

YOUNG PHYSICIANS- GET INVOLVED IN ACP

2010-2011 Council of Young Physicians Call for Nominations

If you are active in your local chapter, get involved nationally by joining the ACP Council of Young Physicians (CYP). The CYP is responsible for planning programs for the annual meeting for young physicians and providing a young physician perspective on current issues impacting the field of internal medicine.

To be eligible you must currently be:

- A Member or FACP of the College who is within 16 years of medical school graduation as of May 1, 2010 and who is no longer in training.

To be an effective council member you must commit to:

- Serve on the CYP for a term of three years beginning at the College's Annual Business Meeting (April 24, 2010)
- Travel to Philadelphia once a year for a face-to-face council meeting, participate in conference calls and webinars on an ad hoc basis, and attend Internal Medicine 2011 in San Diego. CYP meeting dates for 2010 – 2011 are August 2, 2010.
- Serve as the Young Physician representative on one of the Colleges Committees (http://www.acponline.org/about_acp/committees/) during his or her term. Serving on a committee may require at least one additional trip to Philadelphia or Washington, D.C.

2010 – 2011 Open Seats: If you are interested in running for one of the seats available and live in one of the states listed below please refer to the submission instructions below.

- **Southern Zone** (AL, AR, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, OK, PR, SC, TN, TX);
- **Northeastern Zone** (CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VA, VT, WV);
- **Midwestern Zone** (IL, IN, IA, KS, MI, MN, MO, ND, NE, OH, SD, WI);
- **Western Zone** (AK, AZ, CA, CO, HI, ID, MT, NM, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY)

How to Apply:

Interested candidates must be Members or Fellows of the College who are within sixteen years of graduating from medical school as of May 1, 2010. In order to be considered for a seat on the CYP, interested candidates must provide curriculum vitae, a letter of recommendation, and a letter of interest that answers the question:

“What role can the Council of Young Physicians play in creating an environment within the College in which young ACP members are more likely to actively participate at both the national and chapter level?”

Nominations must be addressed to Sima Desai, MD, FACP, Chair, Council of Young Physicians, and submitted via email to mbrdev@acponline.org by 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on **January 15, 2010**. Additional questions?

The elections will be held in early February and candidates will be notified of the results later that month. Each candidate will be reviewed with neutrality to gender, race, and ethnic background.