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The MDPAC logo icon is a stylized blue and white caduceus, featuring a central staff with two snakes entwined around it and wings at the top.



THE REALITY

Nearly half in MI House of Representatives (54/110) are serving for the first time
Slimmest of margins: 56-54 split in House & 20-18 split in Senate

Expected legislative battles in 2023:

- Address scope of practice expansion bills
- Improve/preserve physician reimbursement
- Reform pre-authorization/ Eliminate step therapy
- Protect against liability reform

THE REALITY

MSMS is the only organization that is fighting for ALL physicians in our state.

- No physicians in the State Legislature
- We need unity of physicians – we need primary care and specialists to come together.
- Nearly **75%** of physicians in the US are now employed by a healthcare system, insurance corporation or private equity groups.

THE REALITY



➤ **2022 member contributions: \$38k**

- ❖ 230 members contributed (<2% of membership)
- ❖ Average individual contribution ~\$250/year



➤ **2022 campaign contributions: \$34k**





Michigan Radiology Political Action Committee



➤ **2022 member donations: \$7,500**

- ❖ 16 members donated (0.02% of members)
- ❖ Average individual donation ~\$500/year










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2022 - Campaign Finance Info

<https://www.michigan.gov/sos/elections/disclosure/cfr>

PAC/number of member donors/	Money Raised (member contributions)	2022 Campaign Contributions	Balance on Hand	Physician Interests
MDPAC / ~250	Physicians: \$45,500	\$72,000	\$56,000	 
MRPAC / 16				
MNA / 600	NPPs: \$109,000	\$89,000	\$218,000	 
MANP / 400				
MANA / 1000				
MAPA / 250				
BC	Admin/Ins: \$1,040,000 +	\$1,054,000	\$904,000	 /  
MHA				

I don't necessarily like the game ...



<https://jacobin.com/2018/11/midterm-elections-corporate-donations-policy>

... but we need to be in it.

What can you do?



Give **TIME** 🕒 - Thank you!

<https://mrpac.org/contributions/>

Give **MONEY*** \$

<https://www.radiologyadvocacy.org/SitePages/HomePage.aspx>

<https://mdpac.org/Donate.aspx>

Give **TIME** 🕒 + **MONEY** \$

What can you do?



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- Maintain active membership**
- Join committees**
- Encourage collaboration**



Thank you!



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