



“If you’ve ever given to a political candidate, consider increasing the impact of your contribution through the Society’s political programs. Other special interest groups with fewer members influence lawmakers because they participate both financially and personally in the political process. As physicians, we have to get involved in this process to ensure we maintain control of our practices and the care we provide to our patients.”

—*John Hartman, MD, Green Bay*

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Health care costs are at the heart of the recent political debate. The Society needs every advantage to promote sensible health care legislation and to protect physician practices from harmful legislation. Please help us protect you and your patients by becoming involved in these political opportunities. WISMedPAC and WISMedDIRECT are political action accounts that allow physicians, and others who support our mission, to take an active role in the political process.

WISMedDIRECT—the Society’s conduit—is like having your own political checking account at the Society. **YOU control your contributions.** If you want to attend a political fundraiser or send money to a candidate, let us know and we’ll send the contribution (from your funds) on your behalf. When we receive solicitations to campaigns we think you might support, we will provide you that information as well. The best part is you get the credit as your name appears on the letter we send with the check and so does the Society for collecting and aggregating the contribution to the candidate or committee. It’s really a win-win.

WISMedPAC— the Society’s political action committee—makes contributions to Wisconsin state candidates and political committees who are in key races, are in leadership roles or are identified as being pro health care. Contributions are made in the name of WISMedPAC and are at the direction of the WISMedPAC Board of Directors. Physicians keep a lower profile because the checks do not identify individual contributors.

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CONTRIBUTION LEVELS

(per calendar year)

We will acknowledge your contributions via the website and other publications throughout the year. If you prefer not to be acknowledged, just let us know. Throughout the year, opportunities to speak with legislators and legislative updates will be available to keep you informed and politically active.

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