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## **Collier County Medical Society Installs 59<sup>th</sup> President and New Board of Directors**

**Naples, FL (May 18, 2016)**—Collier County Medical Society (CCMS), the local affiliate of the Florida Medical Association and American Medical Association, is pleased to announce the installation of its 2016-2017 president and board of directors.

Rafael C. Haciski, M.D. began his one-year term as the 59<sup>th</sup> CCMS president at the Medical Society's Annual Meeting May 14<sup>th</sup> at the Naples Beach Hotel & Golf Club. This will be his 6<sup>th</sup> year on the CCMS board of directors. Dr. Haciski is a board certified OB-GYN in private practice at Advanced Gynecology, Inc. He has practiced in his field for over 33 years and in Naples since 2007.

The new 2016-2017 CCMS board of directors joining Dr. Haciski are: Dr. Catherine Kowal, Vice President; Dr. Cesar De Leon, Treasurer; Dr. David Wilkinson, Secretary; Dr. Rebekah Bernard, Officer/Director at Large; and Drs. Paul Makhoulouf and Alejandro Perez-Trepichio, Directors at Large.

The board members will lead CCMS in its mission to promote quality healthcare for all patients and serve the professional needs of its members.

"These have been indeed tumultuous times in the practice of medicine," said Dr. Haciski. "I will work as CCMS President to help our physician members engage and participate in the betterment of our professions. Our lives, and our patients' lives, depend on it!"

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**About Collier County Medical Society:** Collier County Medical Society is an organization of physicians dedicated to promoting quality healthcare for all patients and to serving the professional needs of its members. CCMS was founded in 1957 and over the past 50 years has grown to over 550 physician members representing all specialties. Membership is voluntary, and brings together physicians who have an interest in organized medicine and share the goals of maintaining high standards of clinical care in Collier County. CCMS is affiliated with Florida Medical Association and the American Medical Association. For more information on CCMS, visit [ccmsonline.org](http://ccmsonline.org) or call 239.435.7727.

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