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Message from the Chair

Thank you, FamMedPAC supporters!

Thanks to you, we are just over half way to our election cycle goal of raising \$1 million dollars for the 2016 elections. In fact, our members donated more in 2015 than in any previous year. Traditionally, fundraising totals increase in the second year of the two-year cycle, so the \$1 million goal is within reach. If the historical pattern holds, the 2016 election cycle will be the PAC's best fundraising cycle ever. Your contributions allowed the PAC to contribute to more candidates and at a higher level in 2015 than in any other year. Our message is being heard on Capitol Hill and in Congressional Districts across our country.



The final numbers are in for 2015 and the winners of the 2015 FamMedPAC Chapter Awards have been determined. FamMedPAC will present the annual PAC Chapter Awards at the National Conference of Constituency Leaders to the chapters who contributed the highest amount to the PAC in 2015, and the Chairman's Award to the chapter with the highest percentage of its members contributing to the PAC at the Club George level and above. Please encourage your fellow chapter members to support FamMedPAC and help your Chapter win this year.

Your financial support is the key to making FamMedPAC the effective tool it is today. Additionally, you can help promote family medicine's issues by attending the Family Medicine Congressional Conference (FMCC) on April 18-19 in Washington, DC. FMCC offers members the opportunity to advocate for family medicine directly with their Members of Congress and Senators. On day one, attendees will gain practical, hands-on experience, while exploring issues important to family medicine. On day two, attendees will practice what they learned on the Hill. [Register now.](#)

Please enjoy this latest issue of the FamMedPAC Report. I look forward to seeing many of you at FMCC, so I can personally thank you for all that you do to promote our specialty.



Randy Wexler, MD
Chair, FamMedPAC Board of Directors

Family Medicine Congressional Conference 2016

Join your colleagues at the [Family Medicine Congressional Conference \(FMCC\), April 18-19 in Washington, DC. Bring your experiences to the Hill.](#) Discuss MACRA, GME, chronic disease management support, and more with your legislators. Tell your members of Congress why the Primary Care Caucus is important and why they should join.



[Register by March 4 and save \\$45.](#)

Sponsored by AAFP and the Council of Academic Family Medicine (CAFM), FMCC educates participants on family medicine's legislative priority issues, trains attendees on how to lobby on Capitol Hill, and allows participants to put these skills to use with federal legislators and their staff. Advocacy is a high priority of AAFP and the CAFM organizations. Every family physician and educator can learn how to be effective in Washington and at home.

**Family Medicine Congressional Conference
April 18-19 in Washington, DC**
Family medicine needs a voice. Learn how to turn your experiences into teaching moments. Explore vital issues, and then confidently address Congress with fellow family physicians on payment reform, workforce, and other vital topics. [Register now.](#)

2015 Chapter Contributions

State	Total Donations	State	Total Donations
Alabama	\$10,312	Montana	\$8,684
Alaska	\$4,919	Nebraska	\$8,409
Arizona	\$4,555	Nevada	\$5,990
Arkansas	\$3,250	New Hampshire	\$3,460
California	\$39,305	New Jersey	\$8,750
Colorado	\$10,290	New Mexico	\$3,390
Connecticut	\$4,962	New York	\$20,093
Delaware	\$3,445	North Carolina	\$22,803
District of Columbia	\$1,157	North Dakota	\$1,795
Florida	\$12,212	Ohio	\$22,396
Georgia	\$13,442	Oklahoma	\$10,914
Guam	\$0	Oregon	\$7,130
Hawaii	\$1,800	Pennsylvania	\$17,383
Idaho	\$5,459	Puerto Rico	\$1,070
Illinois	\$19,092	Rhode Island	\$1,605
Indiana	\$10,170	South Carolina	\$5,235
Iowa	\$12,345	South Dakota	\$8,815
Kansas	\$11,677	Tennessee	\$13,648
Kentucky	\$4,546	Texas	\$33,246
Louisiana	\$5,615	Uniformed Services	\$7,149
Maine	\$3,215	Utah	\$2,270
Maryland	\$7,104	Vermont	\$1,111
Massachusetts	\$14,056	Virginia	\$6,850
Michigan	\$7,367	Washington	\$15,470
Minnesota	\$9,431	West Virginia	\$1,200
Mississippi	\$8,515	Wisconsin	\$8,928
Missouri	\$8,380	Wyoming	\$500

2015 Chapter Award Winners

We thank all the chapters for their strong support! FamMedPAC will present the chapter awards at the National Conference of Constituency Leaders in Kansas City in May. The winners of the FamMedPAC Chapter Awards for 2015 are:

Small Chapter Award:
South Dakota \$8,815

Medium Chapter Award:
Oklahoma \$10,914

Large Chapter Award:
Massachusetts \$14,056

Extra-Large Chapter Award:
California \$39,205

**Chairman's Award
(Club George Percentage):**
South Dakota 4.27%

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FamMedPAC 2016 Donor Recognition Levels and Commemorative Pins

Show your fellow AAFP members you support FamMedPAC. Wear your PAC pin and ribbon at chapter, regional, and national meetings. You are family medicine's best advocates.

Make a donation to FamMedPAC today. Wear your pin with pride.



\$5,000 - \$2,500



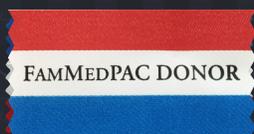
\$2,499 - \$1,000



\$999 - \$500



\$499 - \$365



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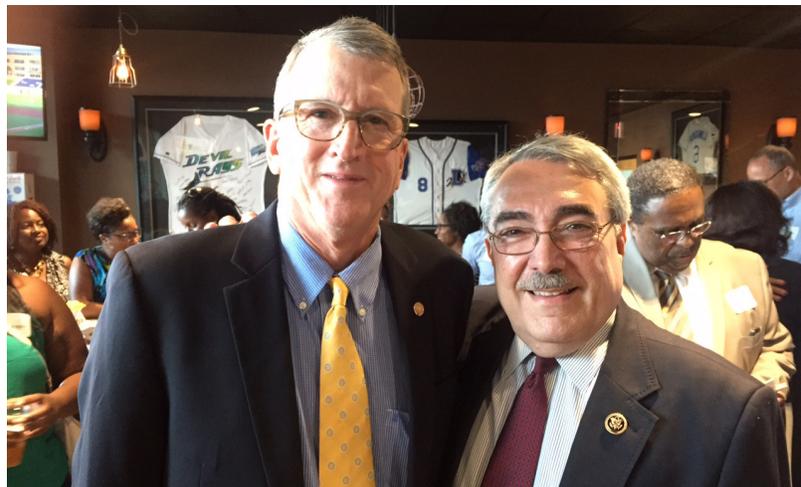
Building Relationships



Connecticut Academy of Family Physicians Deputy Vice President Mary Yokose welcomed Representative Joe Courtney (D-CT) to the Connecticut Chapter's annual meeting. Rep. Courtney is a co-chair of the newly formed Primary Care Caucus in the House of Representatives.



FamMedPAC Board member Conrad Flick attended a local fundraiser in North Carolina for his Senator, Richard Burr (R-NC). Senator Burr is a member of the Health Subcommittee of the Senate Finance Committee.



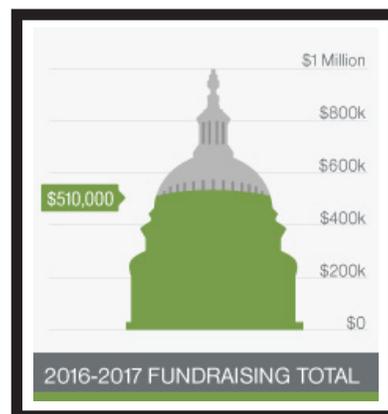
AAFP Board member Mott Blair, MD, attended a local event for his Congressman, Representative C.K. Butterfield (D-NC). Rep. Butterfield sits on the Health Subcommittee of the House Energy and Commerce Committee.

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2015-2016 Fundraising

FamMedPAC received strong support from AAFP members in 2015, which put your PAC half way to our election-cycle goal of \$1 million. The PAC received \$501,046 in donations from 2,491 AAFP members in 2015 with an average donation of \$201. Family medicine can be proud. This is the highest one-year total ever.

Contributions are still needed for strong representation on the Hill. If every AAFP member contributed just \$100 a year to FamMedPAC (about \$0.27 a day), your PAC would be the largest specialty medical PAC in the country, fighting for you and your patients. Let's work together to encourage fellow AAFP members and peers to support FamMedPAC.



2016 Election Cycle Contributions

Current FamMedPAC Campaign Contributions

CANDIDATE/COMMITTEE NAME	PARTY	STATE	AMOUNT	CANDIDATE/COMMITTEE NAME	PARTY	STATE	AMOUNT
Rep. Ralph Abraham	R	LA	\$2,500	Rep. John B. Larson	D	CT	\$2,500
Rep. Pete Aguilar	D	CA	\$2,500	Sen. Patrick J. Leahy	D	VT	\$2,500
Sen. Lamar Alexander	R	TN	\$1,000	Rep. Barbara Lee	D	CA	\$2,500
Rep. Brad Ashford	D	NE	\$2,500	Rep. Sander M. Levin	D	MI	\$2,500
Sen. John Barrasso	R	ID	\$2,500	Rep. Alan Lowenthal	D	CA	\$7,500
Rep. Xavier Becerra	D	CA	\$5,000	Rep. Ben Ray Lujan	D	NM	\$2,500
Rep. Dan Benishek	R	MI	\$2,500	Rep. Michelle Lujan Grisham	D	NM	\$5,000
Sen. Michael Bennet	D	CO	\$2,500	Rep. Kevin McCarthy	R	CA	\$2,500
Rep. Ami Bera	D	CA	\$10,000	Rep. Jim McDermott	D	WA	\$5,000
Rep. Gus Bilirakis	R	FL	\$1,000	Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers	R	WA	\$1,000
Rep. Gus Bilirakis	R	FL	\$1,500	Rep. Patrick Meehan	R	PA	\$1,000
Rep. Marsha Blackburn	R	TN	\$1,000	Rep. Tim Murphy	R	PA	\$2,000
Rep. Earl Blumenauer	D	OR	\$5,000	Sen. Patty Murray	D	WA	\$5,000
Sen. Richard Blumenthal	D	CT	\$2,500	Rep. Frank Pallone Jr.	D	NJ	\$7,500
Sen. Roy Blunt	R	MO	\$3,500	Rep. Nancy Pelosi	D	CA	\$10,000
Rep. John Boenher	R	OH	\$2,500	Rep. Ed Perlmutter	D	CO	\$2,500
Rep. Charles Boustany Jr.	R	LA	\$5,000	Rep. Scott Peters	D	CA	\$5,000
Rep. Kevin Brady	R	TX	\$7,500	Rep. Joe Pitts	R	PA	\$5,000
Rep. Julia Brownley	D	CA	\$2,500	Sen. Rob Portman	R	OH	\$2,500
Rep. Michael C. Burgess	R	TX	\$7,500	Rep. Tom Price	R	GA	\$5,000
Sen. Richard M. Burr	R	NC	\$5,000	Rep. Tom Reed	R	NY	\$2,500
Rep. G.K. Butterfield	D	NC	\$4,500	Sen. Jack Reed	D	RI	\$2,500
Sen. Ben Cardin	D	MD	\$5,000	Sen. Harry Reid	D	NV	\$5,000
Sen. Bob Casey	D	PA	\$1,500	Rep. Phil Roe	R	TN	\$5,000
Sen. Bill Cassidy	R	LA	\$2,500	Rep. Harold Rogers	R	KY	\$2,500
Rep. Judy Chu	D	CA	\$2,500	Rep. David Rouzer	R	NC	\$2,500
Rep. Katherine M. Clark	D	MA	\$1,000	Rep. Lucille Roybal-Allard	D	CA	\$2,500
Rep. James E. Clyburn	D	SC	\$10,000	Rep. Raul Ruiz	D	CA	\$10,000
Rep. Tom Cole	R	OK	\$1,000	Rep. Paul D. Ryan	R	WI	\$4,000
Rep. Joe Courtney	D	CT	\$2,500	Rep. Steve Scalise	R	LA	\$2,500
Sen. Michael D. Crapo	R	ID	\$2,500	Rep. Jan Schakowsky	D	IL	\$5,000
Rep. Rodney Davis	R	IL	\$2,500	Rep. Kurt Schrader	D	OR	\$5,000
Rep. Diana DeGette	D	CO	\$2,500	Sen. Charles E. Schumer	D	NY	\$7,500
Rep. Rosa DeLauro	D	CT	\$7,500	Rep. John Shimkus	R	IL	\$1,000
Rep. Charlie Dent	R	PA	\$1,000	Rep. Mike Simpson	R	ID	\$2,500
Rep. Tammy Duckworth	D	IL	\$5,000	Rep. Kyrsten Sinema	D	AZ	\$2,500
Rep. Renee Ellmers	R	NC	\$2,500	Rep. Adrian Smith	R	NE	\$2,500
Rep. Elizabeth Esty	D	CT	\$2,500	Sen. Debbie Stabenow	D	MI	\$1,000
Rep. John Fleming	R	LA	\$7,500	Rep. Steve Stivers	R	OH	\$5,000
Rep. Gwen Graham	D	FL	\$2,500	Rep. Mark Takano	D	CA	\$2,500
Sen. Charles E. Grassley	R	IA	\$3,000	Sen. Jon Tester	D	MT	\$2,500
Rep. Morgan Griffith	R	VA	\$1,000	Rep. Mike Thompson	D	CA	\$2,500
Rep. Raul M. Grijalva	D	AZ	\$2,700	Sen. John Thune	R	SD	\$2,500
Rep. Brett Guthrie	R	KY	\$2,500	Rep. Pat Tiberi	R	OH	\$5,000
Rep. Andy Harris	R	MD	\$3,500	Rep. Paul Tonko	D	NY	\$5,000
Sen. Orrin G. Hatch	R	UT	\$2,500	Rep. Fred Upton	R	MI	\$5,000
Rep. Denny Heck	D	WA	\$2,500	Sen. Mark Warner	D	VA	\$2,500
Rep. Joe Heck	R	NV	\$5,000	Sen. Ron Wyden	D	OR	\$2,500
Rep. Steny Hoyer	D	MD	\$2,500	Rep. Kevin Yoder	R	KS	\$2,500
Rep. Jared Huffman	D	CA	\$2,500	Rep. David Young	R	IA	\$2,500
Sen. Johnny Isakson	R	GA	\$5,000	Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee	D		\$15,000
Rep. Steve Israel	D	NY	\$5,000	Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee	D		\$30,000
Rep. Evan H. Jenkins	R	WV	\$2,500	National Republican Congressional Committee	R		\$30,000
Rep. Lynn Jenkins	R	KS	\$1,500	National Republican Senatorial Committee	R		\$15,000
Rep. Robin Kelly	D	IL	\$2,500	New Democrat Coalition PAC	D		\$5,000
Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy III	D	MA	\$2,500	Tuesday Group PAC	R		\$5,000
Rep. Derek Kilmer	D	WA	\$5,000				
Rep. Ron Kind	D	WI	\$2,500				
Rep. Ann McLane Kuster	D	NH	\$2,500				
Rep. Leonard Lance	R	NJ	\$1,000				
							TOTAL \$484,700