The AAFP is committed to helping family physicians improve the health of Americans by:

- Advancing the specialty of family medicine.
- Strengthening members’ collective voice.
- Providing solutions to enhance patient care.

**AAFP Strategic Priorities**

- Payment Reform
- Practice Transformation
- Workforce
- Clinical Expertise
AAFP Vision

The vision of the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) is to transform health care to achieve optimal health for everyone.

AAFP Mission

The mission of the AAFP is to improve the health of patients, families, and communities by serving the needs of members with professionalism and creativity.
## AAFP Total Membership

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2016 Federal Advocacy Accomplishments

• Pick Your Pace
• Primary Care Codes
• Mental Health Reform
• Health IT Reporting and Interoperability
• Opioid Epidemic
• Zika
• Medical Education and Workforce
AAFP Advocacy Agenda

• Promote physician payment reforms which value primary care.

• Support population health improvement.

• Increase family physician workforce.

• Defend gains from the ACA and MACRA.
AAFP Advocacy Agenda

• Support affordable coverage for all
• Advocate to preserve coverage gained in ACA
• Meaningful Pre-existing coverage
• Preserve Standard Health Benefits
• Maintain elimination of Lifetime limits
• Support Cost Share Reduction in Individual Markets
AAFP Advocacy Agenda

Opportunities

• Medical Liability Reform
  “Protecting Access to Care Act”
  $250,000 Noneconomic Cap
  3 Year Statute of Limitations
  Class Action Protection

• Administrative Burden Relief
New Center for State Policy

- AAFP Congress of Delegates Initiatives
- Chapter Advocacy Casework
  - State Legislative Conference
  - Chapter Advocacy Days
  - Chapter Speak Outs
- Model Legislation Library
- Policy Analysis
- State Legislative Tracking
- Legislative Resources
• Elect candidates to the U.S. Congress who support AAFP’s legislative goals and objectives.

• Since 2005, FamMedPAC has raised and contributed more than $4 million to more than 400 candidates.

• FamMedPAC is the ONLY political organization that promotes family medicine in Washington, D.C.

Visit www.fammedpac.org to learn more.
Practice Advancement

MACRA Legislative Timeline

- April 16, 2015: MACRA enacted
- October 2015: Request for Information
- April 27, 2016: Proposed Rule released
- October 14, 2016: Final Rule w/comment
Two MACRA Pathways
“Pick your Pace” Options for 2017

Test
- Submit some data to QPP
- No negative adjustment

Partial Participation
- Report minimum 90 days
- Small positive adjustment

Full Participation
- Report 90 days up to full year
- Modest positive adjustment

Advanced APM
- Qualifying Program & Qualified Participant
- 5% incentive payment

NO NEGATIVE PAYMENT ADJUSTMENTS
Assistance is Available
Transforming Clinical Practices Initiative

• Email tcpi@aafp.org to learn how you may benefit from TCPI technical assistance.

• Join the TCPI Member Interest Group to connect with others working on practice improvement.

5 Phases of TCPI

- Set Aims
- Use Data to Drive Care
- Achieve Progress on Aims
- Achieve Benchmark Status
- Thrive as a Business via Pay for Value Approaches
The AAFP Is Here to Help!

Resources available | aafp.org/MACRAReady
AAFP QPP Advocacy

2018 Proposed Rule pending
• Solo/Small Practice Safe Harbor
• Virtual Groups
• Administrative Simplification
• Increase Primary Care APMs
Health of the Public and Science

• Advance science and public health initiatives through:
  – Clinical practice guidelines and policies, including preventive services, immunizations, clinical care, opioid misuse/pain management, infectious disease outbreaks, and Choosing Wisely recommendations.
  – Patient education.
  – Programs to address well-being and lifestyle issues (healthy eating, physical activity, tobacco use, etc.) through clinical practice, community engagement, and advocacy.
Health of the Public and Science

• Address the social determinants of health by:
  – Incorporating health equity and cultural proficiency into all products.
  – Integrating primary care with other relevant sectors such as public health, behavioral health, oral health, business, and government.

• The AAFP’s Community Health Resource Navigator:
  – Helps AAFP members locate community resources relevant to your patient health care needs.
  – Helps shape counseling options and shared decision-making discussions.
Student Interest in Family Medicine is Growing

The AAFP currently has 32,000 student members.

Family Medicine Positions Offered And Filled in March (2006-2016)

Source: National Resident Matching Program®
Advance Data Tables 2016
Medical Education & Student Choice

AIM

Increase U.S. Allopathic and Osteopathic Student Choice of Family Medicine

Drivers

- Pipeline
- Process of Medical Education
- Practice Transformation
- Payment

Secondary Drivers

- Students from rural communities
- Students from underrepresented minority backgrounds
- Holistic admission tracks/criteria
- Family physician mentors & FMIG
- Positive culture for primary care & FM
- Public schools with social missions
- High quality residency programs & preceptors
- Empowering medical students in the transformation
- Reduce admin hassles
- Reduce pay gap
Continuing Medical Education

Evidence-based, high-quality, and engaging, AAFP CME is developed specifically for family physicians to improve patient care and help meet license and certification requirements.

AAFP CME your way

• Board preparation (live courses and self-study options)
• Self-study (online, audio, and print)
• Live clinical courses and procedures

Revenue generated from CME resources is re-invested into the AAFP to advance the specialty and provide solutions for enhancing patient care.
Valuable Resources for YOU

• AAFP Chronic Pain Management Toolkit
• Child and adult immunization schedules
• MACRA Ready and other practice transformation tools
• Clinical practice guidelines
• Clinical preventive service recommendations
• Open payments (Physician Payment Sunshine Act) information
• Continuing medical education—live and online
• FamilyDoctor.org

...and much more!
How to Stay Informed

- AAFP News
- AAFP.org
- Family Medicine SmartBrief
- AAFP blogs and social media channels
- Conferences and CME
The leader within me is.....

AAFP LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
April 27-29, 2016 (preconference April 26) • Kansas City, MO
AAFP/LEADER

AAFP NATIONAL CONFERENCE
Family Medicine Residents + Medical Students
July 27-29, 2017 • KC, MO

FMX SAN ANTONIO
SEPTEMBER 12-16

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS
Get Involved!

- Respond to AAFP *Speak Out!* alerts
- Become a Key Contact
- Attend the Family Medicine Congressional and State Legislative Conferences
- Help extend the reach of family medicine messages through social media
- Serve in the AAFP Congress of Delegates
- Serve on an AAFP Commission
- AAFP Member Interest Groups
AAFP Member Interest Groups (MIGs)

• Created by the AAFP Board of Directors to serve as a forum for members with shared professional interests to:
  – Network with fellow AAFP members and meet face-to-face at AAFP’s FMX.
  – Connect to existing AAFP resources, influence creation of new resources, and participate in interest-specific continuing professional development activities.
  – Deliver a unified message to AAFP leadership.
  – Suggest AAFP policy and provide input on AAFP policies and positions (upon request).
  – Pursue professional leadership development within the AAFP.
AAFP Foundation

Mission Statement
The American Academy of Family Physicians Foundation advances the values of family medicine by promoting humanitarian, educational, and scientific initiatives that improve the health of all people.

- All 20 programs are focused in one of the following areas:
  - Humanitarian
  - Education
  - Scientific
AAFP Foundation

Direct Funding and Other Support of Chapters:

• Funding Support
  – Family Medicine Philanthropic Consortium grant awards (40% of dues check-off)
  – Student externship matching grants
  – Chapter Executive Leadership Program
  – Disaster assistance program
  – Special grant opportunities

• Other Forms of Support
  – Planned giving options for split charitable gift annuities or charitable remainder trusts
  – Potential asset management for smaller chapters
Questions?

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