

**2014 Annual Leadership Forum  
March 13 - 16, 2014**

**PRIORITIZATION OF 2014 ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS**

**RESULTS**

At the close of the 2014 Annual Leadership Forum, Sunday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, all voting members present were invited to select the Top 10 resolutions they felt were of most importance to the grassroots of the Academy. Of the 207 eligible voting members present, 159 responded (77%). The following shows the Top 10 resolutions based on the number of votes received. Also noted is the district from which the resolution originated.

<b>Top 10</b>	<b>Res #</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Title</b>
1	LR6SA	IX	Ban on Marijuana Advertising that Could be Perceived as Directed to Children
2	34.35SB	III & VIII	Human Trafficking Education as a Component of Medical Education and Pediatric Training
3	1	VIII	Ratification on the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC)
4	33SB	VII	The Risk of Non-Standard Vaccine Schedules
5	13SA	IX	Expanding Regulations on Electronic Cigarettes
6	LR1SB	II	The AAP Medical Home Standard and Certification
7	4SA	I	Universal Paid Parental Leave
8	16	VIII	AAP Policy and Education Regarding Electronic Cigarettes
9	49	VI	Medical Student Membership
10	43SC	VIII	Staying Politically Neutral for Universal Support of Children

**2014 Resolutions**  
**RESOLVEDS OF THE TOP 10 RESOLUTIONS**

*Resolveds are given by rank order for the 10 high priority resolutions.*

- 1) Resolution #LR6SA     **Ban on Marijuana Advertising that Could be Perceived as Directed to Children****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy advocate for a ban on marijuana and synthetic cannabinoid product advertising within all media, events and venues, including the internet.
  
- 2) Resolution #34.35SB     **Human Trafficking Education as a Component of Medical Education and Pediatric Training****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy become an active partner in addressing child trafficking in the United States, and be it further

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy advocate that the subject of human trafficking should be a component of medical education and pediatric training for medical students, residents, fellows and all who provide healthcare for children and adolescents, to include information about recognition, management and linkages to community resources.
  
- 3) Resolution #1             **Ratification on the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC)****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy work with a coalition to encourage the President of the United States and the United States Senate to ratify the Convention on the Rights of the Child.
  
- 4) Resolution #33SB         **The Risk of Non-Standard Vaccine Schedules****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy clearly discourage the use of non-standard vaccine schedules because they enhance risk from vaccine-preventable diseases, and be it further

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy issue a statement that physicians and other health care professionals who advocate or promulgate the use of non-standard vaccine schedules which substantially deviate from the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices recommended vaccine schedule are enhancing risk from vaccine-preventable diseases to their patients and the public at large.
  
- 5) Resolution #13SA         **Expanding Regulations on Electronic Cigarettes****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy encourage state and federal regulation to prevent the sale of electronic cigarettes and other tobacco products to youth under the legal age for cigarette purchase in that state, and be it further

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy advocate for including electronic cigarettes and all vaporized nicotine products in clean air legislation that ban tobacco use in public spaces.
  
- 6) Resolution #LR1SB       **The AAP Medical Home Standard and Certification****

**RESOLVED,**                    that the Academy produce and test a set of standards, based on the precepts of Quality Improvement (QI), for the Pediatric Medical Home, and create a certification for those practices that meet these standards, which shall be promoted to the public, government and insurers as verification that these practices truly deliver pediatric care in a real Pediatric Medical Home, and be it further

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- RESOLVED,** that the Academy design standards for Pediatric Patient Centered Medical Home (PPCMH) as well as a certification process ensuring that certification will occur via Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI), and be accomplished in the natural flow of care.
- 7) Resolution #4SA      Universal Paid Parental Leave**
- RESOLVED,** that the Academy recommend that all parents be given at least 12 weeks of paid parental leave within a year after the birth or adoption of a child, funded by a payroll tax such as included in the proposed *FAMILY Act*.
- 8) Resolution #16      AAP Policy and Education Regarding Electronic Cigarettes**
- RESOLVED,** that the Academy develop policy regarding the marketing of electronic cigarettes toward children/adolescents, and be it further
- RESOLVED,** that the Academy educate pediatricians about electronic cigarettes and their potential risks.
- 9) Resolution #49      Medical Student Membership**
- RESOLVED,** that the Academy acknowledge medical students as national members with a student membership package (to be determined by the Board of Directors), while retaining the current Section on Medical Students, Residents and Fellowship Trainees (SOMSRFT) financial structure.
- 10) Resolution #43SC      Staying Politically Neutral for Universal Support of Children**
- RESOLVED,** that the Academy request that all statements/presentations (written or spoken) done in association with the Academy be non-partisan and focus on child-centered health issues.

### Top 10 and the Balance by Vote Numbers

Resolution #	Vote Points	Resolution Title
<b>LR6SA</b>	<b>503</b>	Ban on Marijuana Advertising that Could be Perceived as Directed to Children
<b>34.35SB</b>	<b>413</b>	Human Trafficking Education as a Component of Medical Education and Pediatric Training
<b>1</b>	<b>405</b>	Ratification on the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC)
<b>33SB</b>	<b>367</b>	The Risk of Non-Standard Vaccine Schedules
<b>13SA</b>	<b>347</b>	Expanding Regulations on Electronic Cigarettes
<b>LR1SB</b>	<b>347</b>	The AAP Medical Home Standard and Certification
<b>4SA</b>	<b>317</b>	Universal Paid Parental Leave
<b>16</b>	<b>306</b>	AAP Policy and Education Regarding Electronic Cigarettes
<b>49</b>	<b>302</b>	Medical Student Membership
<b>43SC</b>	<b>270</b>	Staying Politically Neutral for Universal Support of Children
7	250	All Metered Dose Inhalers Should Have an Actuation Counter
12	247	Ban on Junk Food Advertising to Children
10	231	Remove the Distinction of Observation versus Inpatient Status for Pediatric Hospital Stays
6	228	Transitioning Youth in Foster Care to Adulthood by Providing Child Welfare Support to Age 21
27	227	Appropriate Postpartum Stay for the Mother and the Vaginally Delivered Newborn
48	220	Searchable Database of AAP Chapter Innovations
14	207	Marketing Restrictions and Tax Revenues Related to Electronic Cigarettes
21SB	203	Practice Guidelines for Parenting to Prevent Abusive Head Trauma and Other Non-Accidental Trauma in Infants
8SA	183	AAP Support for Universal Availability of Epinephrine Auto-Injectors in Schools
30SB	173	Healthy Meals for Hospitalized Children
18SA	163	Vaccines for Children (VFC) Eligibility for Undocumented Children in Privately Funded Health Plans
25	162	Concussion Anticipatory Guidance Inclusion in Bright Futures
17SA	156	Release of Educational Records to Medical Home – Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Nightmare
24	155	Automated External Defibrillators (AED) in Schools [Justin Carr’s Resolution]
46	154	Executive Director (ED) Support at District Meetings
29SB	147	Making AAP Clinical Guidelines “Computable”
45SC	127	Section on Medical Students, Residents, and Fellowship Trainees (SOMSRFT) Voting Representation on Chapter Executive Boards
22SB	126	Provision of Adequate Blood Glucose Monitoring Supplies for Children with Diabetes
3	125	Appropriate Response to Maternal Substance Use Disorders
15	123	Awareness and Oversight about Electronic Cigarettes
50	123	Innovative Membership Models and Categories
37	107	Safe Pediatric Radiation Education
19	101	Exchange the Word “Reimbursement” for “Payment”
54	98	Trainee Access to AAPs National Conference and Exhibition
26SB	94	Easy Access to Clean and Safe Bathrooms in Children’s Schools
25	93	Concussion Anticipatory Guidance Inclusion in Bright Futures

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5SA	81	Federal Aviation Agency Guidance on Emergency Medical Kits (EMKs)
42	81	Revise AAP Marketing and Publication Guidelines for Expert Book Publication
40SC	80	Rapid Response Opinion Polls of AAP Members
51	78	AAP Pricing Strategies
20	77	Prior Authorizations of Medications and Diagnostic Tests
9	76	Ban the Sales of Low Iron Infant Formula in the United States
52	72	Reduction in Single-Day Subspecialist H-Program Registration Fees for the AAPs National Conference and Exhibition
55SC	71	Reducing the Cost of the Initial Board Certification Exam
44	70	Breaking Down Barriers to Immunizations
11	60	Academy Resources for Local Government Affairs
31	38	Improved Physician and Medical Team Communication
39	37	Bright Futures and Healthy Children Websites in More Languages
38	27	Radiation Safety PREP® Course Offerings
41	14	Responsive Feedback to the Authors of Resolutions
47	14	Evaluation Metrics for State Chapters
28	7	Low Vision Accommodation for Electronic Medical Records
23	Defeated	Universal Physical Examination Form
32	Referred	Mandating Meningococcal Vaccines for College Age Students
36	Defeated	Pediatric Emergency medicine (PEM) Fellowship Recruitment
53	Defeated	Discount for Subspecialty Fellowship Program Directors
56	Defeated	Interest and Tax Free Loan for the Pediatric Primary Care
LR2	Defeated	ICD-10-CM Transition Readiness for Members