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Advocacy Update from the ACP-Wisconsin Health and Public Policy Committee

This month brings several opportunities to impact important health policy issues that we would like to bring to your attention.

- 1) The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) has a proposed regulation to ban non-compete clauses in some employment contracts, including those that prevent doctors from working for nearby competitors. National ACP has already submitted comments, and encourages physicians to do so as well. Comments are being accepted through 3/20/23 and can be submitted [here](#).
- 2) Alerts for important opportunities such as this come directly to you when you join the [Advocates for Internal Medicine Network \(AIMN\)](#) - we urge all of you to join now. It is free and you receive an e-mail with an easy link like the above to contribute your voice on important health policy issues. Joining AIMN is an important way to contribute to our ACP chapter.
- 3) ACP's Chief Advocacy Officer, Shari Erickson, will present a brief [2023 Update: ACP's Legislative, Regulatory, & Advocacy Priorities](#) on Thursday 3/23 at 7 PM Central/8 PM Eastern.
- 4) Please take time to comment on the Resolutions that the ACP Board of Governors will vote on at the Spring 2023 BOG meeting. Dr. Maguire relies on the insightful commentary from our chapter members, which indeed shaped important discussion at the last BOG meeting. Our Wisconsin-authored Resolution on clinician education regarding extreme risk protection orders is among the 14 Resolutions! Please respond by 3/22/23. [Visit here](#) to respond.
- 5) Wisconsin has an election for a position on the state Supreme Court on 4/4/23. Please make a plan to vote! Attached is a non-partisan voter guide that includes information on voting.

Thank you for your service and time in contributing to these important opportunities.

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Attachments:

NOTE: The links below will direct your browser to the location where the documents attached to this email have been posted.

[Wisconsin Supreme Court Election 2023 candidates and how to vote](#)