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### **MINNEAPOLIS PHYSICIAN ELECTED TO MMA BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**MINNEAPOLIS** – The Minnesota Medical Association has elected Aaron Friedman, M.D., of Minneapolis, to serve a three-year term as an at-large member of the MMA Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees manages the affairs of the MMA between sessions of the House of Delegates.

Friedman is the Ruben-Bentson chair and professor of pediatrics for the University of Minnesota Medical School and pediatrician-in-chief at the University of Minnesota Children's Hospital, Fairview. He chairs a steering committee for an NIH-sponsored clinical trial in pediatric nephrology. Friedman served on the council and as president of the American Society of Pediatric Nephrology. He is a member of the board of directors of the American Board of Pediatrics; served as its secretary treasurer, and currently serves as board chair.

The election was held September 19 in St. Paul during the MMA's 155th Annual Meeting.

The MMA is a professional organization representing about 10,000 physicians, fellows, residents, and medical students in Minnesota.