

**RESOLUTION 12.2020-31 (A-21)  
SUPPORTING THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN VACCINATION  
AGAINST COVID-19**

**ISMS Board Action Taken on 01/30/2021**

**Adopted Resolution 12.2020-31 (A-21), as submitted.**

**Council on Medical Service Recommendation to ISMS Board on 01/30/2021**

The resolution was proposed in response to reported and first-hand knowledge of concern among patients and some in the health care community about new COVID-19 vaccines, according to the authors. The American Medical Association and ISMS support timely, equitable distribution of vaccines, and the authors believe that ISMS should be on the forefront of supporting the Illinois Department of Public Health's mass vaccination efforts, including producing educational materials and support for state allocations of funding for vaccine distribution.

The Council heard that ISMS has already begun developing education materials on COVID-19 vaccination, including a section of its dedicated COVID-19 resources page as well as webinars and other related materials. The Council strongly supports the intent of this resolution.

The Council on Medical Service recommends that the ISMS Board of Trustees adopt Resolution 12.2020-31 (A-21).