

RESOLUTION #5

Introduced by: Camden County Medical Society

Subject: **Physician Requirements for Accountable Care Organizations (ACO's)**

Referred to: Reference Committee

1 Whereas, ACO participation requires physician legal responsibility exposure; and

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3 Whereas, ACO participation requires a leader to accept responsibility; and

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5 Whereas, ACO participation from a government perspective requires care of those with limited
6 means, and reimbursement for the physician at a "what can you do for your country" discount rate;
7 and

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9 Whereas, ACO participation requires government and insurance industry investment with one being
10 financially challenged, and the other profit-motivated directly or indirectly; now therefore be it

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12 RESOLVED, that our AMA insist that physicians have the majority decisive power regarding the
13 delivery of health care services by an ACO to preserve the strength of the physician-patient
14 relationship; and be it further

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16 RESOLVED, that government-backed malpractice amnesty for the physician provider be at 100%
17 coverage.