

# WAUKESHA COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY

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## Board of Directors Meetings

Waukesha CMS Board Meetings are open to all members.

Board Meetings occur on the 3rd Thursday of each month (NO meetings are held in June, July or December).

Visit the WCMS website for details.

## Contact Information

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## *WMS Resolutions are Available Your County Delegates want to hear from you!*

26 resolutions have been submitted for consideration by the Wisconsin Medical Society's 2017 Annual House of Delegates.

Before your Waukesha County delegates vote on your behalf, we want your input! Please review the resolutions and answer our brief survey no later than March 10. [BEGIN SURVEY](#).

You may also comment on resolutions via the Virtual Reference Committee section of the Wisconsin Medical Society's web site ([link](#)).

*NOTE: You must be logged into your profile on the WMS website in order to access the resolutions and the virtual reference committee comment page. Simply click to review each resolution, and enter your comments in the space below each resolution.*

## *District 1 Caucus - March 15 Join Us to Review and Discuss 2017 Resolutions*

Join Medical Society colleagues from across southeastern Wisconsin for the annual spring District 1 Caucus, 6:00-8:30 pm on Wed. March 15th at the Wheaton Franciscan Wauwatosa Campus.

At the event, WMS members in District 1, comprised of the counties of Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha, will review and discuss the resolutions that have been submitted for consideration by the Wisconsin Medical Society's 2017 Annual House of Delegates.

There is no cost to attend the Caucus, but advanced registration is required. A light dinner will be provided. [Register here](#).

## *Dinner & Education: Local Look at MACRA Wednesday, April 12th*

### **AGENDA**

5:30-6:15 p.m. Reception  
6:15-7:00 p.m. Dinner  
7:00-8:30 p.m. Educational Program (Introductory Comments; Panel Presentation, Q&A)

### **LOCATION**

Marriott Milwaukee West  
W231 N1600 Corporate Court  
Waukesha, WI 53186

### **OVERVIEW**

Changes to the Medicare payment system are on the horizon, and physicians want to know how the new Medicare Access and CHIP

Reauthorization Act (MACRA) will impact their practices. This program is designed to provide physicians an understanding of how MACRA is being implemented in local health systems, and the impact they can expect in their practice of medicine. Representatives from local healthcare systems will have an opportunity to provide their unique perspective of payment reform practices.

#### **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES**

- Define Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act (MACRA)
- Discuss how physician compensation will be affected with the implementation of MACRA
- Review administrative challenges related to MACRA implementation
- Discuss MACRA and its expected impact on physician workload and work-life balance
- Identify specific plans within local health systems to address payment reform

#### **PROGRAM CHAIR**

Keshni Ramnanan, MD  
Board Member, Wisconsin Medical Society & Waukesha CMS

#### **INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

Molli Rolli, MD, Board Chair  
Wisconsin Medical Society

#### **AMA PERSPECTIVE ON MACRA**

Kathleen Blake, MD, MPH, Vice President of Healthcare Quality  
American Medical Association

#### **A LOCAL LOOK AT MACRA - PANEL DISCUSSION**

- Andy Anderson, MD, Executive VP and Chief Medical Officer, Aurora Health Care
- Steven Kulick, MD, Medical Director, ProHealth Care Solutions, LLC
- Julie Mitchell, MD, MS, Chief Population Health Management Officer, Medical College of Wisconsin
- Sarfraz Sidhu, MD, General Partner, Oak Medical, LLC, Independent Physician

#### **REGISTRATION FEE**

No cost for Waukesha CMS members; \$50 for non-members & guests

#### **[REGISTER ONLINE](#)**

**Doctor Day 2017 - Wed. March 29, 2017**  
*Registration is open*



This annual advocacy event at the Monona Terrace Convention Center in Madison, is timed well for physicians to meet with their legislators and/or staff members, and to have input on the budget and other important health care issues.

Attendance is complimentary, but registration is required. A record attendance is expected. [Learn More/REGISTER](#)



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