8th District Council Report

March 1, 2022

- 1. New Members since July 2021 (Commencement of 2022 Membership Dues Year): There are 199 new Erie members since July 2021 (inclusive of UB Medical Students), 53 of which are new paying Erie members.
- 2. The Erie County Medical Society will be hosting its annual Golf Outing and marking its 200th Year Anniversary at the newly renovated Wannakah Country Club, which spans panoramic views of Lake Erie on May 16, 2022.
- 3. The Erie County Medical Society has scheduled back-to-back zoom meetings with State legislators from 9:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on March 8, 2022.
- 4. Medical Society's Next Sponsor: Collaborative Health Solutions: which partner with physicians for Medicare value-based contracting.
- 5. The Erie County Medical Society presented the business case for membership to Buffalo Medical Group and have recruited their CMO as a new Erie Active member.
- 6. The Erie County Medical Society has received the pledge for another year of 100% membership from GPPC's CEO Darryl Ernst, which consists of 109 Erie Active Members.
- 7. The Erie County Medical Society has issued letters to former members who have been dropped from our rolls throughout the last three years, to ask them to consider rejoining the Society, and listing the evolving member benefits.
- 8. The Erie County Medical Society has been invited to attend the DoctHERS dinner on March 21, 2022 with new UB Medical School Dean, Dr. Allison Brashear. UB Medical School staff consist of 501 practicing physicians, and the Erie County Medical Society only has 28 of their Erie Active members. We are hoping that we can recruit 100% of UB Medical Staff as Erie Active Members as part of this growing collaboration with UB Medical School faculty, who have already agreed to require membership to the Society for all UB Medical Students.
- 9. Celebrating Diversity and Inclusion: The Erie County Medical Society will be hosting its 201st annual meeting at the distinguished Park Country Club, in Williamsville, New York on September 23, 2022, which will involve the installation of the 7th female Physician President in 201 years (Erie County's 1st female Physician President, Dr. Nancy Nielsen, was only the 2nd female Physician President of the AMA).