

# NH-PCMS BULLETIN: FEBRUARY 04, 2022

## 2022 Statement to the Membership from the Incoming President

Dear NH-PC Medical Society Members,

I am honored and humbled to be the 2022 president of our venerable fellowship. I am proud to have been a member for over 20 years. I assume the mantle of leadership with excitement. While I am both hopeful and concerned for our future, I believe in the community of physicians we represent.

The last 2 years have proven the importance of a cohesive medical community. Our perseverance and commitment have been pushed to the limits. I am proud of leadership colleagues have shown our local community. We have risen to the occasion, providing a necessary calm in this tumultuous sea of pandemic. Unfortunately, the crisis has not yet abated. We must remain vigilant by supporting each other and encouraging the community to remain focused on sustaining a healthy environment.



Supporting each other means fellowship. While gathering in person is not always possible, we can continue to foster a connection in other ways. Video meetings, calls, texts, and emails still connect us to each other. Even though I relish the opportunity to gather in person, I am dedicated to continuing our society's commitment to persevere and take advantage of using technology to meet when needed.

The only way we can stay relevant as a medical society is to continue to recruit members of our medical community. I urge each of you to encourage colleagues to join/rejoin the Society. Additionally, I would love to see every new local physician receive a personal invitation to join. Strength in numbers is what will carry the Society forward and make our voice the dominant and reliable source of medical information in the region.

It is easy to focus on our own careers and specialties. However, this does not benefit our profession as a whole. To survive as a profession, we must project our voices as a uniform medical society. I implore you to become involved, invite a friend or colleague and reach out to new physicians and providers. Above all, continue to be the voice for your patients.

Thank you,

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