



BCMS April E-News

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Doctor Day is May 1 Register today!

Doctor Day is fast approaching and it's important that physicians like YOU participate in our unique-to-Wisconsin, annual multi-specialty advocacy event in Madison on Wednesday, May 1, 2019. As always Doctor Day is a jointly-sponsored event that includes more than a dozen Wisconsin specialty societies including BCMS.

As a Wisconsin physician, Doctor Day is the best way for you to let Wisconsin lawmakers know their physician-constituents are aware and care about what they are doing in Madison. There is no cost to attend Doctor Day, so please [register today](#).

Doctor Day will again conclude with the ever-popular Doctor Day Reception. This year, the reception will be held at a new and larger venue: Madison's, a popular restaurant and bar located one block off the Square at 119 King Street, providing our attendees a casual opportunity to mingle and debrief with colleagues from a variety of medical specialties.



Need lodging? A Doctor Day block of rooms has been reserved for the night of Tuesday, April 30, 2019 at the group rate of \$189. Book your stay before the cut-off date of April 5, 2019 to secure this rate. [Book online](#) OR call the Sheraton-Madison at 608-251-2300 and request the "Doctor Day 2019" room block.

IPFCF fees unchanged for 2019-2020

There will be no change in fees for the Injured Patients and Families Compensation Fund for the 2019-2020 fiscal year.

The Fund's board of governors voted to keep fees the same during its recent meeting, pending review and expansion of risk classifications to mirror the primary medical liability market and

practice complexity. Classification changes will likely be implemented during the next legislative biennium, according to Linda Syth, who is one of two Society representatives on the Fund's board.

[Read more.](#)

Society submits comments on pain management recommendations

The Wisconsin Medical Society submitted comments on draft recommendations developed by the Pain Management Best Practices Inter-Agency Task Force (Task Force).

[Read more.](#)

Upcoming Events

Save the date!



Doctor Day 2019

May 1, 2019

Monona Terrace, Madison

[Register here](#)