I. IMG SECTION (IMGS) AUTHORED RESOLUTIONS

REFERENCE COMMITTEE C

A. Resolution 313 – Filtering International Medical Graduates During Residency or Fellowship Applications

Resolution 315 – Prohibit Discriminatory ERAS® Filters in NRMP Match

Resolution 313 asked That our American Medical Association collaborate with relevant stakeholders to identify alternative methods of reducing the number of applications to review without using a discriminatory filtering system that deprives international medical graduates of equitable training opportunities (Direction to Take Action); and that our AMA advocate for removal of the ability to filter out international medical graduates during application to a residency or fellowship. (Directive to Take Action)

Resolution 315 asked That our American Medical Association oppose the use of discriminatory filters for foreign graduates in the Electronic Residency Application Service® (ERAS®) system and aggressively work to eliminate discriminatory filters including, but not limited to, those based on foreign medical school training, that prevent international medical graduates and others from consideration based on merit. (Directive to Take Action)

HOD ACTION: Alternate Resolution 313 adopted in lieu of Resolutions 313 and 315, to read as follows:

RESOLVED, That our AMA recognize the exclusion of certain residency applicants from consideration, such as international medical graduates (New HOD Policy); and be it further

RESOLVED, That our AMA oppose discriminatory use of filters designed to inequitably screen applicants, including international medical graduates, using the Electronic Residency Application Service® (ERAS®) system. (Directive to Take Action)

B. Resolution 314 – Support for International Medical Graduates from Turkey
Resolution 314 asked:

- That our American Medical Association publicly recognize and express its support to immigrant physicians and trainees from Turkey (New HOD Policy);
- That our AMA acknowledge and address interpersonal and acute systemic factors that negatively affect Turkish IMGs and their families (New HOD Policy);
- That our AMA affirm its support and advocate for immigrant physicians and trainees working in the United States when their country of origin faces major humanitarian crises, to promote an understanding of the challenges specific to immigrant physicians (Directive to Take Action); and
- That our AMA support the development and implementation of channels of communication for immigrant physicians to share their personal and professional journey when facing severe destruction, humanitarian crises, or personal losses in their country of origin, contributing therefore to improving the understanding of the difficulties faced by immigrant physicians. (New HOD Policy)

**HOD ACTION:** Resolution 314 adopted as amended with a change in title, to read as follows.

The third Resolve of Resolution 314 amended by addition, to read as follows:

RESOLVED, That our AMA affirm its support and advocate for immigrant physicians and trainees working in the United States when their country of origin faces major humanitarian crises, regardless of their country’s political alignment, to promote an understanding of the challenges specific to immigrant physicians (Directive to Take Action); and be it...

**SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL GRADUATES FROM COUNTRIES FACING MAJOR HUMANITARIAN CRISIS**

C. **RFS Resolution – Cosponsored: Reference Committee C**
Resolution 303 – Medical School Management of Unmatched Medical Students

Resolution 303 asked that our American Medical Association convene a task force of appropriate AMA councils, medical education organizations, licensing and credentialing boards, government bodies, impacted communities, and other relevant stakeholders to:

1. Study institutional and systemic factors associated with the unmatched medical graduate status, including, but not limited to: a) The GME bottleneck on training positions, including the balance of entry-level position and categorical/advanced positions; b) New medical schools and the expansion of medical school class sizes; c) Race, geography, income, wealth, primary language, gender, religion, ability, and other structural factors; d) Student loan debt; e) Predatory business practices by medical schools, loan agencies, private equity, and other groups that prioritize profit over student success rates; f) The context, history, and impact of past reports on the state of
undergraduate medical education, including the Flexner Report; g) The format and variations of institutional and medical organization guidance on best practices to successful matching;

2. Develop best practices for medical schools and medical organizations to support unmatched medical graduates, including, but not limited to:
   a) Tools to identify and remediate students at high risk for not matching into GME programs;
   b) Adequate data on student success rates (e.g., by specialty), and factors associated with success in matching;
   c) Medical school responsibilities to unmatched medical students and graduates;
   d) Outcomes-based tuition relief or reimbursement for unmatched students, wherein, unmatched students are returned some component of their tuition to ease the financial burden of being unable to practice clinical medicine
   e) Transparent, equity-based solutions to address and ameliorate any inequities identified in the match process;
   f) Alternative, cost-neutral, graduate-level degrees with earlier graduation for students at high risk for not matching;
   g) Career opportunities for unmatched U.S. seniors and US-IMGs; and

3. Require transparency from stakeholders, including medical schools, about any actions taken based on the report of this task force, particularly with regard to the remediation of medical students. (Directive to Take Action)

**HOD ACTION: Resolution 303 referred for decision.**

**REFERENCE COMMITTEE F**

Resolution 605 - Equity and Justice Initiatives for International Medical Graduates

Resolution 605 asked that our American Medical Association, via the Center for Health Equity, create a yearly session (during the Interim or Annual Meeting) as a part of the equity forum that will be dedicated to international medical graduates (Directive to Take Action); and that our AMA, via the Center of Health Equity, create an amendment to the health equity plan that will address the issues of equity and justice for international medical graduates. (Directive to Take Action)

**HOD ACTION: Resolution 605 referred.**

II. **IMG SECTION - HOUSE OF DELEGATES REPORTS/RESOLUTIONS OF INTEREST - ACTIONS**

**REFERENCE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS -**

A. Resolution 008 – Study on the Criminalization of the Practice of Medicine – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Resolution 015 – Report Regarding the Criminalization of Promotion Medical Care adopted in lieu of Resolution 008
B. Resolution 010 – Advocating for Increased Support to Physicians in Family Planning and Fertility – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted
C. Resolution 015 Report Regarding the Criminalization of Providing Medical Care – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Resolution 015 – Report Regarding the Criminalization of Promotion Medical Care - Adopted in lieu of Resolution 008, Study on the Criminalization of the Practice of Medicine

REFERENCE COMMITTEE B - https://bit.ly/3BssH0M

A. BOARD REPORT 11 – HPSA and MUA Designation for SNFs – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted
B. Resolution 211 – Amending Policy H-80.999, “Sexual Assault Survivors,” to Improve Knowledge and Access to No-Cost Rape Test Kits - ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted as amended.
D. Resolution 214 – Advocacy and Action for a Sustainable Medical Care System – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Alternate Resolution 214 adopted in lieu of Resolutions 214, 234, and 257.
   a. Resolution 234 - Medicare Physician Fee 6 Schedule Updates and Grassroots Campaign
   b. Resolution 257 - Ama Efforts on Medicare 8 Payment Reform
E. Resolution 227 – Reimbursement for Postpartum Depression Prevention – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted as amended

REFERENCE COMMITTEE C - https://bit.ly/3BssH0M

A. Resolution 307 – Amending Access to Confidential Health Services for Medical Students and Physicians H-295.858 to Include Annual Opt-Out Mental Health Screening for Suicide Prevention for Residents – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted as amended.
B. Resolution 319 – Supporting Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Offices and Initiatives at United States Medical Schools to Enhance Longitudinal Community Engagement – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted as amended.
C. Resolution 320 – Banning Affirmative Action is a Critical Threat to Health Equity and to the Medical Profession – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Adopted
E. CME Report 8 – Challenges to Primary Source Verification of International Medical Graduates Resulting from International Conflict – ACTIVE SUPPORT; Recommendations in CME Report 8 adopted, and the remainder of the report filed.