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*Waukesha CMS Board Meetings
are open to all members.*

Thursday, January 28, 2016

12:00-1:00 pm

Waukesha Family Practice Center

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WCMS Dinner Program - March 23!

HOPE Agenda: The Impact on your Practice

Wisconsin's HOPE Agenda will impact the way physicians practice medicine. Join WCMS for this dinner program to learn more.

Waukesha CMS Dinner Program

Wed. March 23, 2016

5:30-8:45 pm

Marriott Milwaukee West, Waukesha, WI

[Register online](#)

An interdisciplinary panel of presenters will review the background of the HOPE Agenda and will discuss components and implications of the legislation, including the potential of criminalization. Discussion will include current and alternative methods for detecting inappropriate opioid use and safely managing chronic pain in patients.

Presenters include:

Introductory Remarks: Jerry Halverson, MD, President, WI Medical Society (*invited*);

Moderator: Mark Grapentine, JD, Sr. VP Government & Legal Affairs, WI Medical Society;

Panelists: (*additional panelists are being confirmed*):

- Dave Eichstaedt, Pharmacist, Prescription Center Pharmacies S.C.;
- Nameeta Dookeran, MD, Addiction Medicine, Rogers Memorial Hospital;
- David Sadler, MD, Emergency Medicine, Lake Country Emergency Physicians

[Register today](#). This event is complimentary for all Waukesha County Medical Society members.

DOCTOR DAY 2016: Are You Signed Up?



Join Waukesha CMS President Tracy McCall, MD and let your voices be heard at Doctor Day 2016 on Wednesday, February 10 in Madison! The collective voice of Wisconsin physicians is essential when so much

legislative attention is given to health care issues.

There is no cost to attend, but registration is required. [Sign up](#), and be among the anticipated 300 physicians who will converge on the State Capitol for this year's event. The stronger the showing, the stronger the impact!

During the event's morning session at the Monona

Terrace Community and Convention

Center, attendees will participate in

a legislative briefing and hear from

Lt. Gov. Rebecca Kleefisch and

Tim Westlake, MD. Following

lunch, attendees will head to the

Capitol for small-group meetings with state legislators and/or

their staffs. The all-day event will

conclude with a reception at DLUX in Madison.



Your voice matters! [Register today](#) for Doctor Day 2016!

HOD Resolutions Due Feb. 1, 2016

The Wisconsin Medical Society's 2016 Annual House of Delegates (HOD) Meeting will be held April 2-3 at the Monona Terrace Convention Center in Madison.

The House of Delegates is the Society's primary policymaking body and provides an opportunity for members to propose, consider, discuss and enact policies that will shape the Society's mission and its position on important matters of healthcare in Wisconsin and beyond.

Members may submit resolutions for consideration by the HOD during the Annual meeting. Any resolution received after the Feb. 1 deadline will be considered a "late resolution," unless it is presented by the Board of Directors, the Speaker, Vice Speaker, constitutional officer or by a council or committee of the Society or the HOD. View the [WMS website](#) for information and guidelines for drafting and submitting resolutions.

Have You Renewed your Membership?

Don't risk losing your WMS and WCMS member benefits!

If you haven't yet done so, please [renew your membership](#) with

the Wisconsin Medical Society and the Waukesha County Medical Society for the 2016 membership year.

From safeguarding Wisconsin's stable medical liability environment to leading efforts to protect the physician-patient relationship and advocating on timely legislative issues, your state and county medical societies advocate on behalf of your patients and your profession.

Contact [Diane Stampfli](#) or call 608-442-3763 for assistance.

WMS-Foundation Fundraising Event

Mark your calendar for Friday, April 1

The Wisconsin Medical Society Foundation's Fundraising Dinner and Silent Auction will be April 1, from 5 to 9 p.m., at the Monona Terrace Community and Convention Center in Madison. In addition to dinner, a large silent auction and a new "surprise prize" book grab, Dipesh Navsaria, MPH, MSLIS, MD, will give an inspiring presentation on the neuroscience behind early childhood literacy programs.

The theme for the evening is "A Universe of Possibilities: Creating a foundation for lifelong health." In his presentation, Dr. Navsaria will share ways that all attendees-physicians, parents and other community members-can improve the lifelong health and well-being of children and mitigate the effects of adversity and poverty on their developing brains.

Join us for an evening of discovery and wonder April 1, while supporting medical education and health initiatives. This event will once again kick off the Wisconsin Medical Society's 2016 Annual Meeting April 2-3.

[Purchase event tickets](#) or contact Foundation Outreach Coordinator [Henry Thompson](#) (608-442-3756) for assistance.