

# **Medical Society of the State of New York**

*Report of the 9<sup>th</sup> District Branch*

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**The Medical Society of the State of New York's 9<sup>th</sup> District Branch is comprised of the following county medical societies: Dutchess; Orange; Putnam; Rockland and Westchester.**

Below is the Report of Activities within the 9<sup>th</sup> District Branch of MSSNY as reported by County:

- The WCMS BOD met via Zoom on Thursday, September 9, 2021 where we discussed legislative issues and updates; our upcoming Golf Outing set to take place on Thursday, October 21; and organizational topics specific to our county society. Our board will meet virtually again in October, and we will resume in-person meetings and events once it is safe to do so.
- WAM will host our annual our annual golf outing Thursday, October 21, 2021 at the Westchester Country Club in Rye New York. All are welcome to attend, but there are a limited number of golf spots, so please make your reservation now if you do plan to join us.
- WCMS elected our newest slate of officers for 2021-2022 on June 22, 2021 at our Annual Meeting. Congratulations to: Jeffrey Jacobson, MD, President; Bruce Molinelli, MD, President-elect; Tobi Klar, MD, Vice President; Thomas Lee, MD, Treasurer; and Sergio Bures, MD, Secretary.
- The 9<sup>th</sup> District branch of delegates met via Zoom on September 13, 2021 to go over the reference committee reports. Events surrounding the HOD were discussed along with reminders for important dates. The district has submitted its comments to the reference committees via email from Janine Miller. All delegates are planning to participate virtually at the HOD on September 18.
- WCMS plans to host a social gathering in the spring (pending COVID issues) at a local brewery for all of our members to get reacquainted. Further details will follow.
- On Wednesday, September 8, 2021 Dr. Joseph Tartaglia stepped down as President of the Westchester Academy of Medicine. Dr. Tartaglia served for many years in his leadership role with the Academy and we thank him greatly for all of his dedication over the years. On Thursday, September 9, 2021 at the WCMS/WAM BOD meeting, Dr. Jeffrey Jacobson, MD, President appointed Dr. Daniel Gold, MD as the new President of the Westchester Academy of Medicine.