

RESOLUTION 63-10A

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3 **Title: Oppose Discrimination in Residency Selection Based on**  
4 **the Location of Medical School**

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6 **Introduced by: Michael L. Gambel, MD for the International Medical**  
7 **Graduate Section**

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11 **Referred to: Reference Committee E**

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13 **House Action: Referred to the Board for Study**  
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16 **Whereas, the Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Education has**  
17 **established rules that make it a violation for a residency program to**  
18 **discriminate selection of candidates based on sex, race, age, religion, color,**  
19 **national origin, and disability, and**

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21 **Whereas, Michigan relies heavily on applicants for residency from**  
22 **medical schools outside of the United States, and**

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24 **Whereas, certain programs do not consider international medical**  
25 **graduates at all in their selection process, and**

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27 **Whereas, the selection of medical residents based on any criteria other**  
28 **than quality places the patients of the state of Michigan at risk; therefore be it**

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30 **RESOLVED: That MSMS add to its present list of prohibitions in**  
31 **resident selection the name of the candidates' medical school; and be it**  
32 **further**

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34 **RESOLVED: That the Michigan Delegation to the AMA ask the AMA to**  
35 **lobby the Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Education to add medical**  
36 **schools not accredited by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education to**  
37 **their list of prohibited discriminations.**

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

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