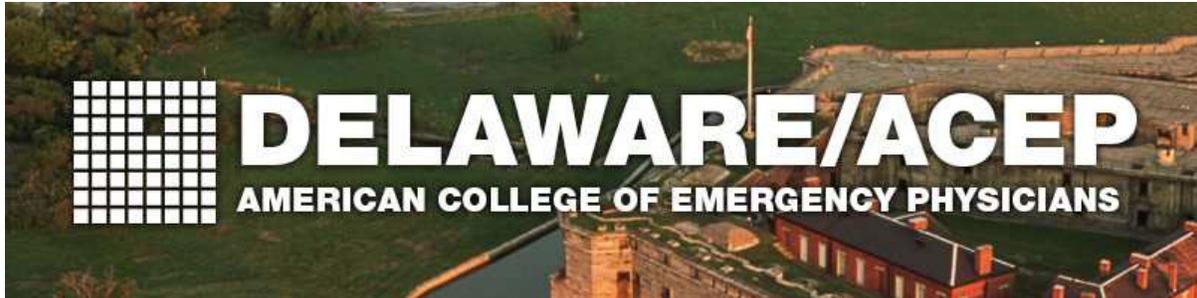


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From the President

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Happy Winter everyone! Hopefully by the time this goes out, we are on the downtrend of winter respiratory infections and ED's that are even more full than usual. Everyone's been having a challenging winter, so thank you all for doing what you do.

We don't have many local updates, but are readying ourselves for a spring legislative session. Please keep your ears open and let us know if you hear any local issues that could use ACEP involvement.

We are working on getting more active communication with the whole chapter via ACEP engagED. You can access the chapter and other ACEP communities at <https://engaged.acep.org/home> for discussions from the DE Chapter and from other groups. Please sign up!

Our next Chapter meeting will be February 26th at 6pm at Fins Ale House and Raw Bar in Rehoboth (19269 Coastal Hwy, Rehoboth Beach.) If you can join us, please rsvp to Emily at emily.omalley@christianacare.org by Feb 18. See everyone soon!

- Kate

FROM NATIONAL ACEP



ACEP Resources & Latest News

ACEP President spoke at a Congressional briefing Tuesday to discuss violence in the ED and advocate for legislative solutions to protect health care workers. Aisha Terry, MD, FACEP, detailed the urgent need for accountability and stronger protections, saying, “We can’t be the safety net without feeling safe ourselves.” [Read more.](#)

Amplify your voice at ACEP's Leadership & Advocacy Conference, April 14-16. Together, we will advocate in person to policymakers for a better environment for EM and your patients. [Register today!](#)

Emergency medicine continues to move beyond traditional routes. With multiple meetings in one location within the same week, ACEP Accelerate offers different tracks to forge ahead and rise to your career goals. Get some of the best features of a large conference experience while retaining the targeted education of a focused meeting - all at a brand new resort in the exciting entertainment capital of Texas! [Read more.](#)

ACEP Advocacy: Act now to reverse Medicare physician pay cuts. Beginning Jan. 1, Medicare physician reimbursements were cut 3.4%. Legislators need to hear directly from you to reverse these harmful cuts as soon as possible. [Read more.](#)

Dive into Unionization: ACEP invites you into the hard conversations about emergency physician unionization as we collectively wrestle with how to protect EPs now and in the future. [Take a quick survey about your interest level in physician unionization.](#)

- [Watch two courses from ACEP23](#) about unions and employer models. [Listen to a recent Frontline podcast](#) about physician unions. Then commit to more discussions about next steps for EM.

ICYMI: PEER's gone mobile! All PEERprep and PEERCert+ subscribers can download and log in to use the study tool with its new mobile app today.

Available for both Apple and Android users. Also, don't miss out on the ACEP Mobile App, which provides easy, offline access to clinical policies, point of care tools, reimbursement FAQs, news, advocacy alerts and more! Download both today. [Read more.](#)

ACEP Awards: ACEP's Leadership Awards Program recognizes members in all career stages and environments for their professional contributions and service to the College. The nomination deadline is March 12. [Read more.](#)

Upcoming ACEP Events and Deadlines

Feb. 26: [Introducing Emergency Medicine Residents to Democratic Group Practice](#)

Feb. 28: [Develop a Plan to Tackle Your Student Loans](#)

Feb 29: [Becoming a Forensic Medicine Expert Witness](#)

Feb. 29: [Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm](#)

March 7: [Nuts and Bolts of Physician Reimbursement](#)

March 9-15: [ACEP Accelerate](#), Arlington, TX?Featuring -

- Advanced Pediatric EM Assembly – **March 11-13**
- ED Directors' Academy – **March 11-15**
- Reimbursement & Coding – **March 11-13**
- Teaching Fellowship – **March 9-14**

March 11: [Board of Directors Nominations Deadline](#)

March 12: [ACEP Award Nominations Deadline](#)

April 14-16: [ACEP Leadership & Advocacy Conference](#), Washington, DC

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