

# MSSSC

is one of the most vibrant medical societies in the country with more than 90 percent of Sedgwick County physicians as members.

**What does MSSSC do for you?**



# We Care

for our patients, our community and our profession.

Relationships are vital to the practice of medicine and the well-being of physicians. MSSSC helps physicians make professional and referral connections and form peer friendships.



“MSSSC is a great way to connect with other physicians, learn more about the health care system and engage in the well-being of our community.”

– Dr. Katie Rosell, Neurology Consultants of Kansas, LLC

State and federal rules and regulations can have a profound impact on medicine. MSSSC works with the Kansas Medical Society to monitor legislative activity and advocate on behalf of physicians and patients.

The business of medicine is complex and ever changing. MSSSC provides professional support services, patient referrals, continuing education and member discounts on insurance and other services.

MSSSC provides opportunities for community service through Project Access, public health initiatives and other programs.

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MEDICAL SOCIETY of SEDGWICK COUNTY



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Medical Society of Sedgwick County is a nonprofit membership organization representing the physicians of Wichita-Sedgwick County. Founded in 1903, MSSC has a strong legacy of promoting the highest standards in ethical medical practices, medical education, research and community health. MSSC and its members are engaged in programs and initiatives affecting the health of people in Sedgwick County and Kansas.

## ■ MSSC COMMITTEES AND INITIATIVES

**Legislative Committee** monitors issues related to the practice of medicine in Kansas, including medical malpractice, regulations and scope of practice.

**EMS Physicians Advisory Committee** oversees the medical protocols and quality of the county EMS system.

**Kansas Sports Concussion Partnership** develops and delivers accurate information about sports-related concussions for physicians, coaches and the public.

**Wichita Quality Health Collaborative** works to improve the quality of in-patient and out-patient care in a coordinated manner.

**Maternal Infant Health Coalition** seeks to improve maternal and infant health outcomes in Sedgwick County.

**Transportable Physician Orders for Patient Preferences** translates treatment preferences of chronic or terminally ill patients into medical orders.

**Medical Career Loans Committee** provides low-interest loans to medical students and others pursuing health careers.

## ■ MEMBER BENEFITS AND SERVICES

**Patient Referrals:** MSSC provides the public with physician referrals on a rotating basis by specialty. The MSSC website also includes a “Physician Finder” database of members.

**Wichita Docs Under 40:** WD40 hosts mixers and other events that enable young physicians to meet and network.

**MSSC Membership Roster:** The MSSC Roster is distributed each year to MSSC members and to physicians, hospitals and pharmacists throughout the state. It is a “go-to” source for referrals and professional connections.

**Practice Support:** MSSC works with KMS to provide physicians with advice and support on practice operations and payment advocacy.

**Malpractice Insurance:** Membership in KMS and MSSC enables physicians to obtain liability coverage from the Kansas Medical Mutual Insurance Company (KaMMCO).

**Disability and Long-Term Care Insurance:** MSSC offers members discounted disability insurance and long-term care insurance policies.

**Other Discounts:** MSSC members receive discounts on hotels, car rentals, office supplies, and a wide variety of entertainment options.

**Messaging Service:** MSSC and KMS members have free use of Docbook-MD, a fast, HIPAA-secure messaging service for smartphones and tablet devices. It includes accurate, up-to-date physician contact information and details on local pharmacies.

**Meetings/CME:** Membership meetings provide networking opportunities and informative presentations. Some meetings also offer CME credit.

**News and Information:** MSSC utilizes its monthly member newsletter, its website and social media accounts to share information of interest and importance to local physicians.

## ■ MSSC AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

**Project Access** was initiated by MSSC in 1999 to address the needs of low-income, uninsured residents of Sedgwick County. More than half of all MSSC members participate in the physician-led program, which efficiently coordinates donated medical care and services provided by physicians, area hospitals, pharmacies and other providers.

**Medical Provider Resources** is a one-stop shop credentialing service. It offers centralized, cost-efficient, primary-source verification and provider (insurance) enrollment services to health care providers, group practices, medical facilities and networks. With a dedicated team, MPR reduces the redundancy of credentialing by efficiently navigating hospital initial appointment and reappointment, Medicare/ Medicaid enrollment, licensure renewal, recruitment credentialing and network credentialing. MPR’s efficiencies allow the physician more time for quality patient care.

**ProviDRs Care**, the only physician-owned PPO in Kansas, is a managed health care provider network. Providers and hospitals in Kansas and adjoining states offer their services through ProviDRs Care to self-funded groups, fully insured businesses, insurance companies and third-party administrators.

**Health ICT** is a federally grant-funded program that addresses public health issues, including chronic disease prevention and care.

**Wichita Business Coalition on Health Care** connects local businesses and the health care community to work together to control costs and improve health outcomes.



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