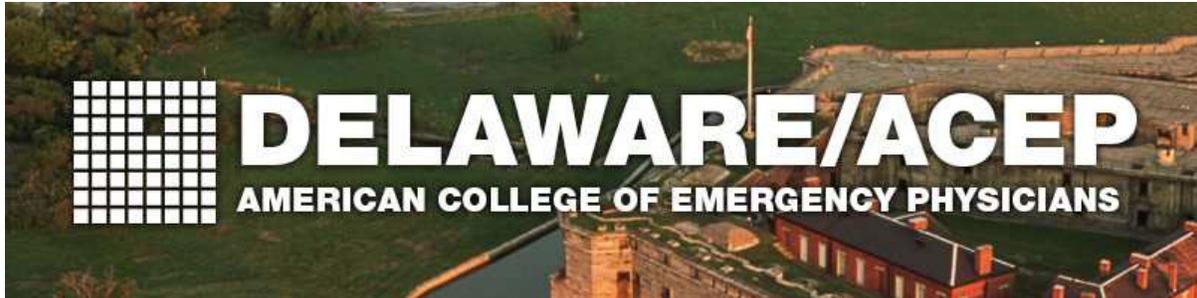


A Newsletter for the Members of the Delaware Chapter - Summer 2024

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From the President

Kathryn Groner, MD, FACEP

Happy end of summer everyone! Delaware ACEP held its summer meeting in early July this year and welcomed a few new EM interns to the state. We are looking forward to the growing group of Delaware-trained Emergency Physicians from our

local residency programs as the two EM programs in the state start the academic year.

A few of us will be headed to Las Vegas this fall to represent Delaware at ACEP Council. Please let us know if you will be there and would like to be added to the list of Alternate Councillors!

Our next Chapter meeting will be in the late fall/early winter and we will be voting on the next President-Elect as my term comes to an end and we welcome Dr. Powell's next term as president. If you or anyone you know is interested in running for Chapter President, please reach out with nominations.

Hope you are all enjoying your summers!

- Kate Groner, MD, FACEP

FROM NATIONAL ACEP



ACEP Resources & Latest News

ACEP Urges US Senate to Pass the SAVE Act, Prevent ED Violence

ACEP and the American Hospital Association (AHA) co-hosted a Senate briefing in support of the bipartisan Safety from Violence for Healthcare Employees (SAVE) Act. ACEP polling, your firsthand accounts and more can be found [here](#). [Read more](#).

It's Time to Call Out Insurance Companies — We Need Your Help

We've all seen how insurers do all they can to delay, reduce or even outright deny payments. Enough is enough — ACEP is calling out their bad behavior and **you can help by [sharing your own story of bad insurance company behavior](#)** that put you, your group, or your patients at risk. **Sharing your firsthand experience through this [short, anonymous, online poll](#)** will help fuel state and federal efforts to push insurers toward transparency and better business practices.

Urge Congress to Stop Medicare Cuts

We need your help to urge Congress to swiftly identify policy solutions to provide long-term stability for Medicare beneficiaries and the physicians who manage and provide their health care. Without action, physicians and other providers will face yet another cut to Medicare reimbursements, further destabilizing our already fragile health care safety net. [Take action today!](#)

A Big Win and Strong Step Toward Banning Non-Compete Agreements

ACEP strongly applauds the Pennsylvania court decision clearing a way for the FTC ban on non-competes to go forward. ACEP fights for you — impacting these decisions from the start — by sharing your stories and fiercely defending your rights on the job. [Read more](#).

Defending You. Demanding Better. ACEP's 2023 Impact Report

From advocating for \$25.8 million in vital funding for patient care, to confronting legislation that seeks to expand scope of practice, to

influencing laws that protect your clinical authority and autonomy — ACEP is proud to share an incredible journey of advocacy and progress. [Read the report.](#)

Save on Fees With New Payment Option for ACEP Membership

ACH transfers, or electronic checks, are now available for new and renewing ACEP members, allowing a secure bank-to-bank money transfer which eliminates processing fees for you and ACEP. Members on an installment plan or auto-renew can easily update their payment information any time by accessing the “Payment Methods” section of My Account on [ACEP's website.](#)

Register for ACEP24!

Las Vegas is full of action, and this year, you'll have more flexibility than ever - course selection is not needed in advance. [Register before Aug. 30 and get FREE Virtual ACEP24](#) - all the courses available online for 18 months. It's your safest bet.

Upcoming ACEP Events and Deadlines

Aug 15, 4:00 PM CT: [PEER Challenge Elite Eight](#). See who moves ahead to the Final Four in this residency program test of EM knowledge!

Aug. 28, Noon-1 PM CT: [Maximize Scoring in the 2024 MIPS Program](#) - CME - free, online

Sept. 29-Oct. 2: [ACEP24](#), Las Vegas, NV - the world's largest emergency medicine educational conference

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