

News: For Immediate Release Additional Information Contact: Gene M. Ransom, CEO Office: 410-539-0872 x 3305

MEDCHI CONGRATULATES STADIUM AUTHORITY

BALTIMORE, February 29, 2013 – The Stadium Authority announced earlier this week that they will be banning smoking in all areas of Camden Yards and M&T Bank Stadium beginning in early March. MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society would like to congratulate the Stadium Authority on the decision.

Gene M. Ransom, MedChi CEO, stated "MedChi is a strong supporter of the new restrictions on tobacco use, and we thank the Stadium Authority for their leadership. Hopefully, this decision will reduce the number of smokers, exposure to second hand smoke and tobacco usage in Maryland, especially for teens and young adults."

About MedChi

MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society, is a non-profit membership association of Maryland physicians. It is the largest physician organization in Maryland. The mission of MedChi is to serve as Maryland's foremost advocate and resource for physicians, their patients and the public health of Maryland. For more information, please visit www.medchi.org.