



Physician BUZZ

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Vote for your 2019 HCMS officers!

Voting is now open for your 2019 HCMS officers. Members were emailed instructions from HCMS Election Central on how to vote on Oct. 5. Those who don't have an email address in the HCMS system will receive a mailed ballot. Deadline to vote is Oct. 19. [Click here](#) to see the candidates' bios. Beginning Oct. 9, additional reminder emails will be sent to non-voters.

Your voice matters—HCMS 2018 Physicians' Hospital Survey

HCMS is conducting its annual survey to determine physicians' perspective and satisfaction with local hospitals' delivery of quality patient care. With this survey, HCMS aims to improve the overall quality of care across all Houston's hospitals. Deadline to take the survey is Oct. 15. [Click here](#) to request the survey.

Find solutions to running your practice

HCMS will be hosting the fall Business Expo on Saturday, Oct. 13, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., at the NRG Center. HCMS holds the Expo as a free member benefit for physicians and their senior staff to help find solutions to the challenges of running a practice. [Click here](#) for details.

2019 HCMS/TMA Dues Statements have been mailed

Harris County Medical Society (HCMS)/Texas Medical Association (TMA) joint membership renewals for 2019 have been mailed. Renewing your dues is fast and easy. HCMS offers automatic membership renewals. By joining the automatic renewal program, you will ensure your membership never lapses and you will not miss out on any benefits. [Click here](#) for information on how to renew.

Prioritizing physician wellness

HCMS has created the Physician Wellness Program designed to connect physicians with psychiatrists and psychologists who can provide needed help. If you need assistance, call HCMS at 713-524-4267 and ask for the Physician Wellness Program. [Click here](#) for additional resources.



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