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The undersigned physician organizations urge Members of the House of Representatives to insist to their leadership that language addressing the 2025 Medicare physician payment cut be added to the full year CR before the House votes on the package.

Over 100 Members of the House of Representatives have cosponsored H.R. 879 – *The Medicare Patient Access and Practice Stabilization Act of 2025,* which was introduced by Representative Greg Murphy, MD. This legislation would address the devastating payment cut that doctors faced on January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Last December, there was a bipartisan funding package that Congress was hours away from passing before it was scuttled. That package addressed the 2025 Medicare physician payment cut.

It is time for Members of the House of Representatives to take a stand to protect Medicare patient access by insisting language addressing the 2025 Medicare physician payment cut be added to the full year CR before the vote.

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- California Medical Association
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- College of American Pathologists
- Congress of Neurological Surgeons
- Emergency Department Practice Management Association
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- Florida Medical Association
- Hawaii Medical Association
- Heart Failure Society of America
- Heart Rhythm Advocates
- Kentucky Medical Association
- Louisiana State Medical Society
- Maryland State Medical Society
- Medical Association of Georgia
- Medical Association of the State of Alabama
- Medical Group Management Association
- Medical Society of New Jersey
- Medical Society of Virginia
- Medical Society of Washington, DC
- Medical Society of the State of New York
- Michigan State Medical Society
- Missouri State Medical Association
- National Infusion Center Association
- National Organization of Rheumatology Management
- North American Modulation Society
- North American Spine Society
- North Carolina Medical Society
- North Dakota Medical Association
- Obesity Medicine Association
- Ohio State Medical Association
- Oregon Medical Association

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- Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medical Association
- Renal Physicians Association
- Society for Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance
- Society for Pediatric Dermatology
- Society for Vascular Surgery
- Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons
- Society of Cardiovascular Computed Tomography
- Society of Gynecologic Oncology
- Society of Hospital Medicine
- Society of Interventional Radiology
- Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging
- South Carolina Medical Association
- Tennessee Medical Association
- Texas Medical Association
- The Society of Thoracic Surgeons
- Vermont Medical Society
- Washington State Medical Association
- Wisconsin Medical Society