

DCMA-FMA Tallahassee Update 5-10-05

*2005 Legislative Session is over -
Thank you to all who helped*

Mandatory Med Mal Insurance: Defeated – expected back next year

Amendments 7 and 8: Favorably implemented

Amendment 3: Remains self-implementing

Naturopath Licensing: Defeated – expected back next year

2006 Elections: Fundraising needs to start now

- FL Governor – *recall how important Jeb Bush has been*
- FL Senate: 20 seats - 6 open – *recall how difficult the Senate has been*
 - Mand. Med Mal Bill Sponsor Farkas running for FL Senate
- FL House: 120 seats
- All Congressional Districts
- U.S. Senate: 1/3 of seats including Senator Bill Nelson's

Legislative Impact is not random or free but the result of dedicated DCMA/FMA efforts and yearly support of pro-Medicine legislators.

Please consider contributing \$1000 to “People for a Better Florida” for the 2006 Elections – send to DCMA, 1501 NW North River Drive, Miami 33125.

For us to continue our political relevance, we need your membership and political contributions – they are part of today’s “cost of doing business”.

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