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(AMPAC)

**Maryland Medical Political Action
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In **6** months, we will be choosing a Senator, 8 Congresspeople,
a new Governor of Maryland,
and voting for the entire Maryland State Legislature.
The candidates need **our** help to get them elected into office.
It is through AMPAC and MMPAC that we can help.



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In the Legislative Session of 2022, MedChi was able to help enact laws to

- Increased Medicaid E&M codes 100% Medicare
- Telehealth payments continue
- Agreement with CF and MHA re: 2 sided arrangements
- Limited CoPays on Insulin

In addition, MedChi was instrumental to defeat “Podiatric Physicians”, “Physician Associates”, and Out of State Behavioral Telehealth



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The Maryland State Medical Society





We need each of **you** to help by raising funds. These contributions go toward mailers, rallies, and outreach by the politicians.

Without these funds, the politicians can't get their message to the voters.
With these funds, AMPAC and MMPAC get our message to the politicians!



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There are always strong forces lined up against us in Annapolis and in DC, and we need to do our part to bring our message to the legislators.

Please be generous. Join me to make a monthly contribution of **\$25** or more.

It will go a long way for bringing MedChi's message to Annapolis, and AMA's message to Congress.

**GO TO A FUNDRAISER! CALL YOUR LEGISLATOR!
WRITE A CHECK! GO TO OUR WEBSITE!
SCAN THE QR CODE!**



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AMPAC

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OLDEST NON-UNION POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE FORMED IN 1961 - IT'S
AMPAC'S 60TH ANNIVERSARY

WORKS WITH STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY PACS AS THEIR FEDERAL CAMPAIGN
PARTNER



Contribution Criteria

TAKES INTO CONSIDERATION THE FOLLOWING:

- STATE SOCIETY'S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE MEMBER AND/OR CANDIDATE
 - AMA'S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE MEMBER AND/OR CANDIDATE
 - A MEMBER'S COMMITTEE OR STATUS IN LEADERSHIP
 - MEMBER'S VOTING RECORD OR CANDIDATE'S POLICY PLATFORM
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- RECOMMENDATIONS ARE CONSISTENT ACROSS THE COUNTRY



AMPAC Participation 2022

- **MARYLAND HAS 47 AMPAC CONTRIBUTORS YTD (68 IN 2021)**
 - **43 Physicians**
 - **4 Residents**
 - **0 Students**

 - **2022: 11 CAPITOL CLUB PARTICIPATION YTD (27)**
 - **3 Platinum Members (3)**
 - **2 Gold Members (4)**
 - **6 Silver Members (20)**
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AMPAC Grassroots update

- **JOIN AMA'S GRASSROOTS VIP PROGRAM!**
 - If you have connections with members of Congress, or want to developing one, the Very Influential Physician (VIP) program can help. VIPs meet directly with policymakers to help shape vital health care legislation
 - **Benefits include**
 - **Build Relationships with your Members of Congress**
 - **Access to exclusive advocacy webinars and resources**
 - **Receive tailored VIP news letter**
 - **Please reach out to Natalie Pontzer at**
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Please contact Chip O'Neil with any questions at coneil@medchi.org



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