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BCMS Fall General Membership Meeting

Thursday, Sept. 15, 2016
Networking Hour 6 pm
Program 7 pm

IBC Bank 8650 Fredericksburg Road San Antonio, TX 78229

Presented by TMA President, Don R. Read, MD

Stand Up! It's both a credo and a call to action. Every day, we physicians stand up for our patients — against disease, against public health threats, against the incredible hassles of our health care system. And every day, the Texas Medical Association stands up for us — against insurance companies, against government bureaucrats, against the incredible hassles of our health care system. The thing is, TMA can't do our best for you and your patients unless you stand up with us.

Join TMA President Don R. Read, MD, as he discusses TMA's latest assault on onerous federal regulations, his personal connection to mosquito-borne viruses like Zika, TMA's plans for the 2017 Texas Legislature, and how you can stand up with him.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of the program, participants should be able to:

- Discuss prevention of and response to the unique public health threats physicians and their patients will face,
- Describe TMA's plans for minimizing the hassles of the health care system your practice encounters on a daily basis,
- Identify specific actions TMA is taking to address legislative issues on the state and federal level, and
- Explain how individual physicians and their patients can contribute to the success of the TMA legislative program.

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