

Resolutions from the 2011 National Congress of Family Medicine Residents

Resolutions adopted by the National Conference of Special Constituencies and the National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students are not AAFP policy. They are referred by the Board of Directors to an Academy entity. This group then reviews the resolution and determines if further action is appropriate and if policy should be developed relating to the topic of the resolution.

Cmte	No.	Subject	Action of Resident Congress	Referred to: AAFP entity that is following up on the resolution and the e-mail address of the resident representative who can provide more information.
R1	400	<p>Support of the Reach Out and Read® Program by the American Academy of Family Physicians</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians explore endorsement or further promotion of the Reach Out and Read® program.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Health of the Public and Science
R1	401	<p>Pharmacy Vaccine Policy</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) support research into the populations receiving vaccines from pharmacies in order to make more definitive AAFP policy on the issue, and be it further,</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) work with pharmacy boards to provide specific recommendations for pharmacies that do provide vaccines, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • requirement to communicate vaccinations to a patient's primary care physician • attend formal vaccine training • add a requirement to enter vaccines given into state databases, if applicable. 	Not Adopted Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Health of the Public and Science
R1	402	<p>2012 Conference Curriculum</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) explore curricular content for the 2012 AAFP National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students that would address the inclusion of transient populations in the Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) model, and be it further</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) explore curricular content for the 2012 AAFP National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students that would address the meaningful use of the electronic health record (EHR) in improving continuity of care for such transient populations as the homeless, migrant workers, and other underserved mobile populations.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R1	403	<p>National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students Annual Fun Run/Walk</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians explore the creation of an annual run/walk to be held in conjunction with the National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R1	404	Changing the Title of National Conference Chair	Not Adopted	
R1	405	Licensure During Crisis	Not Adopted	
R1	406	<p>Interest Rate Reduction for Primary Care Physicians</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) explore the feasibility of a federal primary care interest rate reduction program.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Governmental Advocacy
R1	407	High School Workforce Programs	Not Adopted	

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R1	408	<p>Creation of a Social Media Video Contest for Residents and Students to Promote Family Medicine</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the National Conference sponsor a video contest to promote family medicine for resident and student members whose winner will be announced at National Conference, and be it further</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the Subcommittee on National Conference Planning determine what, if any, prize should be given to the winner of a video contest to promote family medicine.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R2	500	<p>Physician-Owned Hospital Regulation Reform</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) investigate the effect of limiting physician ownership of hospitals.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Quality and Practice
R2	501	<p>Development of a Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Introductory Program/Lecture for Residents and Students</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians explore the development of an introductory program/lecture for Maintenance of Certification (MOC) to be presented at the National Conference of Family Medicine Residents and Medical Students to better prepare both students and residents for the evolving changes and requirements for MOC.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R2	502	<p>Creation of a Part-IV Maintenance of Certification (MOC) Module for Residents</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) consider the development of a Resident-Based Part IV Module for Maintenance of Certification (MOC), focusing on more resident-relevant issues and to aid in the fulfillment of MOC requirements of residents.</p>	Reaffirmation Calendar	
R2	503	<p>Integration of Practice Management and Business Principles in Medical Student Education</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) create a policy statement promoting the inclusion of principles of practice management, health policy, and basic business principles in medical student education.</p>	Reaffirmation Calendar	
R2	504	<p>Resident Duty Hours Guideline Review</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians investigate the impact of the recent duty hour changes on the quality of graduate medical education as assessed by family medicine residents, for example, through our pre-existing residency survey, and be it further</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians investigate the impact of the recent duty hour changes on the viability of small and rural family medicine residency programs.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R2	505	<p>National Prescription Drug Database</p> <p>RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) support efforts toward the establishment of a universal patient prescription database.</p>	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Quality and Practice

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R2	506	Importance of Obstetrics Training in Family Medicine RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians affirm that providing access to obstetric care remain a vital role of family physicians, and be it further RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians enact measures to ensure the preservation of obstetric care as an integral component of the graduate medical education of family medicine residents.	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Education
R2	507	American Academy of Family Physicians Representation in the Relative Value Scale Update Committee	Not Adopted	
R	600	Health Benefits of Same Gender Marriage – Not Just a Social Issue RESOLVED, That the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) supports civil marriage equality for same-gender families to contribute to overall health and longevity, to improve family stability, and to benefit children of gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender (GLBT) families.	Adopted	Referred to the Commission on Health of the Public and Science
R	601	Endorse the ONE KEY QUESTION Initiative	Not Adopted	