CMA Organized Medical Staff Section:
Advocating for California’s Medical Staffs
Represent medical staffs of California hospitals, health facilities and emerging delivery systems by providing education and advocating for strong self-governance and quality patient care.
OMSS by the Numbers

• 90 out of the 445 acute care hospital medical staffs are members.

• Membership dues range from $500 to $2500 per medical staff.

• 2 delegates and alternate delegates to the CMA House of Delegates
“OMSS membership is truly invaluable for all medical staffs. It gives you critical tools and support to protect medical staff self-governance rights, so that we can provide top notch patient care.”

Damodara Rajasekhar, M.D., OMSS Trustee
2018 Wins

• Tulare Regional Medical Center: Medical staff prevails in legal battle over medical staff self-governance

• CMA Litigation Fund: Medical staffs have contributed significantly to the CMA Legal Defense Fund to support high impact litigation to preserve and establish important legal rights for physicians and medical staffs
OMSS Member Benefits

- **CMA Model Medical Staff Bylaws** – Free and updated annually to reflect state and federal law changes and new Joint Commission standards.

- **OMSS Annual Assembly and Educational Conference** – Free registration and continuing medical education on medical staff specific issues.

- **Legal and Policy Experts** – Free access to information on wide range of medical staff issues including bylaws development, legal rights and sample policy development.
OMSS Member Benefits

• **California Physicians’ Legal Handbook** – Free, online subscription per calendar year for medical staff office directors. This legal handbook includes nearly 5,000 pages of comprehensive legal information, current laws, regulations and court decisions that affect the practice of medicine.

• **Bylaws Review Service** – Receive a discounted rate for CMA’s service to ensure your bylaws are functioning as they should be.

• **OMSS Advocate Newsletter** – Stay on top of the issues that impact medical staffs around the state in this free quarterly newsletter.
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