



MMS Sections w/ a Resident/Fellow and Medical Student Representative Appointed to their Governing Boards

The following MMS Sections have one seat for a Resident/Fellow representative and one seat for a Medical Student representative on their Governing bodies.

Section representative appointments for Residents/Fellows and Medical Students are for one-year, renewable term and appointments are made using the same process and deadlines as the annual MMS committee appointment process. Meetings of these Governing Councils are held via Zoom.

Early Career Physician Section (ECPS)

Section

Focusing on physicians aged 40 and under or within their first eight years of practice - this section identifies issues and sponsors educational and social programs specific to early career physicians, as well as lowers barriers to their participation in Society activities and governance. The MMS-ECPS also represents the interests of its members to the AMA-YPS and the MMS House of Delegates. *This section typically meets on a weekday evening or at lunchtime 5 to 6 times a year.*

Minority Affairs Section (MAS)

Section

The Massachusetts Medical Society's Minority Affairs Section (MAS) offers a forum for addressing the unique needs and concerns of underrepresented minority physicians and the delivery of health care to minority patients and communities. The Section's priorities include the development of policies and initiatives that provide career advancement and leadership opportunities for minority physicians and increases participation and mentorship of underrepresented minority physicians and students in the MMS. *This section typically meets on a weekday evening 4 times a year.*

Women Physician Section (WPS)

Section

The primary objectives of the MMS Women Physicians Section (MMS-WPS) are to influence and contribute to MMS policy and program development on issues of importance to self-identified women physicians. The MMS-WPS shall also represent the interests of its members in the MMS House of Delegates, pursuant to current MMS Bylaws. *This section typically meets on a weekday evening 4 times a year.*