

Arvind K. Goyal, MD, MPH
AMA Vice Speaker Candidate Profile



Personal: Age 58, Healthy, Married, Daughters 31 & 25

Identified by: Few hair, Bifocals, Comfortable White Rockport shoes

Medical Education: Government Medical College, Punjabi University, Patiala, India; Family Medicine Residency at Cook County Hospital; Masters in Public Health at University of Illinois

Board Certification: Family Medicine, Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Geriatrics (CAQ)

Day Job: Solo Family Doctor in Rolling Meadows, Illinois, Chair 70+ member Family Medicine Dept at one of the 3 hospitals with admitting privileges, Clinical Associate Professor of Family Medicine & Preventive Medicine at Chicago Medical School/ Rosalind Franklin University

Service at AMA: Member 33 years, Previously Delegate from State Society & now American Assoc of Public Health Physicians, Ref Committees B and D, CPT Advisory Comm., Commission to End HealthCare Disparities, Fed Consortium Study Group, Committee on Org of Orgs, IMG Advisory Comm., Member SSS-IMG Section-OMSS, Chaired Preventive Medicine Section Council

Resolutions Introduced At AMA House: Several including those on Peer Review, Dismantling National Practitioner Data Bank, Opposition to Clinton Health Plan, Public Health Lessons from Hurricane Katrina(Emergency Preparedness), Secure National (Flu) Vaccine Policy, Lessons from Terri Schiavo Case(Advance Directives), Future AMA Meetings in SmokeFree facilities, Preventing AMA's Publication of Physician Income Data, Stronger AMA Healthcare Advocacy Agenda, etc.

Parliamentary Experience: National Assoc of Parliamentarians Membership attained after training & passing qualifying exam, Speaker & Council of Parliamentarians Chair of American Assoc of Physicians of Indian Origin several years, Presiding officer at many organizational meetings, Good working knowledge of the Standard Code of Parliamentary Procedure, Teach Parliamentary courses

Other Elected Positions served: American Association of Public Health Physicians President, Illinois State Medical Society President, Chicago Medical Society President and Board Chair, Northwest Community Hosp. Medical Staff President, Family Health Foundation of IL Board Chair, IL State Medical Licensing Board Chair, Rolling Meadows Tobacco Info & Prev Program Chair

Platform: "Servant Leadership". Protect every member's right to speak, especially those with a minority opinion. Strengthen Reference Committee processes & explore other ways to maximize efficiency at the annual and interim meetings. Consider provision of an "on line" debate & voting on urgent issues between the House meetings. Passionately plead the issues & values important to the future, new, practicing and academic physicians before the AMA Board, where the Speakers now vote. Committed to "take back our profession" & AMA's mission to "help physicians help patients."

Max Lucado wrote: People who make a difference are not the ones with the credentials, but the ones with the concern. And yes, I will always represent your concerns!

Respectfully submitted, ARVIND

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