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3 **Title: Physicians Role in ACOs**  
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9 **Referred to: Reference Committee A**  
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11 **House Action:**

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14 **Whereas, Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs) have been touted as a**  
15 **solution for stemming the unprecedented explosion of health care costs, and**  
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17 **Whereas, the exact nature of such arrangements are unknown at this**  
18 **time, and**  
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20 **Whereas, physicians are at the center stage of the patient experience,**  
21 **despite being diluted by the managed care reforms over the years; therefore be**  
22 **it**  
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24 **RESOLVED: That the Michigan Delegation to the AMA request that our**  
25 **AMA define the central and leading role of physicians in the formulation of**  
26 **Accountable Care Organizations; and be it further**  
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28 **RESOLVED: That the Michigan Delegation to the AMA request that our**  
29 **AMA makes it a priority to give physicians the rights to negotiate as part of**  
30 **ACOs and immunity from antitrust or fraud rules.**  
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33 **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE: NONE**