



2024, Quarter 4

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## President's Message



Dear Members,

I have an ask of you. This is the time of year where many of us reflect on what we've been doing the last 11 months and it's no different for MNACEP. It has been a busy year for us as we continue to rebuild our communication streams, committee/task force structure and prepare for the legislative session.

There are many opportunities for engagement summarized below. MNACEP leadership will also be meeting for a strategic retreat in January, where we will reexamine where we've been and our vision for where we will go in 2025 and beyond. It is imperative that we, your MNACEP Board of Directors, understand what our membership needs, values, and expects from the organization so we can refine our focus and succeed. We will continue to leverage the work of ACEP nationally to meet the needs of Minnesota emergency physicians and invest in education, advocacy, and practice support that matters most to us.

If you want to see something different from MNACEP or have suggestions for how we can more effectively engage and support emergency physicians in our state, please **[CONTACT US](#)** and share your thoughts. The direction of both our chapter and national ACEP is set by membership, and we cannot meet your needs better if we don't hear from you. So as you reflect on your own year in the ED, please consider how MNACEP can be more meaningful to you and your practice. While I can't promise that every idea

will result in immediate change, I can assure you that we will review your ideas as we develop our vision for the future.

Thank you for continuing to provide exceptional emergency care for all in Minnesota and for engaging with MNACEP!

Matthew Herold, MD  
MNACEP President



## Association Updates

### New Email Address

Minnesota ACEP has a new email address! Effective December 1, all communications will begin coming from [exec@mnacep.org](mailto:exec@mnacep.org). The prior email address ([mnacep@gmail.com](mailto:mnacep@gmail.com)) will be archived at the end of 2024. Please update your records and spam filters so you won't miss out, and we won't miss out, on important communications. The updated email should prevent many of our communications from being blocked overall, but they may start going into your spam filter. Please take a moment to put us on your safe list, or focused email list.

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### Board Member Elections

MNACEP has seven board members whose terms will expire at the end of 2024. All seven board members are seeking re-election. Please cast votes for seven board members at the link below. You can also write in a candidate for the MNACEP Board of Directors.

Voting will end on December 31, 2024.



[Vote Now](#)

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### New Members

Please welcome our newest member to our ACEP chapter!

- **Jordan Richardson**, Medical Student

Invite your colleagues to [join MN ACEP](#) so they can also take advantage of ACEP's local and national network and benefits.

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## Legislation and Advocacy



The 2025 legislative session is swiftly approaching and we have a number of resources available for our members to continue to make an impact:

### New Action Alerts

Receive instant alerts via text regarding legislation as it moves through the legislature. These alerts are designed to keep you informed and allow you to take immediate action if MNACEP needs your voice to take a stand and be heard.

[Sign up for Alerts](#)

### Policy Update Newsletter

This legislative newsletter provides our members with important updates, information, and context to legislation that effects emergency physicians. Stay tuned for our next upcoming issue.

Please note: Session begins January 14, 2025 at 12:00 PM.

### Physician's Day at the Capitol

Join us February 13, 2025, to advocate for you, your profession, and your patients with MN ACEP utilizing our resources and your knowledge.

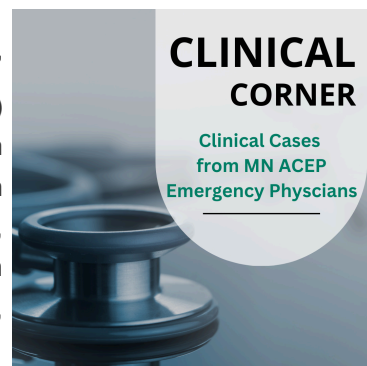
[Registration Coming Soon](#)

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## Clinical Corner

### Clinical Presentation

A fifteen-year-old male with recently diagnosed Graves' disease presented to the emergency department (ED) from school with palpitations and tachycardia. Upon arrival to the ED, he was noted to be afebrile with temperature to 97.5 degrees F, tachycardic to 245 bpm, tachypneic at 22, hypertensive at 153/97, with saturations 98% on room air. He appeared anxious, diaphoretic.



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## Request for Clinical Cases

Minnesota ACEP is seeking case submissions for our quarterly newsletter. We're excited to feature our first case in this edition and encourage you to submit your own. To submit a case, please complete the [form](#).

Sharing your case can help highlight critical clinical insights and foster learning within our community. Whether it's a unique diagnosis, a challenging treatment, or a successful patient outcome, your contribution can make a difference. We look forward to receiving your submissions and showcasing the valuable work being done in our field.

[Submit a Case](#)

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## Upcoming Events



### Emergency Medicine Summit

The MN ACEP chapter will be holding our **2025 Emergency Medicine Summit** on January 14 in Edina, MN. This annual event will also include our Annual Membership Meeting along with a robust agenda. We hope you will join us and take advantage of this excellent educational and networking opportunity!

January 14, 2025

The Westin Edina Galleria | Edina, MN

[Agenda](#)

[Register Today](#)

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## Nuts and Bolts of Physician Reimbursement 2025

*ACEP Webinar*

Get the most out of your Reimbursement and Coding Conference experience. Perfect for first time attendees or those who need to brush up on this complex material.



Michael A. Granovsky, MD, CPC, FACEP, will review the foundational elements of Emergency Medicine.

Register Today



## MN Emergency Physicians' Day

Join us at the Capitol to make some noise and be seen. With you and your colleagues, we will begin the day with a review of important legislation, advocacy tips and tricks, and meet with legislators to impart your knowledge with and make a difference.

February 13, 2025

Minnesota Senate Building | State Capitol

**The event is free to attend, but registration is required**

Register Here.

## News and Resources

- **Opioid Resources**
  - Every day emergency physicians see the devastating consequences of the opioid epidemic. ACEP is one of the leaders in the battle against this epidemic. Here are some of the initiative and resources ACEP has developed and continues to work on to empower emergency physicians.  
[Explore Now](#)
- [ACEP Calls for Stronger Physician Protections When Employers Break Contracts](#)
- [ACEP Urges Congress to Reauthorize Dr. Lorna Breen Act](#)

## Join the Movement

Become a member of Minnesota ACEP and contribute to the growth of emergency medicine in the region.

Learn more



Together, we can lead as a proactive and influential presence in the field of emergency medicine in Minnesota.

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