest
- 313 Clinical Applications of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine for Medical Students, Residents and Fellows: Modest
- 314 Evaluation of Changes to Residency and Fellowship Application and Matching Processes: Minimal
- 315 Scholarly Activity by Resident and Fellow Physicians: Modest
- 316 Medical Student Debt: Modest
- 317 A Study to Evaluate Barriers to Medical Education for Trainees with Disabilities: Modest
- 318 Rural Health Physician Workforce Disparities: Modest
- 319# Adding Pipeline Program Participation Questions to Medical School Applications: Modest
- 320# Opioid Education in Medical Schools: Modest
- 321# Physician Health Program Accountability, Consistency, and Excellence in Provision of Service to the Medical Profession: Modest
- 322# Support for the Study of the Timing and Causes for Leave of Absence and Withdrawal from United States Medical Schools: Minimal

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### **Resolution(s)**

- 401 Support Pregnancy Intention Screenings to Improve the Discussion of Pregnancy Intention, Promote Preventive Reproductive Health Care and Improve Community Health Outcomes by Helping Women Prepare for Healthy Pregnancies and Prevent Unintended Pregnancies: Minimal
- 402 Bullying in the Practice of Medicine: Minimal
- 403 White House Initiative on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders: Modest
- 404 Shade Structures in Public and Private Planning and Zoning Matters: Minimal
- 405 Gun Violence Prevention: Safety Features: Minimal
- 406 Reduction in Consumption of Processed Meats: Minimal
- 407 Evaluating Autonomous Vehicles as a Means to Reduce Motor Vehicle Accidents: Modest
- 408 Banning Edible Cannabis Products: Modest
- 409 Addressing the Vaping Crisis: Minimal
- 410 Reducing Health Disparities Through Education: Modest
- 411 AMA to Analyze Benefits / Harms of Legalization of Marijuana: Modest
- 412 Regulating Liquid Nicotine and E-Cigarettes: Modest
- 413 End the Epidemic of HIV Nationally: Minimal
- 414 Patient Medical Marijuana Use in Hospitals: Modest
- 415 Distracted Driving Legislation: Modest
- 416 Non-Medical Exemptions from Immunizations: Modest
- 417 Improved Health in the United States Prison System Through Hygiene and Health Educational Programming for Inmates and Prison Staff: Modest
- 418 Eliminating the Death Toll from Combustible Cigarettes: Modest
- 419 Universal Access for Essential Public Health Services: Modest
- 420 Coordinating Correctional and Community Healthcare: Minimal
- 421 Contraception for Incarcerated Women: Minimal
- 422 Promoting Nutrition Education Among Healthcare Providers: Minimal
- 423# Mandatory Immunizations for Asylum Seekers: Modest
- 424# Physician Involvement in State Regulations of Motor Vehicle Operation and/or Firearm Use by Individuals with Cognitive Deficits Due to Traumatic Brain Injury: Modest
- 425# Distracted Driver Education and Advocacy: Estimated cost of \$65K includes formulation of campaign, development of module and implementation of web based campaign,
- 426# Health Care Accreditation of Correctional, Detention and Juvenile Facilities: Modest
- 427# Utility of Autonomous Vehicles for Individuals Who are Visually Impaired or Developmentally Disabled: Modest
- 428# Dangers of Vaping: Minimal
- 429# Support for Children of Incarcerated Parents: Minimal
- 430# Compassionate Release for Incarcerated Patients: Modest
- 431# Eliminating Recommendations to Restrict Dietary Cholesterol and Fat: Minimal
- 432# Decriminalization of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Status Non-Disclosure in Virally Suppressed Individuals: Minimal
- 433# Transformation of Rural Community Public Health Systems: Modest
- 434# Change in Marijuana Classification to Allow Research: Modest
- 501 USP 800: minimal
- 502 Destigmatizing the Language of Addiction: Modest
- 503 Addressing Healthcare Needs of Children of Incarcerated Parents: Minimal
- 504 Screening, Intervention, and Treatment for Adverse Childhood Experiences: Minimal
- 505 Glyphosate Studies: Minimal

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### Resolution(s)

- 506 Clarify Advertising and Contents of Herbal Remedies and Dietary Supplements: Minimal
- 507 Removing Ethylene Oxide as a Medical Sterilant from Healthcare: Minimal
- 508 Benzodiazepine and Opioid Warning: Minimal
- 509 Addressing Depression to Prevent Suicide Epidemic: Minimal
- 510 The Intracranial Hemorrhage Anticoagulation Reversal Initiative: Minimal
- 511 Mandating Critical Congenital Heart Defect Screening in Newborns: Minimal
- 512 Fertility Preservation in Pediatric and Reproductive Aged Cancer Patients: Minimal
- 513 Determining Why Infertility Rates Differ Between Military and Civilian Women: Minimal
- 514 Opioid Addiction: Modest
- 515 Reversing Opioid Epidemic: Modest
- 516 Alcohol Consumption and Health: Minimal
- 517# Compounding: Modest
- 518# Chemical Variability in Pharmaceutical Products: Modest
- 519# Childcare Availability for Persons Receiving Substance Use Disorder Treatment: Minimal
- 520# Substance Use During Pregnancy: Minimal
- 521# Put Over-the-Counter Inhaled Epinephrine Behind Pharmacy Counter: Modest
- 522# Improved Deferral Periods for Blood Donors: Minimal
- 523# Availability and Use of Low Starting Opioid Doses: Minimal
- 524# Availability of Naloxone Boxes: Minimal
- 525# Support for Rooming-in of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Patients with Their Parents: Minimal
- 526# Trauma-Informed Care Resources and Settings: Minimal
- 527# Increasing the Availability of Bleeding Control Supplies: Minimal
- 528# Developing Diagnostic Criteria and Evidence-Based Treatment Options for Problematic Pornography Viewing: Minimal
- 529# Adverse Impacts of Delaying the Implementation of Public Health Regulations: Modest
- 530# Implementing Naloxone Training into the Basic Life Support (BLS) Certification Program: Minimal
- 601 AMA Policy Statement with Editorials: indeterminate - the cost of implementing this resolution is varied given the large volume of content across the 13 journals in the JAMA Network as well as the wealth of AMA policy. At a minimum implementation would require the addition of 3 full time staff and would result in increased operational costs associated with extra paper, printing, binding, mailing, and layout of larger print issues.
- 602 Expectations for Behavior at House of Delegates Meetings: Minimal
- 603 Creation of an AMA Election Reform Committee: Estimated cost of \$15,000 to \$25,000 to study.
- 604 Engage and Collaborate with The Joint Commission: Minimal
- 605 State Societies and the AMA Litigation Center: Minimal
- 606 Investigation into Residents, Fellows and Physician Unions: Modest
- 607 Re-establishment of National Guideline Clearinghouse: Modest
- 608 Financial Protections for Doctors in Training: Indeterminate
- 609 Update to AMA Policy H-525.998, "Women in Organized Medicine": Minimal
- 610 Mitigating Gender Bias in Medical Research: Minimal
- 611# Election Reform: Estimated cost to implement the resolution is between \$15K-\$25K to convene a task force.
- 612# Request to AMA for Training in Health Policy and Health Law: Est cost of \$200,000 to establish curriculum, host event, start fellowship, host fellow. Fellow expenses at least 150K annually
- 613# Language Proficiency Data of Physicians in the AMA Masterfile: not yet determined

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### **Resolution(s)**

- 614# Racial and Ethnic Identity Demographic Collection by the AMA: Modest
- 615# Implementing AMA Climate Change Principles Through JAMA Paper Consumption Reduction and Green Healthcare Leadership: not yet determined
- 616# TIME'S UP Healthcare: Minimal
- 617# Disabled Physician Advocacy: Modest
  - 701 Coding for Prior Authorization Obstacles: minimal
  - 702 Peer Support Groups for Second Victims: Estimated cost of \$465K to determine appropriate collaborative partners, develop survey instrument with input from organizational partners, program survey into online survey platform, print and mail post-cards with survey URL information to all living physician records in AMA Masterfile, analyze data and report findings.
  - 703 Preservation of the Patient-Physician Relationship: Modest
  - 704 Prior Authorization Reform: Modest
  - 705 Physician Requirements for Comprehensive Stroke Center Designation: Minimal
  - 706 Hospital Falls and "Never Events" - A Need for More in Depth Study: Modest
  - 707 Cost of Unpaid Patient Deductibles on Physician Staff Time: Modest
- 708# Access to Psychiatric Treatment in Long Term Care: Modest
- 709# Promoting Accountability in Prior Authorization: Modest
- 710# Council for Affordable Quality Healthcare Attestation: not yet determined
- 711# Impact on the Medical Staff of the Success or Failure in Generating Savings of Hospital Integrated System ACOs: Modest
- 712# Promotion of Early Recognition and Treatment of Sepsis by Out-of-Hospital Healthcare Providers to Save Lives: not yet determined

**Minimal - less than \$1,000**

**Modest - between \$1,000 - \$5,000**

**Moderate - between \$5,000 - \$10,000**

**# Contained in the Handbook Addendum**