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THE FUTURE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MARYLAND

BALTIMORE, January 14, 2016 — MedChi's Public Health Committee focuses on identifying important public health issues and developing policies and activities that address these issues, in order to enhance the health status of our community. *The Future of Public Health in Maryland*, presented by the Public Health Committee, will be held on Thursday, February 4, 2016 in MedChi's historic Osler Hall at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will begin with Dr. Leana Wen, Baltimore City Health Commissioner, who will be presenting updates on public health programs for Baltimore City and Maryland. Following the presentation, there will be a meeting open to all members of MedChi who are interested in becoming more involved with the Public Health Committee.

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.

About the Center

The Center for a Healthy Maryland (formerly MedChi Foundation) is an affiliate of MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society. It was established in 1976 as a 501(c)(3) corporation to support the charitable, educational and scientific purposes and functions of MedChi. These include education, quality improvement, health promotion, community outreach, preservation of MedChi history, and public health. For more information, please visit www.healthymaryland.org.