



# Travis County Medical Society

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**August 2024**

Serving over 4,500 members



## MEMBER *spotlight*

**Dr. Zoltan Trizna**  
**Dermatology**

If you have attended a TCMS event, you have probably met Dr. Trizna. He and his wife, Kathy attend most of the social events and he is a regular at TexMed as a TCMS delegate to the TMA. He has been a member since 1977! Members like Dr. Trizna know how to get the most out of membership—they truly appreciate and take advantage of all that TCMS/TMA can do for them. “I am a member because it is a physician-oriented society,” he says. “I participate in most of its social activities—TCMS brings doctors and their families closer to each other. Every member should encourage their colleagues to join.” [Read more.](#)

# Member Applicants

View information and photos of [new TCMS members](#).



## Medicare Action Alert!

Act Now. Contact your U.S. representative and senators and tell them how a new proposed 2.8% pay cut – on top of all the other Medicare pay cuts to physicians over time – will affect your practice and your patients.

Congress must act to stop the proposed pay cut and support the bipartisan House Resolution 2474 to reform Medicare’s broken payment system and ensure physicians receive inflationary updates like hospitals and other Medicare providers receive.

It takes just seconds to send a powerful message to Congress. Washington doesn’t think another cut matters, but we know otherwise. Please TELL YOUR STORY.

Decades of Medicare pay cuts are negatively impacting physician practice viability. This diminishes access to care for ALL patients.

We must ensure our seniors are cared for with the highest standard of care. We must develop a permanent, viable Medicare physician payment system.

Please act now.

Action Alert Information



## Focus on savings.

Discounted tickets for  
TCMS Members, family, and staff.



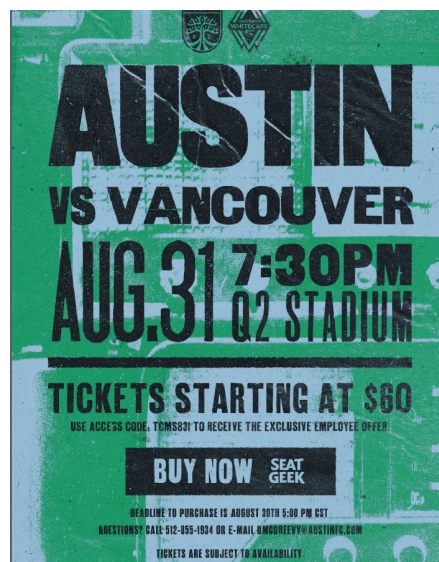
The New Season is Here!  
Discounted Tickets to  
Broadway Austin

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## Discounted Tickets to Austin FC Game on August 31!

*Austin FC has made a limited number of seats available to TCMS members, staff, and their families at the upcoming match vs. Vancouver Whitecaps on Saturday, August 31st at 7:30 pm.*

*Due to demand, there are a limited number of tickets being made available. Deadline to purchase tickets at this rate is on **Friday, August 30th at 5:00pm CST**. Tickets are subject to availability.*



To purchase tickets please follow these instructions: Click [here](#) to access tickets to the match!

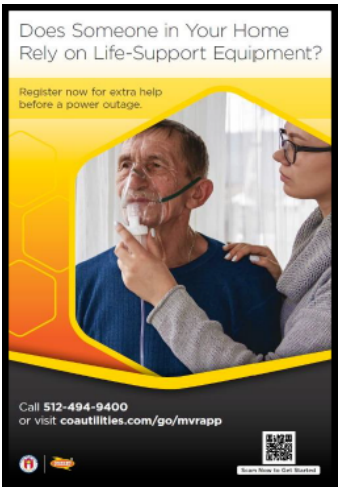
By clicking on the link above, the discount should automatically be applied. If it does not for whatever reason, please enter the code **TCMS831** to access the special rate.

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## Austin Expands Support for Medically Vulnerable Populations



The Medically Vulnerable Registry (MVR) program is designed to help residents whose medical needs require power or water. Dedicated staff help MVR customers proactively plan for utility outages and provide support resources when customers need assistance with utility bills. City Of Austin (COA) Utilities is seeking partners in the medical community to help promote the program and ensure eligible patients receive these benefits.

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## AUSTIN BLACK PHYSICIANS ASSOCIATION FUNDRAISING GALA

# *The Rhythm of Equity*

Saturday, September 14, 2024 | 6:30 PM  
The Junior League | Community Impact Center  
Austin, Texas

**TICKETS ARE LIVE!**

## Austin Black Physicians Association Fundraising Gala Tickets Available



***Tickets to the Sixth Annual Gala are now available.*** Help celebrate the mission to empower current and future Black physicians to bring compassionate, human-centered healthcare to our communities.

Date: Saturday, Sept. 14

Time: 6:30 pm

Place: The Junior League/ Community Impact Center, 5330 Bluffstone Lane

[Purchase Tickets](#)

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