

MMS Policymaking Process

Follow a resolution from start to finish

Resolution from delegate(s), district society, member(s), or specialty society, or **committee report for action** submitted to the HOD as business.

Reference Committee:

The resolution is sent to the appropriate committee for discussion and recommendation.

House of Delegates:

The item is presented to delegates for a vote. If “extracted,” it is open for discussion.

Adopted

Amended/
Substituted

Referred
for Report
Back

Referred to
BOT for
Decision

Referred
to Ethics
Cmte.

Not
Adopted

BOT prioritizes and refers to committees to implement.

BOT prioritizes and refers to committees to report back (with recommendations) directly to HOD or to BOT.

Ethics Cmte reports back directly to the HOD.