“OUR MISSION IS... TO PROMOTE PUBLIC HEALTH, ADVOCATE FOR PHYSICIANS AND THEIR RELATIONSHIP WITH PATIENTS, WHILE UPHOLDING PROFESSIONALISM IN THE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE.”

Dallas County Medical Society

MEMBERSHIP

“WE ARE LEADERS IN DALLAS MEDICINE”

www.dallas-cms.org
WHO WE ARE

DCMS IS PROUDLY THE SECOND LARGEST MEDICAL SOCIETY IN THE NATION!

The Dallas County Medical Society, established in 1876, is a professional organization that has grown from 30 physicians to over 7,500 since its inception. Members are local physicians, medical students and residents dedicated to serving Dallas area patients in matters of medical care. Throughout the changes that have taken place in medicine, DCMS has remained a leader at the local, state and national levels.

LOCAL AND STATE

- Joint membership in Texas Medical Association
- Discounted or free CME presented by TMA professionals
- Leadership opportunities
- Community crisis response opportunities
- Unique events with colleagues and family
- Exclusive discounts to area attractions and sporting events
- Timely communications in DCMS publications
- Access to DCMS and TMA staff for guidance
- Access to vetted vendors through DCMS Circle of Friends program
- Complimentary registration to annual TexMed conference; select from 80+ hours of CME
- Individual physician listing in DCMS Directory

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

- Payment advocacy/reimbursement assistance
- Referrals to health plan representatives for billing issues
- Legal referrals
- Resources for practice operations

LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY

- Lobby teams in Dallas, Austin and DC
- Opportunities to interact with local, state and federal legislators and regulators
- Participation in First Tuesdays at the Capitol
- Eligibility to join DCMS HealthPAC and TMA TEXPAC

dallas-cms.org
OUR MEMBERSHIP

PRACTICE SERVICES
- Average payment increase on simple claims for one 30-minute consultation
- Hassle Factor Logs and billing best-practices meetings
- Payment advocacy education with DCMS and TMA staff
- Legal education sessions with DCMS, TMA and legal experts (includes CME)

COMMUNICATIONS
DCMS MEMBER RESOURCE TOOLS
- DocBookMD
- MindFit
- Dallas Medical Journal annual subscription (Print & Online)
- DCMS Directory
- ePulse electronic newsletter

MEMBER EVENTS
- Family Night out with the Texas Rangers
- Autumn at the Arboretum
- Holiday evening with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra
- Member Roundup at the Dallas Zoo
- "Reel Docs" afternoon lunch & movie
- DCMS Connect Speaker Series
- Networking = Net worth socials

MEMBER DISCOUNTS
- Dallas Mavericks
- Texas Rangers

LEADER IN MEDICINE SERIES
CLICK TO WATCH!
dallas-cms.org
GOALS

• **Trusted Community Resource** – Be the recognized leader and resource in public health.

• **Advocacy** – Provide a powerful common voice protecting patients, physicians, and their relationship, while serving as thought leaders and conveners to model positive change.

• **Payment and Practice Models** – Be a strong proponent of quality, value, and viability in diverse practice models.

• **DCMS Membership Strength** – Be the pre-eminent medical society with a diverse membership and united leadership.

VALUES

• Patient-centered
• Integrity
• Diversity
• Protector of the profession
• Camaraderie among members
• Enabling access to care

Dallas County Medical Society
140 East 12th Street
Dallas, Texas 75203
214.948.3622
www.dallas-cms.org

@dallas-cms