

  
Councilmember Yvette M. Alexander

A CEREMONIAL RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To recognize September 24, 2014 as Board of Medicine Recognition Day in the District of Columbia.

WHEREAS, the District of Columbia Board of Medicine, founded in 1879, is recognized as a premier regulatory board in the District of Columbia;

WHEREAS, the Board of Medicine regulates physicians, physician assistants, acupuncturists, anesthesiologist assistants, naturopathic physicians, surgical assistants and polysomnographers;

WHEREAS, the Board of Medicine, through its mission, protects and enhances the health, safety, and well-being of District of Columbia residents;

WHEREAS, the Board of Medicine is committed to promote evidence-based best practices in health regulation and high standards of quality care;

WHEREAS, the esteemed members of the Board of Medicine, its Executive Director, and staff work to develop and implement policies that serve to prevent adverse events; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Medicine upholds the laws and monitors and enforces the rules that govern the conduct of the licensed providers they regulate to ensure the safety and protection of the residents of the District of Columbia.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as "District of Columbia Board of Medicine Recognition Day Resolution of 2014".

35           Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia recognizes the importance of the  
36 significant contribution of the Board of Medicine in ensuring the well-being of the residents of  
37 the District of Columbia and declares September 24, 2014 as Board of Medicine Recognition  
38 Day in the District of Columbia.

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40           Sec. 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the first date of publication in  
41 the District of Columbia Register.