



**American Medical Women's Association Newsflash
February 8, 2019**

UPCOMING EVENTS



Online

(2/21) [AMWA will be hosting a Resident Financial Wellness Webinar](#) on Thursday, February 21, 2019 at 8:00 p.m. (ET)

(2/26) [Learn about passing gender equity resolutions](#) at state medical societies with Harvard leaders Dr. Julie Silver and Dr. Michael Sinha.

(2/28) AMWA's Social Media Team looking for members. Sign up [here](#).

(5/31) [Marriott Points Donation Drive](#): support attendees to the MWIA Centennial Congress.

(6/10) [AMWA Fellowship Applications are now being accepted.](#)



In Person

(2/22) [Inaugural Jefferson Women and Gastroenterology Health Symposium](#) in Philadelphia, PA.

(4/5-7) [APSA Chicago Meeting](#) - AMWA discount.

(4/28-5/1) AMWA Partners with the [World Health Care Congress 2019](#) in Washington, DC. [Leadership Track](#).

(5/15) [4th Annual NIH Vivian W. Pinn Symposium](#): Improving Maternal Health: Behind the Numbers, Register [here](#).

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NEWS



AMWA News

[AMWA leaders meet Surgeon General VADM Jerome Adams.](#)

[AMWA leaders meet Dr. Dorothy Fink, new HHS Director, Office On Women's Health](#)

[AMWA and GIAHC present Lady Ganga film at the 5th Annual Raw Science Film Festival](#)

[Resources to Fight the Opioid Epidemic](#)

[Diversity Dialogues: Emily Phelps](#) - AMWA Diversity and Inclusion Committee interviews MS-2 Emily Phelps about her research on Alzheimer's using Virtual Reality Technology.

[Recordings from the US vs. HPV webinar series](#) now available on the GIAHC website.

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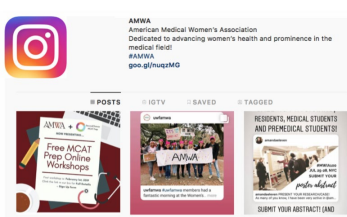


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The Haffzulla Family Scholarship Fund was founded by 2014-2015 AMWA President Dr. Farzana Haffzulla. This scholarship is meant to perpetuate the involvement of young leaders in disease prevention and national health and wellness. A maximum of two scholarships each in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded by Dr. Haffzulla or her designee during the annual national meeting. Click here (<http://bit.ly/2QDXxix>) for more information. Deadline for completed applications is January 31, 2019. Please direct all questions to awards@amwa-student.org.



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Other News

[New Planned Parenthood President: No Politics in the Exam Room.](#)

[Dr. Wen's Op-ed on Cervical Cancer.](#)

[Number of Uninsured Americans Reaches Four-Year High.](#)

[HHS Proposed Ruling to amend the safe harbor regulation concerning discounts](#) - comment period open.

Free online course through HarvardX, "[The Health Effects of Climate Change](#)." The course is open to everyone, and we think health professionals will be especially interested in the content.

The Women's Health Working Group (WHWG), formed within the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), recently released an RFI Seeking public comments on the underlying mechanisms that increase women's susceptibility to or resilience against certain heart, lung, blood, and sleep (HLBS) diseases and disorders. [The full RFI announcement](#) provides additional details on the request. Responses to the RFI must be submitted via email to WHWGRFI@nhlbi.nih.gov by **March 15, 2019**. Please include the notice number, **NOT-HL-18-660** in the subject line.

PROGRAM & MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Advocacy

AMWA sends [letter to Honorable Jan Schakowsky](#) supporting the designation of a "Women's Health Research Day". See [AMWA Advocacy Timeline](#) for other recent work and communications.

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