

# **PROCEEDINGS**

OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES

**2022 ANNUAL MEETING**

**JUNE 10-15, 2022**

**HYATT REGENCY CHICAGO**

**CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

***The Proceedings of the American Medical Association House of Delegates are the official record of actions taken by the House of Delegates. The House of Delegates is the legislative and policymaking body of the American Medical Association and meets semi-annually (in June and November).***

***American Medical Association policy is set by the House of Delegates and may be adopted, amended or rescinded at any meeting. For current American Medical Association policy, consult AMA's PolicyFinder, which is available online.***

Copyright © 2022 by the American Medical Association. All Rights Reserved.

## TABLE OF CONTENTS\*

DETAILED CONTENTS .....	iv
CALL TO ORDER AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS .....	1
REPORTS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES .....	22
REPORTS OF AMA COUNCILS	
COUNCIL ON CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS .....	137
COUNCIL ON ETHICAL AND JUDICIAL AFFAIRS .....	141
COUNCIL ON MEDICAL EDUCATION .....	167
COUNCIL ON MEDICAL SERVICE .....	265
COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND PUBLIC HEALTH .....	335
JOINT COUNCIL REPORT .....	359
HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT .....	385
MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS .....	389
RESOLUTIONS .....	393
ELECTIONS .....	491
GENERAL OFFICERS, BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COUNCILS .....	493
DELEGATES AND ALTERNATE DELEGATES TO THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES .....	495
SPECIALTY AND SERVICE SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVES .....	514
FUTURE MEETINGS.....	515
APPENDIX – REFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS .....	517

The Proceedings of the House of Delegates can be found on the AMA website. The current URL is <https://www.ama-assn.org/house-delegates/hod-organization/archive-house-delegates-meeting>

## DETAILED CONTENTS

### CALL TO ORDER AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Call to Order .....	1
Invocation .....	1
Reports of Committee on Rules and Credentials	
Credentials Reports .....	1
Rules Report .....	1
Supplementary Report .....	2
Closing Report .....	7
Approval of Minutes for November 2020 Special Meeting .....	7
Address of AMA President Gerald E. Harmon, MD .....	7
Presentation by Immediate Past President Susan Rudd Bailey, MD .....	11
Report of Executive Vice President, James L. Madara, MD .....	12
Remarks of the AMPAC Chair .....	14
Report of the AMPAC Board of Directors .....	14
Retiring Officers, Delegates and Executives .....	17
Reference Committees of the House of Delegates .....	18
Inaugural Address of Jack Resneck, Jr, MD .....	19

### REPORTS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

1. Annual Report .....	23
2. New Specialty Organizations Representation in the House of Delegates .....	23
3. 2021 Grants and Donations .....	25
4. AMA 2022 Dues .....	26
5. Update on Corporate Relationships .....	26
6. Redefining AMA's Position on ACA and Healthcare Reform .....	41
7. AMA Performance, Activities, and Status in 2020 .....	44
8. Annual Update on Activities and Progress in Tobacco Control: March 2021 through February 2022 .....	48
9. Council on Legislation Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies .....	51
10. American Medical Association Center for Health Equity Annual Report .....	61
11. Procedure for Altering the Size or Composition of Section Governing Councils .....	69
12. Disaggregation of Demographic Data for Individuals of Middle Eastern and North African (MENA) Descent .....	70
13. Use of Psychiatric Advance Directives .....	77
14. Amendment to Truth and Transparency in Pregnancy Counseling Centers, Policy H-420.954 .....	81
15. Addressing Public Health Disinformation .....	85
16. Language Proficiency Data of Physicians in the AMA Masterfile .....	100
17. Expungement, Destruction, and Sealing of Criminal Records for Legal Offenses Related to Cannabis Use or Possession .....	109
18. Addressing Inflammatory and Untruthful Online Ratings .....	113
19. Demographic Report of the House of Delegates and AMA Membership .....	118
20. Delegate Apportionment and Pending Members .....	121
21. Opposition to Requirements for Gender-Based Treatments for Athletes .....	124
22. Nonconsensual Audio/Video Recording at Medical Encounters .....	128
23. Specialty Society Representation in the House of Delegates: Five-Year Review .....	131

### REPORT OF THE SPEAKERS

1. Recommendations for Policy Reconciliation .....	135
--	-----

### REPORT OF THE COUNCIL ON CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

1. Clarification to the Bylaws: Delegate Representation .....	137
---	-----

OPINIONS OF THE COUNCIL ON ETHICAL AND JUDICIAL AFFAIRS	
1. Amendment to E-1.1.6, “Quality” .....	141
2. Amendment to E-1.2.11, “Ethical Innovation In Medical Practice” .....	141
3. Amendment to E-11.1.2, “Physician Stewardship of Health Care Resources” .....	143
4. Amendment To E-11.2.1, “Professionalism in Health Care Systems” .....	144
REPORTS OF THE COUNCIL ON ETHICAL AND JUDICIAL AFFAIRS	
1. Short-term Medical Service Trips.....	146
2. Amendment to Opinion 10.8, Collaborative Care .....	151
3. Amendment To E-9.3.2, “Physician Responsibilities to Colleagues with Illness, Disability or Impairment” .....	154
4. CEJA’s Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies .....	156
5. Pandemic Ethics and the Duty of Care (Policy D-130.960) .....	160
6. Judicial Function of the Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs: Annual Report.....	164
REPORTS OF THE COUNCIL ON MEDICAL EDUCATION	
1. Council on Medical Education Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies.....	167
2. An Update on Continuing Board Certification .....	186
3. Onsite and Subsidized Childcare for Medical Students, Residents and Fellows .....	230
4. Protection of Terms Describing Physician Education and Practice.....	237
5. Education, Training, and Credentialing of Non-Physician Health Care Professionals and Their Impact on Physician Education and Training .....	247
REPORTS OF THE COUNCIL ON MEDICAL SERVICE	
1. Council on Medical Service’s Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies .....	265
2. Prospective Payment Model Best Practices for Independent Private Practice.....	297
3. Preventing Coverage Losses After the Public Health Emergency Ends.....	306
4. Parameters of Medicare Drug Price Negotiation .....	315
5. Poverty-Level Wages and Health .....	327
REPORTS OF THE COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND PUBLIC HEALTH	
1. Council on Science and Public Health Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies .....	335
2. Transformation of Rural Community Public Health Systems .....	349
3. Correcting Policy H-120.958.....	356
JOINT REPORT OF THE COUNCIL ON CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS AND THE COUNCIL ON LONG RANGE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT	
Joint Council Sunset Review of 2012 House Policies .....	359
REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COMPENSATION OF THE OFFICERS	
1. Report of House of Delegates Committee on the Compensation of the Officers .....	385
MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS	
Joseph Heyman (New England) .....	389
Joseph Heyman (Private Practice Physician Section) .....	390
William B. Monnig .....	391
Preston J. Phillips .....	391
RESOLUTIONS.....	393
ELECTIONS .....	491
GENERAL OFFICERS, BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND COUNCILS .....	493

THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES	
Delegates and alternate delegates.....	495
Former presidents and former trustees.....	512
Specialty and Service Society representatives.....	514
FUTURE MEETINGS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES .....	515
APPENDIX	
Reference Committee Reports .....	517