



# ALLEGHENY COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY

## 2025 CANDIDATE SLATE ACMS Board of Directors and Delegates

The Allegheny County Medical Society will conduct its election from September 2, 2024, to September 9, 2024. The following are the list of candidates for the 2025 Election:

Chair: Raymond E. Pontzer, MD (Immediate Past President)  
 President: Keith T. Kanel, MD  
 President-Elect: **Kirstin D. Lin, MD**  
 Secretary: **Richard B. Hoffmaster, MD**  
 Treasurer: **William F. Coppula, MD\* (Final Term)**

BOLD = Elected Positions

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### NOMINEES to the ACMS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Three-Year Term (EXPIRES 2027) (5 OPEN)**      **Two-Year Term (EXPIRES 2026) (1 OPEN)**

Francis R. Colangelo, MD  
**Douglas F. Clough, MD**  
 Patricia L. Dalby, MD  
**David J. Deitrick, DO**  
 Sharon L. Goldstein, MD  
 Farhad Hasan, MD  
 Kevin G. Kotar, DO  
 Prerna Mewawalla, MD  
**Raymond J. Pan, MD**  
 Nicole F. Velez, MD

**BOLD = Currently Serving, Running for Re-election**

### Board Members Currently Serving:

#### Term Expires in 2025

Anuradha Anand, MD  
 Amber Elway, DO  
 Mark Goodman, MD  
 Elizabeth Ungerman, MD  
 Alexander Yu, MD

#### Term Expires in 2026

Michael M. Aziz, MD  
 Michael Best, MD  
 Jody Leonardo, MD  
 Micah Jacobs, MD

**2025 Peer Review Board – Last 3 Immediate Past Presidents\***

Matthew B. Straka, MD (Chair)

Peter G. Ellis, MD

Patricia L. Bononi, MD

\*A member of the Peer Review Board cannot be an active member of the ACMS Board of Directors.

**ACMS Delegates (12 Total Needed – 6 Not Up Election)**

**NOMINEES – Two-Year Term 2025-2026**

**Michael M. Aziz, MD**

**Vint Blackburn, MD**

Douglas Clough, MD

Molly Fisher, MD

Geoffrey Lim, MD

**Michael McDowell, MD**

Charles Mount, MD

Alexander Yu, MD

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**ACMS Alternate Delegates – NOMINEES**

**Elected – One Year Term Ending Dec. 31, 2025**

Rasha Abdulmassih, MD

William Coppola, MD

Amber Elway, DO

Richard B. Hoffmaster, MD

Anthony Kovatch, MD

**Currently Serving (Not Up for Election)**

Holly Appleberry, MD

Alexandra Johnston, DO

Kevin Kotar, DO

Stacie McKnight, MD

Devon Ramaeker, MD

Dillon Stein, DO

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**2024 Nominating Committee**

*Keith T. Kanel, MD – Nominating Committee Chair*

Amber L. Elway, DO

Jody Leonardo, MD

Jan Madison, MD

Raymond Pan, MD

G. Alan Yeasted, MD