

**MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
Memorial Resolution**

**Emerald Lin, MD
1981-2024**

**Introduced by New York Society of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
New York County Medical Society**

1 Whereas, it is with the deepest regret that we mourn the passing of our esteemed colleague and
2 friend who passed unexpectedly; and
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4 Whereas, Dr. Lin was a respected physician and leader in the field of traumatic brain injury and
5 was a major advocate for those with this medical condition; and
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7 Whereas, Dr. Lin practiced medicine in in the community for 15 years; and
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9 Whereas, Dr. Lin was a very accomplished physician who achieved so much in her short life:
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12 Whereas, Dr. Lin gave of her time freely to the New York County Medical Society and was an
13 expert speaker for MSSNY's CME lectures on traumatic brain injury in the veteran population;
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16 Whereas, Dr. Lin served as President of the New York Society of Physical Medicine and
17 Rehabilitation, a delegate to the MSSNY House of Delegates and was on the Medicare
18 Contractor Advisory Committee; and
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20 Whereas, Dr. Lin served as a board member and advisor for the Concussion Initiative of the
21 Brain Injury Association of New York, and was co-chair of the STEP Concussion and Mild
22 Traumatic Brain Injury Certificate Program of the American Academy of Physical Medicine and
23 Rehabilitation; and
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25 Whereas, Dr. Lin was a devoted mother and was a valued friend and colleague to many
26 physicians in the State of New York and to all who had the honor of knowing her; therefore, be it
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28 RESOLVED, that this House of Delegates of the Medical Society of the State of New York
29 express its sorrow at the passing of our dear friend and esteemed colleague and honor her
30 memory, and that this resolution be made part of the proceedings of the 2024 MSSNY House of
31 Delegates with a copy of this resolution to be sent to the daughter of Dr. Emerald Lin as an
32 expression of our heartfelt sympathy and respect, so that she may know how cherished her
33 mother truly was.