

YOUNG PHYSICIAN SECTION REPORT

The Young Physician Section was represented at the AMA-YPS at the 2019 Annual Meeting by Erick Eiting, MD; Elizabeth Haines, DO; Realba Rodriguez-Iglesias, MD; and L. Carlos Zapata, MD. We supported the NY resolutions and are pleased to announce that Dr. Zapata was elected speaker of the AMA-YPS.

Over the summer, Dan Choi, MD, Chair of the MSSNY YPS organized several meetings with members of our New York Congressional Delegation to advocate for a federal solution to out-of-network billing similar to our NY law. On August 28 we met with Rep. Tom Suozzi's district director, Cindy Rogers; Rep. Kathleen Rice's director of constituent services, Tom Curry, and Rep. Grace Meng. We also have scheduled a meeting with Rep. Nadler's staff on September 23. Dr. Choi also led a group of physicians from around the country to create an informational video about this important issue, which can be found on the MSSNY website homepage.

Respectfully Submitted

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