

[HOME](#)[MEMBERSHIP](#)[ADVOCACY](#)[EDUCATION & EVENTS](#)[FOUNDATION](#)[ABOUT US](#)

## Action

### Call for Committee Volunteers

#### KAFP

KAFP calls all members to volunteer to serve on an active committee or task force for 2020-2021. Through committee involvement you can provide input on Academy activities and help advance the mission of the KAFP.

The following active committees and task forces are seeking volunteers:

- Communications/Awards Committee
- Governmental Advocacy Committee
- Membership & Member Services Committee
- Professional Development Committee
- Governance Restructure Task Force
- Implicit Bias Training Task Force
- Rural Health Summit Task Force

You can review the committees/task forces and a short description of their work on the KAFP website. [Apply here.](#)

If you have questions, please contact [info@kafponline.org](mailto:info@kafponline.org). Thank you for your interest and commitment to KAFP.

---

### 2020 Summary of Legislation Available

#### KAFP

KAFP's Government Relations Liaison, Dodie Wellshear has provided a summary of the 2020 legislative session. Access the [2020 Legislative Summary](#) along with Legislative Updates throughout the session [here.](#)

Legislation passed included:

- HB 2016 - Omnibus COVID-19 Response
  - Healthcare Provider Immunity (Section 10)
  - Telemedicine (Section 20)
  - Hospitals and Medical Care Facilities (Section 21)
  - Temporary Emergency License (Section 22)
  - Temporary Licensure Measures for Additional Healthcare Providers (Section 23)
  - Critical Access Hospitals (Section 39)

Legislation not passed included:

- SB 252 – KanCare Expansion
- SB 493 – Health Care Stabilization Fund
- HB 2412 – APRN Expanded Scope of Practice without Collaborative Practice Agreement
- HB 2563 – Increasing the Age to Purchase or Possess Cigarettes, E-cigarettes, & Tobacco Products
- HB 2570 – Limiting Certain Opioid Prescriptions to Seven-Day Supply
- HB 2601 – Restricting Authority of KDHE to Specify School Immunization Requirements

## Resident Presentations Now Online

KAFP

If you missed the webinars for *Fam Med Forward 2020* Resident Presentations, they are all available on the [KAFP website](#) as video recordings. Please note that the videos are not eligible for CME credit.

## Education

### Register for Kansas Immunization Program's Knowledge Injection Series

Immunize Kansas Coalition

Attend the Kansas Immunization Program's "Knowledge Injection Series" webinar at no cost. You must register by Tuesday, July 14 to attend.

**TITLE: Autism and Vaccines: The Never Ending Story**

**PRESENTER: Alison Singer, co-founder and president of the Autism Science Foundation**

**DATE: Thursday, July 16, 2020**

**TIME: Noon - 1:00 p.m.**

Register

## Resources

### July Updated COVID-19 Resources

KAFP/AAFP

We continue to update the COVID-19 resource page on the KAFP website for our members, including most recently, the educational opportunity: [Lessons Learned in Finney County](#).

Be sure to bookmark the COVID-19 web page to easily find all resources in one location. Bookmark <https://kafponline.org/COVID-19>

Don't forget to tune into AAFP's valuable CME opportunities:

- [AAFP COVID-19 Webinar Series](#) Wednesday, July 8 at 7:00 p.m.
- [AAFP's COVID-19 Virtual Live Town Hall](#) Wednesday, August 12 at 7:00 p.m.

---

### Using Agenda Setting to Help with Virtual Visits

AAFP

Our evolving health care landscape has made telehealth or virtual visits a reality for many medical practices. Using the AAFP's agenda setting tools may help. The AAFP National Research Network and Division of Practice Advancement developed an AAFP Transformation in Practice Series (TIPS™) resource to specifically address agenda setting. The AAFP TIPS™ Agenda Setting resources provide physicians, care teams, and patients with tools and information to help prepare for and prioritize visits. They are for both provider and patients, and include forms, checklists, scripts, workflow examples, role-playing activities, tips, and more. Agenda setting is a strategy all providers and care teams can benefit from using.

**For a limited number of participants, the AAFP National Research Network is conducting an engagement evaluation project where providers can receive up to \$200, and patients can receive up to \$100 for using the agenda setting resources for visits. Space is limited, so if you would like to participate please contact Cory Lutgen ([clutgen@aafp.org](mailto:clutgen@aafp.org) or 913-906-6150) for more information.**

---

## Important Dates

**July 3 | KAFP is closed in observance of Independence Day. Happy Fourth of July!**  
**July 30-August 1 | Virtual AAFP National Conference Family Medicine Residents**  
**October 13-17 | Virtual AAFP FMX**