

April 29, 2021



NYACP Legislative Week

You Are Invited to Participate in NYACP's Advocacy Week 2021

Day 1: Monday, May 3, 2021

[NYACP's Advocacy Training Webinar 101](#)

5:30-6:30 PM

Are you interested in advocating for your patients and on behalf of your profession? Don't know how or where to start? Let NYACP share their experience and provide you with some of the basics.

[<REGISTER HERE>](#)

Day 2: Tuesday, May 4, 2021

[Advocacy Intern Podcast Release](#)

Listen to NYACP's Advocacy Interns to learn about their experiences advocating for physicians in Albany during the 2021 Legislative Session.

Day 3: Wednesday, May 5, 2021

[Advocacy Call to Action through NYACP's Online Grassroots Advocacy Center](#)

Help lay the groundwork for NYACP's Advocacy Day by sending pre-populated email communications to NY State Assembly Members and Senators. On Wednesday morning you will receive an email with links to click and send letters to your representatives in Albany alerting them to pending issues that impact Internists in NY.

Day 4: Thursday, May 6, 2021

[Advocacy Day with NYS Legislature](#)

NYACP's Leadership will meet with key NY Legislators to advocate on behalf of all NYACP Members.

Day 5: Friday, May 7, 2021

[Social Media Advocacy Week Follow-Up](#)



[NYACP-MedQuest IM
Board Review
Question](#)

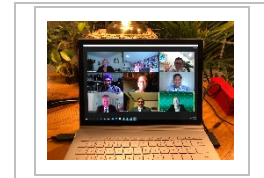
Watch your Twitter, Instagram and Facebook accounts for follow-up and pictures about NYACP's Advocacy Week!

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NYACP Spring 2021 E-Poster Competition Congratulations to our E- Poster Presenter Winners!

Resident and Fellow Clinical Vignette

1st Place: Chinenye Eze-Raphael, MBBS - Maimionides Medical College
2nd Place: Alicia Philippou, MD - Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai
2nd Place: (tie) Amin Azem, MD- Albany Medical Center
3rd Place: Roberto Cerrud-Rodriguez, MD- Montefiore Medical Center



Resident and Fellow Research

1st Place: Kritika Subramanian, MD-Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai (Elmhurst)
2nd Place: Harshith Thyagaturu, MD - Bassett Medical Center

Resident and Fellow, Medical Student Quality

1st Place: Karen Kruzer, MD - University of Rochester Medical Center
2nd Place: Alison Daly, MD - NYU Langone Hospital - Long Island

Medical Student Clinical Vignette

1st Place: Rebecca Lorenzana - New York Medical College
2nd Place: (tie)-Jordan Donegan - SUNY Upstate Medical University
2nd Place: Kingshuk Mazumdar - Albany Medical College
3rd Place: Rachel Axman - SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University

Medical Student Research

1st Place: Nicholas Cochran-Caggiano - Albany Medical College

New ACP Paper Recommends Appropriate Use of POCUS for Patients in ER and In-patient Settings

["Appropriate Use of Point-of-Care Ultrasound in Patients with Acute Dyspnea in Emergency Department or In-patient Settings: A Clinical Guideline from the American College of Physicians,"](#) a new paper in the April 27 issue of *Annals of*



Internal Medicine, releases a new Clinical Guideline regarding the appropriate use of point-of-care ultrasound (POCUS) for patients with acute dyspnea in emergency departments or in-patient settings.

New Podcast Released: Physician Spotlight on James Desemone, MD, FACP



NYACP's Medical Student Committee has created podcasts focused on individual professional journeys in Internal Medicine. Click below to hear how one encounter changed Dr. Desemone's career path at the last moment and the parts of Quality Improvement that are thrilling and enriching!

This is an engaging interview that unfolds in a storytelling format and will leave you anxiously awaiting our next podcast installment.

Available now at: nyacp.org/students



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The American Board of Medical Specialties Seeks Comments on Draft Standards for Continuing Certification

The American Board of Medical Specialties (ABMS) has opened an 80-day "[Draft Standards for Continuing Certification - Call for Comments](#)" to obtain input and feedback from all stakeholders who possess, use, or rely upon the board certification credential as an indicator of a diplomate's professionalism and proficiency of specialty knowledge and skills. The "Call for Comments" will be open from Tuesday, April 20, 2021 through Thursday, July 8, 2021 at 11:59 p.m. CST. Feedback received will guide and inform the development of the final Draft Standards for Continuing Certification ("Draft Standards"), which will be considered by the ABMS Board of Directors in October 2021.

ABMS establishes the standards its 24 Member Boards use to develop and implement educational and assessment programs used in the certification of diplomate specialists. The new Draft Standards reflect foundational changes to the manner in which ABMS and its Member Boards deliver on their mission, bringing value to both the profession and the public at large. They were developed after a year of deliberation with key stakeholders in response to the [recommendations of the Continuing Board Certification: Vision for the Future Commission](#) as well as of the wider stakeholder community.

The Draft Standards are structured to support and provide diplomates with the tools they need to stay current in medical knowledge; prepare them to address emerging medical and public health issues; and help them identify and address opportunities for practice improvement within the systems in which they work, all in a manner that enhances relevance and reduces burden. The Draft Standards also address the needs of patients, families, and communities by assuring that board certified diplomates maintain the knowledge and skills necessary to deliver the quality specialty care upon which they rely.

[Review the Draft Standards by July 8](#)

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Join us for this interactive webinar sponsored by the NYACP Early Career Physicians Task Force:

NYACP Women in Medicine Webinar Series Part 2:
Negotiations at the Workplace: Know Your Worth



Tuesday, May 11, 2021
6:00 - 7:00 pm

The NYACP Early Career Physicians Task Force is hosting a five-part Women in Medicine Webinar Series throughout 2021. This series is a platform for women physicians to share their voice, learn from healthcare leaders and work together in navigating the future for Internal Medicine women physicians. In our second session, Dr. Adebisi (Bisi) Alli will share her skills and strategies for negotiating your worth!

Join us for an evening of:

- Negotiation Stories from the front lines
- Negotiation Strategies
- Why women don't negotiate
- What are we afraid of?
- Negotiation for non-compensation incentives (time off, flexible schedule etc...)
- Interactive polling and chats

Bio:

Dr. Adebisi (Bisi) Alli is a board-certified internal medicine physician. She is one of three national American College of Physician representatives for the Women's Wellness through Equity and Leadership (WEL) Project. She is an Assistant Professor for the Mayo Clinic Alix School of Medicine and Senior Associate Consultant for the Division of Community Internal Medicine. Formerly, she served as medical director for the residency clinic she launched through the Phoenix VA Healthcare System & Associate Program Director for the University of Arizona-Phoenix Internal Medicine Residency Program. She is a Lean Six Sigma Black Belt and has a strong passion for communication, negotiation, and quality improvement.

[Register Here](#)

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Questions? Please contact klabello@nyacp.org

NYACP Weekend Board Review

LIVE ONLINE!

Friday, May 14 - Sunday, May 16, 2021

Earn up to 27 CME credits and 27 MOC points!

You will receive:

- Chat features available for instructor interaction
- Polling feature on case-based questions
- Compare your knowledge with your virtual classmates
- Course materials and online log in information in advance
- Earn up to 27 AMA PRA Category I credits and 27 MOC Points!

Faculty:

Conrad Fischer, MD, FACP

Chris Paras, DO, FACP

Niket Sonpal, MD, FACP

[Course Content and More Information](#)

[Register Here](#)

CME Statement and MOC statement

The American College of Physicians (ACP) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The ACP designates this live activity for a maximum of 27 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*TM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Successful completion of this CME activity (the **NYACP Weekend Board Review**), which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 27 medical knowledge MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.



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