**OHIO STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION HOUSE OF DELEGATES**

**Resolution No. 03 – 2020**

**Introduced by:** The Academy of Medicine of Lima and Allen County

**Subject:** Meeting Code of Conduct

**Referred to:** Resolutions Committee No. 1

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**WHEREAS**, Our American Medical Association has recently adopted a code of conduct for meetings; and

**WHEREAS**, The OSMA has many meetings and encounters every year; **therefore be it**

**RESOLVED**, That it is the policy of the Ohio State Medical Association that all attendees of OSMA hosted meetings, events and other activities are expected to exhibit respectful, professional, and collegial behavior during such meetings, events and activities, including but not limited to dinners, receptions and social gatherings held in conjunction with such OSMA hosted meetings, events and other activities. Attendees should exercise consideration and respect in their speech and actions, including while making formal presentations to other attendees, and should be mindful of their surroundings and fellow participants; and, **be it further**

**RESOLVED**, Any type of harassment of any attendee of an OSMA hosted meeting, event and other activity, including, but not limited to, dinners, receptions and social gatherings held in conjunction with an OSMA hosted meeting, event or activity, is prohibited conduct and is not tolerated. The OSMA is committed to a zero tolerance for harassing conduct at all locations where OSMA business is conducted. This zero tolerance policy also applies to meetings of all OSMA sections, committees, task forces, and other leadership entities, as well as other OSMA-sponsored events. The purpose of the policy is to protect participants in OSMA-sponsored events from harm.

**Fiscal Note:** $ 100 (Sponsor)

 $ 100 (Staff)