

# American Medical Women's Association

December 17, 2020



## Covid-19 Vaccine Outreach Webinar 12/22 @ 8 pm ET

Join Saralyn Mark, MD, former White House Senior Scientific Policy Advisor for a conversation on What Physicians Need to Know About COVID-19 Vaccination.

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## US vs. HPV Prevention Week January 24-30, 2021

Webinar Series  
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## 2021 ANNUAL MEETING

Look forward to an interactive 21st-century virtual program planned to engage, inform, and excite you.

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## Help Grow our Membership & Support our Initiatives

- Celebrate AMWA's 105th Birthday by donating \$105 [or any amount] to Support our [105 Strong Campaign](#)
- Invite Male Allies to support Women in Medicine with \$28 (or more) to the [He for She Campaign](#) to reduce the 28% gender wage gap
- Invite Your Colleagues to [Join AMWA](#) before the end of the year and get 15% off your next renewal. The code 2020 gives them 15% off dues and you will receive a 15% coupon for your next renewal (they must note your name in the referral and join by Jan. 4)
- For a limited time, you can use the code "2020" for a 15% discount on [Resident Membership](#)

The AMWA Board of Directors Wishes You & Your Family a Festive and Safe Holiday

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## INITIATIVES

AMWA is partnering with the COVID-19 Vaccine Education and Equity Project to provide information about the clinical trials process, regulatory review and equitable access to potential COVID-19 vaccines. [Learn More](#) #COVIDVxProject

**COVID-19 VACCINE EDUCATION and EQUITY PROJECT**

## ADVOCACY

Ask Congress to take action on the COVID-19 Relief package and include the Dr. Lorna Breen Health Care Provider Protection Act. [Take Action](#).  
Read [AMWA's Press Release](#).

AMWA leaders challenged the conclusions of a study suggesting that women reap greater benefit when mentored/sponsored by men. [Read our response](#).

Do you know? Sex impacts immune responses and COVID-19 Outcomes. [Learn more](#).  
Join the [Sex & Gender Health Collaborative](#)

See the [AMWA Advocacy Timeline](#) for latest initiatives. Updated regularly.

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

### Meet Linda Shiue, MD

I am both an internist in private practice and a professionally trained chef. After working in general practice for 15 years, I took a sabbatical from patient care to attend culinary school. In 2016, I became the first Director of Culinary Medicine at Kaiser Permanente...

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## MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

The textbook—*How Sex and Gender Impact Clinical Practice: An Evidence Based Guide to Patient Care*—was edited by Marjorie Jenkins, MD, MEdHP and Connie Newman, MD. AMWA members receive a 30% discount (Code LIFE30) through 12/31. [Elsevier Store](#).

Saralyn Mark, MD, appeared on FOX News with Neil Cavuto (12/10) and Dana Perino (12/11) to speak on the US preparations for COVID-19 vaccine distribution.

Padmini Murthy, MD, MPH discusses her new book, *Technology & Global Public Health*, on "Five Minutes in Healthcare" podcast. She also addresses how technology has helped with PPE production, fighting human trafficking more.

AMWA Member Benefit: Free virtual [Zeamo](#) fitness videos!

## AWARDS

Apply for the **Dr. Linda Brodsky Memorial Fund** which grants women physicians with a \$10k award to support programs that advance gender equity, medical student success, clinical research, and advancement of women physicians. **Deadline Jan 15. Apply**

[Nominations Open](#) for Top 10 Clinical Research Achievement Awards (Clinical Research FORUM)

## Other News and Meetings

National Academy of Medicine (NAM) releases [Taking Action Against Clinician Burnout: A Systems Approach to Professional Well-Being](#)

NBME launches a new online video series [Unlocking Assessment: Keys to Understanding Test Questions](#)

Want to Plan Ahead? See [Meetings thru March](#).

## Trainee Corner

### Announcing AMWA's Virtual Bed & Breakfast Residency Resource

Learn about AMWA physicians' experience living and training in a variety of cities, and connect 1:1 with local mentors as you consider where to pursue your training. Please contact [programming@amwa-student.org](mailto:programming@amwa-student.org) with questions.

Encourage every trainee you know to join AMWA, and enjoy the benefits of an organization that advances women in medicine! Awards await whoever recruits the most members. [See Content Rules](#).

[submit a short written piece](#) about #WomenInMedicine! Winning piece receives monetary award and possibly published.

The AWHs Overseas Assistance Grant provides [travel grants](#) (for travel and material costs) of up to \$1,000 to assist and medical students living in underprivileged communities around the world. Applications due 1/5, 5/5, and 9/5.

Calling for Eras 2021 Surgery Residency Applicants!  
The Association of Women Surgeons (AWS) National Medical Student Committee Research Team wants to know how medical students applying to surgical residencies have been impacted during this application cycle. [Share your experience](#).

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