

**Massachusetts Medical Society - Massachusetts Health & Hospital Association Joint Task Force on Physician Burnout**

**Commitment Statement**

The goal of the Task Force is to identify and prioritize effective strategies to combat physician burnout and advocate for statewide adoption of identified strategies and practices.

To fulfill this goal, we will review the root causes of physician burnout; consider what has already been written and published as well as our experience and efforts in this regard. We will then review and consider strategies and practices for those areas we choose to focus on and then prioritize accordingly. The Task Force will make recommendations to the MHA Board of Trustees as well as the MMS House of Delegates. Beyond serving our own constituencies, our hope is that we can share our recommendations with other state associations and perhaps other clinicians as well.