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3 **RESOLUTION 10-09A**
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5 **Title: Physician Participation in TRICARE**
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7 **Introduced by: Betty S. Chu, MD, for the Oakland County Delegation**
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11 **Referred to: Reference Committee A**
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13 **House Action: Adopted**
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16 **Whereas, the AMA Council on Medical Service (CMS) report, I-08**
17 **“Acceptance of TRICARE Health Insurance” outlines the difficulties of the**
18 **military and their families in accessing care, and**
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20 **Whereas, the CMS report recommends encouraging physicians to**
21 **accept this product, and**
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23 **Whereas, there is no data specific to Michigan regarding the number of**
24 **participating providers, patient access to care, and reimbursement issues;**
25 **therefore be it**
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27 **RESOLVED: That MSMS study the availability and access of TRICARE**
28 **for military families in Michigan and physician reimbursement issues; and be**
29 **it further**
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31 **RESOLVED: That data related to the availability and access of TRICARE**
32 **in Michigan be published in *Michigan Medicine* and that MSMS take steps to**
33 **encourage more physicians to participate.**
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36 **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE**