NCMS 2019 Legislative Priorities

NCMS Lead Initiatives

• Prioritize health (improvements) over health care (the system) in all reform efforts.
• Support greater transparency in our health system.
• Ensure that patients have information to understand provider credentials.
• Guard against genuine patient safety threats.
• Defend the 2011 medical malpractice reforms.
• Pursue administrative complexity reductions in health care.

NCMS Supported Initiatives

• Create new options for affordable health coverage.
• Support improvements to rural health infrastructure.
• Fund strong public health initiatives.
• Safeguard patient interests during the Medicaid move to managed care.
• Seek funding for social determinants of health arrangements.
• Update professional licensing statutes for physicians and PAs.

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