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## **MEDCHI TO HOLD SPRING HOUSE OF DELEGATES MEETING APRIL 24-25**

BALTIMORE, April 23, 2015 — MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society, will host their annual Spring House of Delegates meeting on Friday, April 24 and Saturday, April 25, 2015. During this meeting, MedChi will hold continuing medical education course on opioid management, set policy and discuss the future of medicine in Maryland.

MedChi is pleased to announce an exciting line up of speakers for this annual event. Doris K. Cope, M.D. will be presenting “Opioid Toolkit”. This CME presentation meets the licensing requirements for the Maryland Board of Physicians for substance abuse and addiction CME credit. “MedChi decided to make this a part of the 2015 annual spring meeting in recognition of the importance of preventing opioid abuse” explained MedChi CEO Gene Ransom.

Also scheduled to present is The Honorable Shannon McMahan, Maryland Deputy Secretary of Health. Deputy Secretary McMahan will provide an overview of issues currently facing physicians related to the operation of Maryland Medicaid.

Gene Ransom, MedChi CEO, states “MedChi is excited for this upcoming meeting and the great speakers that will be in attendance and many resolutions will be discussed. If you are a Maryland physician, you will want to be there.” All physicians are welcome to attend. The full agenda and business of the House of Delegates can be found on our website, [www.medchi.org/hod](http://www.medchi.org/hod).

### About MedChi

MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society, is a non-profit membership association of Maryland physicians. Formed in 1799, it is still the largest physician organization in Maryland today. 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](http://www.medchi.org).