



MCA In Touch

Your monthly news and events update from
the Minnesota Chiropractic Association

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Association News

MCA Welcomes New President, Dr. Jodi Dorpinghaus



In Memoriam: Dr. Silmar "Skip" Skibsted

It is with great sadness we share that Silmar "Skip" Skibsted, DC, DICS, FICS, of St. Paul passed away recently. Through his work as a chiropractor and Sacro Occipital Technique instructor, he touched the lives of many people. Even after retirement, Dr. Skibsted treated patients until he was 93 years old. He will be remembered as a warm, selfless person with a vibrant smile. Dr. Skibsted will be greatly missed. We offer our sincere condolences, and our thoughts are with the Skibsted family.



MCA Celebrates Successful Golf Fundraiser

Thanks to everyone who joined us for the MCA Golf Outing at Legends Golf Course. It was a great, sunny day of fun, food, and camaraderie among MCA members, friends and family. This event was a wonderful opportunity to come together and raise funds and awareness for the MCPAC.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK OUR SPONSORS:

Lunch - iSpine

Cocktail Hour – Atlas Wealth Management

Action Holes: iSpine, RayUS, DizzyFix, Kirshbaum Injury Law

Par 3's: RayUS, Mike Goehner – Edward Jones, Navarro Consulting

Hole Sponsors- NWHSU, Perpetual Motion Animal Chiro, Jane App, Nordic Naturals, Superior Travel&Events

Gift donations – Dr. Christopher Dean, Dr. Dustin Emblom, Christine Bartholomew, Brenda Toler-ED, Dizzy Fix, Kirshbaum Injury law

1st place: Dr. Adam Millsop, Dr. Joe Cassens, Dr. Kyle Ahrens, Matt Read

Last Place: Dr. Darrin Roemhildt, Dr. Roger Marquardt, Dr. Richard Saggau, Dr. Keith Johnson

THANK YOU TO THE VOLUNTEERS:

Dr. Christopher Dean, Dr. Rohin Sachdeva, Dr. Rebecca Amstutz, Christine Bartholomew, Dr. Wally Cole



Join MCA Today!

The Minnesota Chiropractic Association creates a community for doctors of chiropractic in the state of Minnesota. Membership in MCA offers many benefits, including continuing education programs, practice resources, the opportunity to advocate for the profession at the state level and more. Join today to amplify your voice and participate in the only organization in Minnesota dedicated to protecting and promoting your ability to practice your way. We are stronger together — [join MCA today!](#)



Make your voice and the voice of your patients heard.

[Contribute to MCPAC now!](#)

Donations made to MCPAC can ONLY be made from personal accounts.

District News

We want to hear from you. Tell us about an event you worked in your community, or share about your team or your practice. If it is special to you, it is special to us. Let's share it with your colleagues. Reach out to MCA or your District Leader to submit an item for the newsletter.



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SE District Trap Shoot Event (2 CE)

On Friday, July 25, join the Southeast District for a Trap Shoot Event and educational session worth 2 CE. The event will take place at [Owatonna Gun Club](#).

- 12–1 p.m. | Lunch Provided
- 1–3 p.m. | Shooting
- 3–5 p.m. | Nasal Class

Are you interested in setting up or sharing an event in your area? Reach out to your [district leader](#) or contact the MCA office at 651-358-2200.

National News

Your Action Needed for Success of Medicare Bill: Video

In a video message [posted to the ACA website](#), ACA chief lobbyist John Falardeau discusses the introduction of the Chiropractic Medicare Modernization Act and what recent change in leadership on Capitol Hill gives the bill an advantage in the current congressional session. While H.R. 1610 currently has 68 cosponsors in the House, and S. 799 recently gained an 8th cosponsor, more will be needed to secure passage of this important legislation, which aims to increase coverage of chiropractic services in Medicare. Visit acatoday.org/TakeAction for a quick and easy way to send a message to your congressperson's office. For more information and resources, visit www.MedicareModernization.org.



Dr. Michele Maiers Receives Prestigious ACA PAC Award

Congratulations to Michele Maiers, DC, MPH, PhD, ACA immediate past president, who was presented this week with the Dr. F. Dow Bates ACA PAC Bulldog Award at the annual meeting of the ACA PAC's Capitol Club members. The Bulldog award is presented each year to an ACA member who has exhibited extraordinary support and promotion of the ACA PAC and ACA's overall advocacy efforts. Past winners include Drs. Keith Overland, Andrea Ohmann, and James Lehman. Find out more about the ACA PAC [here](#).



Professional Development

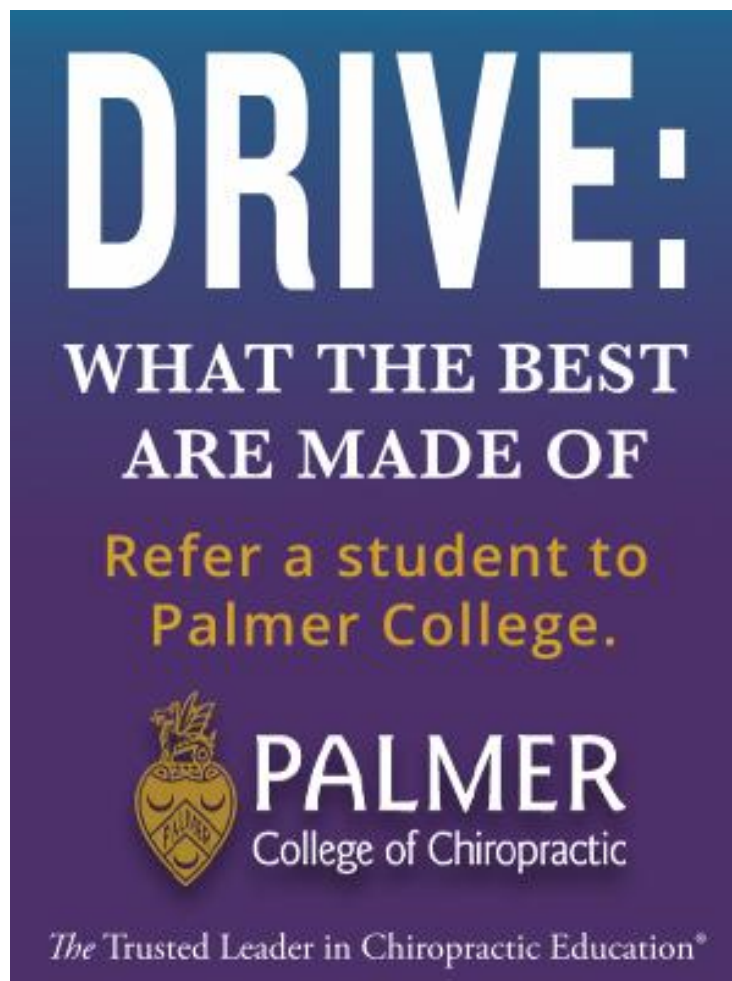
These upcoming classes are sponsored by:
(These classes count for your NCMIC credits)



Upcoming Webinars

- **Wednesday, June 28 at 12:15 p.m. CDT:** ICD-10 Part 111 (New DC focus) with Evan Gwilliam
- **Tuesday, July 18 at 12:15 p.m. CDT:** Pregnancy-Related Pain with Justin Heldebrand, DC
- **Friday, July 25 at 12:15 p.m. CDT:** Nasal Crainial Course – SE District with Darren Roemhildt

[More Classes](#)



Classified Ads

Practices for Sale

- **Profitable & Rooted Chiropractic Practice (including Real Estate) – Northern Minn.**
 - **Minnesota & Wisconsin Practices for Sale from Practice Opportunities, Inc:**
 - Cash/Insurance Practice in Edina, Minn.
 - Part-time Practice for Sale in Northwest Minneapolis Suburb
 - All Cash Practice in Twin Cities Suburb
 - Integrated Practice for Sale in Hudson, Wis.
 - Home/Office Combination for Sale in Fond Du Lac, Wis. Area
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Jobs

- **Practice Relief DC Available**
 - **Front Desk Chiropractic Assistant – Twin Cities Metropolitan Area**
 - **Immediate Opening for a Full-Time Chiropractor: Hutchinson, Minn.**
 - **Chiropractic Associate Wanted: Alexandria, Minn.**
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Are you looking to hire? Do you want to sell or buy? Let MCA help you. For more information click [HERE](#).

An advertisement for NCMIC (National Chiropractic Medical Insurance Company). The left side has a dark blue background with the NCMIC logo at the top. Below it, the text 'We take care of *you* first.' is displayed, with 'you' in yellow. A list follows with four items: 'Not quotas.', 'Not our executives.', 'Not stockholders.', and 'You.' (marked with a green checkmark). At the bottom left is a 'Learn more >' link. On the right, a photo shows a female chiropractor in a patterned top adjusting the neck of a male patient lying on a treatment table. A white box with the text 'WE TAKE CARE OF OUR OWN.' is overlaid on the photo.

Not currently an MCA member?

Become a member [online](#) or by [mail](#) and join the MCA community today!

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