

## GLMS Board of Governors Highlights

May 8, 2020

- Dr. Frank Burns presented the results of the 2020 GLMS Election. Dr. Monalisa Tailor will be President, Dr. Brian Sosnin was elected to President-Elect, and Dr. Valerie Briones-Pryor will serve as Vice President. A full list of election results can be found in the May issue of Louisville Medicine.
- Dr. Burns thanked Dr. Wayne Tuckson for his time on the Board and said it has been an honor to work together. In addition, GLMS made a \$500 donation in Dr. Tuckson's name to Dare to Care to honor his service in the community.
- Dr. Burns presented the key highlights of the 2020 Annual Report:
  - The new Med30 process for initial applications launched on November 1. Average turnaround time is 28 calendar days from receipt of a clean application to delivery to our hospital clients.
  - A total of \$158,396 was recouped on behalf of practices with an average of \$3,520 recovered per hassle.
  - Provider Enrollment saved a total of 926 hours of practice staff time.
  - We saw a 4.73% increase in active membership.
  - 13 GLMS resolutions were passed at the KMA Annual Meeting.
  - GLMS partnered with the Kentucky Medical Association to remove the in-person photo ID requirement at the time of application for credentialing. This will go into effect on July 1.
  - We launched a mentoring program for first-year medical students where 50 GLMS members offered their time and talent to invest in the future of medicine.
  - We launched a redesigned, user friendly new website for GLMS and the GLMS Foundation.
  - The Senior Physicians Committee met and hosted 12 engaging speakers on topics both medical and non-medical.
- The GLMS Foundation is hosting a PPE collection drive to support physicians in our community to collect PPE and monetary funds to purchase these new items. The GLMS Foundation has agreed to match every dollar donated. The GLMS Foundation put together PPE care packages for physicians containing gloves and hand sanitizer donated by local bourbon distilleries.
- GLMS and the GLMS Foundation, in conjunction with the Louisville Metro Public Health & Wellness Department, have mobilized volunteers to deliver prescriptions to quarantined patients in need during the pandemic.
- GLMS secured an exclusive credentialing contract with UofL Health. Thank you to GLMS staff and Dr. Goldberg and the Credentialing Committee for their diligent work.
- Dr. Burns said it has been an honor to be the GLMS President, and he thanked the GLMS Board and staff for their support during his presidency. Dr. Tuckson congratulated Dr. Burns for an outstanding job as president.
- Dr. Monalisa Tailor reported that the Presidents' Installation will be held virtually this year. Members may view this video at <https://glms.org/resources/doctalks/>. We hope to hold an in-person celebration later this year, as conditions permit.
- Dr. Tailor reported that this year's Pictorial Roster will be released in Summer 2020. The additional time allows us to make this the most accurate Roster possible to reflect all the changes that have taken place

in our community in 2019 and 2020. In addition to that information, Dr. Tailor announced that the Roster size would be changing to make it easier to fit in drawers, on desks and on bookshelves. The new roster size will 8.5-by-11. Printing this size will also help us continue to move to a more eco-friendly Roster by reducing the numbers of pages used to print.

- Due to the pandemic, the KMA and GLMS have recognized the concerns faced by many physicians, and the delinquent membership drop has been changed to July 15. The Board of Governors will vote to drop these members at the July 2020 meeting.
- Dr. Sarah Moyer, Director of the Louisville Metro Public Health & Wellness Department, gave an update on the state of the pandemic in our city and answered questions submitted by GLMS members. To view a video of this conversation, please click [here](#).
- Karyn Hascal reported that The Healing Place has zero cases of COVID-19 at this time.
- Dr. Tailor reported Supplies Over Seas has done an excellent job collecting funds and supplies in terms of PPEs, and they surpassed the \$1 million mark this week.
- Dr. Tuckson said it has been a pleasure serving as President-Elect, President and now Board Chair, and he thanked the officers, Board and GLMS staff.