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MSSNY Council Report – January, 2024

Dr. Charles Lopresto continues to partner with other medical groups. This past December, he partnered with the NY Chapter of the American College of Physicians and together they hosted an evening with Dr. Rishi Taker. Dr. Taker discussed “How to Succeed in Residency”. These partnerships will hopefully encourage non-members to join the Society.

The Society hosted their annual Holiday Party on December 12, 2023. The party was well attended and happily many of the other Medical Societies’ Members/Officers joined us.

Dr. Liana Leung, current Board of Trustee member and Past President was appointed an Officer of the Empire Group.

Dr. Sandhya Malhotra was one of the moderators at the NYSSA Financial Literacy Series, Contracts & Negotiations.

Academy of Medicine Highlights

The Academy conducted a two part CME series – Leadership and Governance. This series was well received and was conducted both on site and via zoom.

The Academy also continues to partner with NYP Queens in running a series of CME webinars. In recent months, there were webinars providing updates on Breast, Ovarian and Kidney Cancer, Lymphoma, Brain Metastases and Biliary Cancer. All webinars are available on our website, www.mscq.org

Society Highlights

New Bulletin – Our Bulletin was revamped and the first edition was distributed in December. Fortunately, it has been very well received. The Bulletin will be distributed quarterly.

Social Media – Recently, we started a Social Media campaign called “Physician’s Highlight,” which features our members, a brief bio, and their specialties. The campaign aims to highlight the talent and diversity of the doctors in Queens County and increase awareness for the Medical Society and the work it is doing. This work encompasses the interests of doctors and educates the public on current health issues and legislative relevant rules that influence the quality and costs of their healthcare. Please visit our website to view at www.mscq.org

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