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**AMERICAN MEDICAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
HOUSE OF DELEGATES 2016  
RESOLUTION: A10**

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SCHOOL:	University of Maryland; Michigan State University College of Human Medicine; Boston University School of Medicine
SUBJECT:	Amendment to Principles Regarding Human Immunodeficiency Virus and HIV-Related Illnesses
TYPE:	Resolution of Principles

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1 WHEREAS AMSA has not as of yet established a position on the use of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) for the  
2 prevention of HIV/AIDS;

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4 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Principles Regarding Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and HIV-  
5 Related Illnesses (p. 106-111) be AMENDED BY ADDITION to state:

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8 1. In regard to infection control policies:

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10 a. SUPPORTS and URGES the following measures to control the spread of infectious diseases in every  
11 health-care facility in the United States:

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15 v. **AMSA SUPPORTS** the use of PrEP for the prevention of HIV transmission, particularly in  
16 individuals at high risk of infection (as defined by CDC Clinical Practice Guidelines).

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19 Fiscal note: None

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**REPORT OF REFERENCE COMMITTEE A**  
**DISCUSSION**

**BOT:** recommends to adopt as written—unanimous consent

**BRD:** recommends to adopt as written—unanimous consent

**PRD:** N/A

**IRD:** recommends to adopt as written by a vote of 2-0-1

**ACTE:** recommends to adopt as written—unanimous consent

**Premedical Caucus:** N/A

**SUMMARY OF DISCUSSION**

**PROS:** No proposition testimony provided

**CONS:** No opposition testimony provided

**REFERENCE COMMITTEE COMMENTS**

The majority of the regions and caucuses were for this resolution; the majority voted unanimously to adopt as written.

**REFERENCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

**Adopt as written.**