

# NYACP 2017 Achievements

## Advocacy at a Glance



**68,000+**

Prescribers completed the Boston University/NYACP pain management course to comply with the NYS law which went into effect 7/1/17



**Improved Quality of Care Through Education**

126.5 CME Clinical Education Hours & 122 MOC Points sponsored through educational programming



**6 NYACP Advocacy Interns**

(3 residents & 3 medical students) served a full month each at the Capitol and our Albany headquarters



**Prioritizing Physician Resilience** and mitigating the risk of burnout through peer support, education and training programs

**Reinforcing** the value of General Internal Medicine and Geriatrics



**Input and Leadership**

Council/Board, District Presidents, Committee Chairs, and the 46 member Health and Public Policy Committee participate in policy development



**11 Alternative Payment Model/ Practice Transformation Listening Sessions**

were held to help practices meet the changing practice and payment environment

### Priority Causes NYACP Championed

Promoting Tobacco Prevention and Cessation

1

Seeking Medical Liability Reform

2

Reducing Administrative Burdens

3

Reducing Opioid and Heroin Addiction

4

Challenging Scope of Practice Expansions Without Adequate Training or Education

5

Addressing Physician Shortages Across NYS

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ADVOCACY IN ACTION



**15,570**

Bills introduced into the NYS legislature

**138**

Bills flagged as high priority

**430**

Other health bills closely monitored

**2500+**

Hours spent on representing Chapter member views to regulators and legislators

**394**

Members serve as Key Contacts who regularly communicate with legislators

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