

OFFICIAL CANDIDATE NOTIFICATION FOR 2026 AMA ELECTIONS

Pursuant to HOD policy, this will serve as the Official Candidate Notification listing members who have announced their intention to seek election at the June 2026 House of Delegates meeting as of February 9, 2026.

President Elect: 1 open position

Michael Suk, MD, JD, MPH, MBA

Speaker of the House of Delegates: 1 open position

Lisa Bohman Egbert, MD

Vice Speaker of the House of Delegates: 1 open position

John H. Armstrong, MD

Board of Trustees: 4 open positions, 1 potential open position*

Toluwalasé (Lasé) Ajayi, MD

Raj Ambay, MD

Alex Ding, MD

Stuart Gitlow, MD, MPH, MBA

Stephen K. Epstein, MD, MPP

Marilyn Heine, MD

Tripti Kataria, MD

Heather A. Smith, MD, MPH

Board of Trustees, Young Physician: 1 open position

Amar Kelkar, MD, MPH

Sam Mathis, MD, MBA

Avani Patel, MD, MHA

Council on Constitution and Bylaws: 2 open positions

Stuart J. Glassman, MD, MBA

Steven C. Thornquist, MD

Council on Medical Education: 1 open position

P. Travis Harker, MD, MPH

Mark Milstein, MD

Council on Medical Service: 3 open positions

Ravi Goel, MD

Michael Hanak, MD

Niva M. Lubin-Johnson, MD

Steven Wang, MD, MBA

Council on Science & Public Health: 4 open positions

Joanna Turner Bisgrove, MD, MPH

Joshua Cohen, MD, MPH

Dave Cundiff, MD, MPH

Laura Halpin, MD, PhD

Cynthia Romero, MD

Council on Science & Public Health, Resident Physician: 1 open position

Abhi Dharan, MD

***POTENTIAL NEWLY OPENED POSITIONS** - positions that may open as the result of the election of a currently announced candidate in another contest.

Individuals considering becoming a candidate for any of the existing open or potential newly opened positions are encouraged to send an email with an electronic announcement card to HOD@ama-assn.org notifying us of your intention to be a candidate. Please designate if you wish to declare your candidacy for an open position or for a potential newly opened position.