

ADVOCACY DAY at the STATEHOUSE

Wednesday, March 30, 2022

AGENDA

- 9:30am Welcome & Logistics - Dr. Zoe Tseng, Co-chair Health & Public Policy Committee, and Dr. Galina Tan, Co-chair Advocacy Day Subcommittee
- 9:45am State of Healthcare in MA - Brendan Abel, JD & Leda Andersen, JD, Advocacy & Government Relations, Massachusetts Medical Society
- 10:05am S.1272/H.2088 An Act Relative to Preventing Overdose Deaths and Increasing Access to Treatment - Dr. Todd Kerensky
- 10:25am S.761/H.1290 An Act to Streamline Access to Critical Public Health and Safety-net Programs through Common Application ("SNAP Gap/Common App bill") - Patricia Baker & Rebekah Gewirtz; Senator DiDomenico & Representative Jay Livingstone
- 10:45am *BREAK*
- 10:50am H.1311 An Act Relative to Step Therapy and Patient Safety - Marc Hymovitz
- 11:10am H.2411 An Act Relative to Vaccines and Preventing Future Disease Outbreak - Representative Andy Vargas
- 11:30am *BREAK*
- 11:35am Welcome from MA ACP Governor - Dr. Elisa Choi
- 11:40am "How to talk to legislators" with the Advocacy Education Subcommittee - Drs. Hemal Sampat, Beth Eagleston & Stephanie Titus
- 12:10pm Wrap up - Dr. Shela Shridar, Co-Chair Health & Public Policy
- 12:15pm Breakout Rooms to prepare for your meetings
- LUNCH*
- 1:00pm Legislative Meetings start - ACP members have been pre-assigned to one meeting each, see separate email or "Meetings" section of this packet for details.
Main Zoom will remain open with a member of the HPPC available for questions.
- 3:00pm Debrief & Update on the ACP's PAC - Dr. Elisa Choi