AAFP members were invited to give input in the 2017 Social Determinants of Health Survey*. Results show that family physicians want to help address their patients’ SDoH, but face barriers against doing so.

**Identifying and Addressing Patients’ Social Needs**
- 83% agree FPs should identify and help address patients’ SDoH
- 80% don’t have time to discuss SDoH with patients

**Engaging with and Empowering Communities**
- 78% agree FPs should partner with community organizations to address community health disparities
- 64% aren’t properly staffed to address risk factors with patients

**Advocating for Healthy Communities**
- 75% agree FPs should advocate for public policies that address SDoH
- 56% feel unable to provide solutions to patients

*The 2017 Social Determinants of Health survey was mailed to 5,000 active AAFP members in July 2017. A total of 484 surveys was received, yielding an overall response rate of 9.7%. Data from this survey were weighted to assure a response set that accurately represents the demographics of the entire AAFP membership.*