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3 **Title: Health Care Community Discussion**  
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5 **Introduced by: H. Richard Henderson, MD, Wayne County**  
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9 **Referred to: Reference Committee A**  
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11 **House Action: Disapproved**

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14 **Whereas, the Obama-Administration is seeking input to develop a**  
15 **national discourse on universal health care, and**

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17 **Whereas, initial discussions have focused on changes to the existing**  
18 **health care delivery system including more access to health insurance**  
19 **focusing on expanding primary care and reductions in specialty care,**  
20 **emphasizing disease management as part of chronic care coverage, and**  
21 **limiting malpractice awards, and**

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23 **Whereas, comprehensive health care reform addressing scope of**  
24 **services reimbursement, organization of health care delivery, etc., are**  
25 **essential for developing a national health care delivery system, and**

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27 **Whereas, in the current and most likely future economic condition of the**  
28 **country, more dollars for health care are unlikely, and**

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30 **Whereas, the current non-system of health care delivery does not serve**  
31 **the best interests of patients, physicians, the government, and other**  
32 **providers, and**

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34 **Whereas, the United States spends more of its percentage of Gross**  
35 **Domestic Product on health care than other developed countries that have**  
36 **universal access and in some cases the U.S. spends twice as much as those**  
37 **countries; therefore be it**

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39 **RESOLVED: That the Michigan Delegation to the AMA ask the AMA to**  
40 **discontinue support for its current position on health insurance for all; and be**  
41 **it further**

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43 **RESOLVED: That the Michigan Delegation to the AMA ask the AMA to**  
44 **consider a community-centered health care system with managed care and a**  
45 **group practice emphasis as the future health care delivery system for all**  
46 **Americans.**

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49 **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE**