Dear Colleagues: Thank you for your membership in ACP. Here is a brief list of resources and upcoming events.

**Save the Date for Minnesota Internal Medicine:2017 meeting on Oct. 26-27**

The Minnesota Internal Medicine Update is the largest gathering in the state of internists, family physicians and APRNs focusing on adult medicine. The 2017 meeting will take place on October 26-27, 2017 at the Minneapolis Convention Center in Minneapolis, MN. Pre-courses on Oct. 26th will be offered. We will again be offering tracks for both Outpatient and Hospital Medicine, as well as a robust resident and student poster session. We have planned our scientific sessions to provide another great experience for all.

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**Early Career Physicians, Residents and Medical Students**

The Early Career Physicians Group (formerly the Young Physicians), will meet for "Internal Medicine on Tap", also known as I.M. on Tap, at Kieran's Irish Pub in Minneapolis on April 12th with John Egan, MD discussing *"Does M.D. mean Money Dumb? How to win the student loan game"*. ACP’s official definition of an "early career physician" is a physician who has graduated from medical school within the last 16 years AND who is not currently in residency or subspecialty fellowship training. Residents and medical students are quite welcome to attend the IM on Tap events as well. Please rsvp to Minnesota.ACP@gmail.com.

Any questions or suggestions, please contact the Early Career Physicians Chairwoman, Amy Holbrook, MD at amy.k.holbrook@gmail.com.

**ACP Issues Comprehensive Statement on U.S Immigration Policy**

ACP released a statement on January 31st in reaction to the recent executive order on immigration. The statement details ACP’s opposition to discrimination, religious tests, refugee bans, and denial of entry to persons with legal visas, and expresses grave concerns about the implications of the executive order on medical education, access to health care services, public health and families.

**Join the Advocates for Internal Medicine Network**

Concerned about health care issues in Minnesota or at the national level? Take a proactive step in advocating for your opinions and stay informed with state and national health policy updates from ACP and MN-ACP. Sign up for the occasional emails from ACP and MN-ACP at: https://www.acponline.org/advocacy/advocates-for-internal-medicine-network

· Interested medical students and residents can also apply for a travel scholarship to the ACP Leadership Day in Washington, DC.

· Sign up for the MN-ACP co-sponsored MMA Day at the Capitol on Feb. 15, 2017.
Upcoming events:

- **February 15, 2017**--MN Medicine and MN-ACP Day at the Capitol. [Register online](#)


- **March 30 - April 1, 2017**--Internal Medicine 2017 ACP meeting in San Diego, CA. [Register online](#)
  Please plan to attend!

- **March 31, 2017** at 6-7:15pm --MN-ACP, Mayo Alumni and ND-ACP reception at Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina Room: San Diego Ballroom C

- **April 12, 2017**--I.M. on Tap meeting at 6:30pm at Kieran's Irish Pub [www.kierans.com](http://www.kierans.com) in the Poet's Corner in downtown Minneapolis- with speaker John Egan, MD RSVP to Minnesota.ACP@gmail.com

- **May 23-24, 2017** --ACP Leadership Day in Washington, DC. [Registration online](#)

- **Oct. 10, 2017** --I.M. on Tap meeting at 6:30pm at Kieran's Irish Pub in downtown Minneapolis.

- **Oct. 26-27, 2017** for the ACP-MN Annual Scientific Session and Pre-courses, Minnesota IM:2017 at the Minneapolis Convention Center

How can we better serve you? Please contact me with questions or thoughts on how the MN ACP can serve you. John B. Bundrick, MD, FACP Governor, MN ACP at bundrick.john@mayo.edu