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Physician Leaders Elected to the Arizona Medical Association Board of Directors

April 28, 2021 (Phoenix) – At the Arizona Medical Association’s (ArMA) annual House of Delegates meeting on April 17, 2021, the following members were elected to positions on the Board of Directors:

- **President, Miriam Anand, MD** – private practice physician specializing in allergy/immunology in Tempe
- **President-Elect, Jennifer Hartmark-Hill, MD** – family medicine physician employed by the University of Arizona College of Medicine – Phoenix
- **Vice President, William Thompson, IV, MD** – anesthesiologist employed by Valley Pain and Anesthesiology Consultants in Phoenix
- **Executive Committee At-Large Member, Timothy Beger, MD** – anesthesiologist employed by Valley Pain and Anesthesiology Consultants in Phoenix
- **Executive Committee At-Large Member, Sarah Coles, MD** – family medicine physician employed by Banner – University Medical Center in Phoenix
- **Executive Committee At-Large Member, Jason Jameson, MD** – urologist employed by Phoenix Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Phoenix
- **AMA Delegate, Gary Figge, MD** – emergency medicine physician employed by Northwest Emergency Physicians in Tucson
- **AMA Delegate, M. Zuhdi Jasser, MD** – private practice physician specializing in internal medicine and nuclear cardiology in Phoenix
- **AMA Alternate Delegate, Jacquelyn Hoffman** – medical student at UA College of Medicine – Tucson
- **AMA Alternate Delegate, Susan Whitely, MD** – private practice physician specializing in family medicine in Phoenix
- **Vice-Speaker of the House, Ross Goldberg, MD** – general surgeon employed by District Medical Group, working at Valleywise Health Medical Center in Phoenix
- **At-Large Director, Dale Guthrie, MD** – private practice pediatrician practicing in Gilbert
- **At-Large Director, Ricardo Verdiner, MD** – anesthesiology and critical care physician employed by Mayo Clinic in Phoenix
- **Maricopa Director, Lee Ann Kelley, MD** – private practice physician specializing in psychiatry in Phoenix
- **Rural Director, Ajay Bhatnagar, MD** – radiation oncologist employed by Alliance Cancer Care Arizona in Casa Grande

- **Resident Director, Laura Hamant, MD** – pediatrics residency program at Phoenix Childrens Hospital in Phoenix
- **Resident Director, John Trickett, MD** – internal medicine residency program at Mayo Clinic College of Medicine in Scottsdale
- **Medical Student Director, Spencer Bayless** – medical student at the UA College of Medicine – Phoenix
- **Medical Student Director, Timothy Durr** – medical student at A.T. Still University School of Osteopathic Medicine in Mesa

About Arizona Medical Association

The Arizona Medical Association (ArMA) is the largest organization in the state representing the interests of all physicians. Since 1892, ArMA has been advancing patient care and providing its members with leadership, advocacy, education, and networking. For more information, visit www.AZmed.org and follow ArMA on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [LinkedIn](#).