

WAKE UP AND SEE THE WRITING ON THE WALL!

The profession needs your support desperately! Campaign 2019 is in full swing and all of us need to be politically active. Everything that happens in Washington, DC affects us as seen in the recent victory of the VA Provider Equity Act and the defeat of the CMS initiative to discriminate against our profession by implementing specific E&M codes for use by podiatric physicians and surgeons which would be reimbursed at a significantly lower rate than other professions.

We need to WAKE UP AND SEE THE WRITING ON THE WALL. We believe that this could resurface and we as a profession need to be ready for action both locally and nationally.

How do we do this?

We need 100 percent of the profession to be champions for the profession by:

- 1) Making your meaningful donation to APMAPAC.
- 2) Meeting with your US representative and senators to promote our profession.
- 3) Attending or hosting a fundraiser for your US representative or senators.
- 4) Writing to congress (apma.org/eAdvocacy) and then following up with a call to the office.

All of the above are necessary to have our profession ready for action.

Please SEE THE WRITING ON THE WALL. Become politically active today by making your meaningful donation at www.apma.org/donate.

I know if we all wake up now the profession will be better for the future.

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PURPOSE: The American Podiatric Medical Association Political Action Committee's purpose is to raise and disburse funds to candidates for Federal office that support the legislative priorities and goals of the podiatric medical profession.

IMPORTANT: You may contribute or not contribute without concern of being favored or disadvantaged. Occupation/Employer information is required for aggregate annual contributions of more than \$200.00 by the Federal Election Campaign Act. Federal election law does not permit corporate contributions to be used for donation to candidates for federal office. Political contributions are not deductible for income tax purposes.