

**AMERICAN MEDICAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
HOUSE OF DELEGATES 2017  
RESOLUTION: B6**

INTRODUCED BY: Fludiona Naka, Vice President for Internal Affairs

SCHOOL: University of Connecticut School of Medicine

SUBJECT: Principles Regarding Financing of Medical Education

TYPE: Resolution of Principles

---

1 WHEREAS medical education is expensive for all medical student no matter what residency  
2 they chose to go it, and;

3  
4 WHEREAS financial support for primary care residency programs would be beneficial, and;

5  
6 WHEREAS no resident should forgo much or all of their salary while completing training  
7 because medical education is expensive;

8  
9 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Principles Regarding Financing of Medical  
10 Education (p. 25) be AMENDED BY DELETION to state

11  
12 The American Medical Student Association:

13  
14 21. SUPPORTS adoption of a free medical school model in which medical school tuition would  
15 be waived for all students, and graduate medical education financial support would be reserved  
16 for trainees completing primary care residency programs (including family medicine, medicine,  
17 pediatrics, psychiatry and OB/GYN), ~~while trainees pursuing subspecialty programs would~~  
18 ~~forego much or all of their salary while completing their training.~~

19  
20 FISCAL NOTE: None