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TULSA COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY PRESIDENT'S LETTER

For one month a year, as part of a long-standing, and ongoing relationship with the Oklahoma State Legislature; and in conjunction with the Oklahoma State Medical Association (OSMA), members of TCMS are granted unprecedented access to the state capital – in person.

All you have to do is sign up for Doctor of the Day.

The Doctor of the Day is, on record, a participating member of the Oklahoma State Legislature – they even have their own parking spot on the east side of the Capital.

Most of the time, the Doctor of the Day is introduced during the opening to the day's session by their respective Senator or Representative; and sometimes we are asked to speak in front of the House or Senate Chamber. Regardless of whether or not you are asked to speak in a more public forum, civil discourse with lawmakers is not only appropriate, it is encouraged.

Indeed, there are not that many more focused, productive and predictable methods of communicating with our state representatives than the one-on-one, face-to-face interactions inherent to the Doctor of the Day program. It truly is an underrated resource – and it's one of the best reasons to be a member of TCMS.

Just a few things about the program:

After being introduced, and after opening of session, the Sergeant of Arms assists in helping the Doctor of the Day to their post at the First Aid Station. This area is more-or-less exactly what it sounds like: a station where primary level care is provided. Basic medical office examination supplies are available; there are a few non-prescription medications in stock (think: Tylenol) and a nurse is there to help coordinate care. Any medical issue that does not have a quick and easy solution is transferred without delay.



Brian W. Macha, M.D.

TCMS President

I know physicians who participate in this program every year. TCMS used to have exclusive privilege to work days during the month of February – then after a couple years of having to negotiate treacherous winter roads, the OSMA moved us to April.

During 2022, there are four full weeks in April that we are being asked to fill. These dates generally fill up fast... as indicated earlier, there are physicians who look forward to participating on an annual basis. That being said, I think TCMS still has a few open spots - so if you, or someone you

know is interested in being the Doctor of the Day then contact TCMS as soon as possible.

One other thing: If you are lucky enough to land a spot for Doctor of the Day in conjunction with TCMS, I'd like to ask you to consider taking a Tulsa medical student or resident along with you. Each year, the state legislative agenda contains more and more topics and initiatives that impact important physician roles. Such is the rising tide that even students and residents are starting to become increasingly aware of, and concerned about what the future holds – with regard to healthcare in our state.

Lastly, just to get you thinking about a few things for when you go to the Capital in April... these are topics that we know have been on the State Legislative Agenda for some time: medical-legal reform, scope of practice initiatives, Medicaid reimbursement, rural medicine, insurance reform and public health issues specific to Oklahoma.

Keep in mind that there is currently not a single physician in either House of the Oklahoma State Legislature – and so, it goes without saying that the Doctor of the Day program is increasingly important, both in terms of access and in terms of influence.

Sincerely,

Brian W. Macha, M.D.
TCMS President

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DOCTOR OF THE DAY APRIL 2022

As part of our ongoing legislative relations, the Oklahoma State Medical Association manages the Oklahoma State Capitol's Doctor of the Day program. This program offers a great opportunity for our members to meet their state legislators and talk to them about issues that matter to the "House of Medicine." Each Doctor of the Day is at the Capitol for the day to handle minor medical situations (think aspirin and Band-Aids). But more importantly, participants can serve as the face of OSMA and visit with elected officials about the impact their votes have on Oklahoman's health.

Dates fill up quickly. If you are interested in serving as Doctor of the Day, please contact the TCMS office at 918.743.6184 or email mark@tcmsok.org to reserve your date.

Use the following link to Sign-Up for Doctor of the Day:

<https://forms.gle/dXMs3PNuBUiCtVbVA>

In addition, the TCMS Student-Resident Council has asked if any physician volunteering as Doctor of the Day would allow a student or resident to join them to the Capitol. Please let our staff know if you would be willing to have a student or resident join you.

April 2022 Doctor of the Day Dates

April 4-7, 11-14, 18-21, 25-28

Hours: M, Noon-4pm

T, W, Th, 8am-4pm



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4 Reserved	5 8am-4pm	6 8am-4pm	7 Reserved	8	9
10	11 Noon-4pm	12 8am-4pm	13 Reserved	14 8am-4pm	15	16
17	18 Noon-4pm	19 8am-4pm	20 8am-4pm	21 8am-4pm	22	23
24	25 Noon-4pm	26 8am-4pm	27 8am-4pm	28 8am-4pm	29	30

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 1, 2022

Medicine Day
Advocacy day 9am-noon

APRIL 8-9, 2022

OSMA Annual Meeting, House of Delegates, and Inaugural Dinner
Visit <https://bit.ly/3HXJ5rT> for more details

APRIL 23, 2022

OSDS Annual Meeting
OU-Tulsa Schusterman Learning Center
7AM - 4:30PM
Contact Joetta Cunningham, TCMS

MAY 6, 2022

The Mark Allen Everett, MD,
Skin of Color Virtual Symposium
Presented by the OU/OKC Department of Dermatology
2022 Virtual 7AM to 5PM
Click the link to register <https://ouhsc.cloud-cme.com/course/courseoverview?P=5&EID=11421> contact Renee Wall at 405) 271-4662 or renee-wall@ouhsc.edu
Free registration for healthcare students, residents and fellows

MAY 12, 2022

OU Resident Research Night Hosted by the OBGYN Society at TCMS Building from 6-9PM

MAY 19, 2022

OSU Resident Research Night Hosted by the OBGYN Society at TCMS Building from 6-9PM
Contact Joetta Cunningham, TCMS

JULY 9-16, 2022

OSMA CME Cruise Conference
7-Night Eastern Caribbean Cruise
For more information visit my.okmed.org/CMECruise or call 1.800.926.3775

Oklahoma State Dermatology and Dermatological Surgery Society (OSDS) Regular Scheduled Series Meetings

Tuesday, March 29, 2022 - 5-8PM
Tuesday, July 12, 2022 - 5-8PM
Contact Joetta Cunningham, TCMS

PROPER PRESCRIBING VIRTUAL CME

Friday, May 13, 2022; 12-1PM
Thursday, July 28, 2022; 6-7PM

To sign up or for more information, contact Sandy Deeba, 405-601-9571 or visit www.okmed.org

*Signed into law in 2018, Oklahoma's Senate Bill 1446 mandates that all physicians complete one hour of CME in pain management per year.

LEGISLATIVE ISSUES AND FOCUS FOR 2022

The 58th Oklahoma Legislative Session is moving at a rapid pace. Senator Greg McCortney, the new Senate Floor Leader, provided new guidance assuring Senate committee agendas were full during the first week of session. Committee work will be conducted through March 3. The Oklahoma State Medical Association continues to have a strong voice for the physician profession, but YOUR personal voice is the strongest. Please serve as **DOCTOR OF THE DAY** which offers an opportunity for you to be recognized on the House and Senate Floor and provide professional services if needed. Your visibility makes a difference! Below are just a few of over 90 Health related bills filed.

Scope of Practice

HB 3683 (Roberts, Sean) – Permits certified nurse practitioners to exercise their licenses without supervision after two years of physician supervision. (House Rules) **OSMA OPPOSES**

SB 497 (Rosino) – Prohibits the use of certain medical practitioner distinctions by individuals that do not meet certain definitions. (Senate Health & Human Services) **OSMA SUPPORTS**

General Government

HB 3060 (Bush) – Imposes fines upon health care providers and facilities not in

compliance with the Transparency in Health Care Prices Act (House Public Health) **OSMA SUPPORTS**

SB 1158 (Garvin) – Expands the membership of the Health Care Authority Board to include two additional members, one appointed by the House and one by the Senate, both of whom must be medical professionals meeting certain standards (Senate Health & Human Services) **OSMA SUPPORTS**

Medicaid

SB 1337 (McCortney) – Removes certain obsolete powers, duties and definitions

from provisions related to the Health Care authority contracting with outside businesses to establish a state-run health benefits program. This measure serves as an anti-Medicaid managed care (Senate Health & Human Services) **OSMA SUPPORTS**

Insurance

SB 1459 (Haste) – Requires health benefit plans must cover positron emission tomography imaging to screen for or diagnose cancer in patients (Senate Retirement & Insurance) **OSMA SUPPORTS**

During the legislative session, a report is available from OSMA and emailed to the membership weekly. For more information, please contact Matt Robison at robison@okmed.org.

CONNECT WITH MEDICAL STUDENTS



The TCMS Med Student - Doctor Connect Program is an initiative from the TCMS Student-Resident Council. The purpose of this pilot program is to create an email directory of physicians who were willing to get connected with medical students. You can be as involved as little or as much as you want, and there are a number of ways to get connected. Please fill out the form to give us a better idea of your interest.

We will NOT share your information outside of the TCMS medical student population. You may request to remove your information from the directory at any time.

For any questions or for more information about the program, please contact Monica Ha, MSIII, OU-TU School of Community Medicine at monica-ha@ouhsc.edu.

Use the following link to submit your information for the TCMS Med Student - Doctor Connect Program

<https://forms.gle/7suLAEADeTR9ms5q9>

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!



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Medical School: University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, OK, 2013-17
Residency: University of Oklahoma, Tulsa, OK, Internal Medicine, 2017-21

OKLAHOMA STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING 2022 APRIL 8-9

TCMS Caucus of Delegates (Hybrid - In-person & Virtual)	OSMA House of Delegates (Hybrid - In-person & Virtual)	OSMA Inaugural Dinner (In-person)
Saturday, April 9 8:30 AM	Saturday, April 9 10:00 AM	Saturday, April 9 6:00 PM
OSMA Headquarters 313 Northeast 50th OKC, OK 73105 The TCMS Caucus of Delegates will meet to review resolutions. A link will be sent to all delegates who wish to join virtually.	OSMA Headquarters 313 Northeast 50th OKC, OK 73105 The OSMA House of Delegates will meet to vote on business items, resolutions, AMA delegation, and officers.	Embassy Suites Downtown Medical Center 741 N Phillips Ave Oklahoma City, OK 73104 Reception 6:00 pm Dinner and Program 7:00 pm Black Tie Optional \$95 Per Person

Want to become more engaged in your association? Become a voting delegate!

Please make your voice heard and become a voting delegate during the 2022 House of Delegates Annual Meeting. To become a delegate or for more information, please contact Mark McElreath, Executive Director at 918.743.6184 or email mark@tcmsok.org.



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