2024 ADDICTION MEDICINE ADVOCACY CONFERENCE

RESOLUTION TEMPLATE INSTRUCTIONS*

Use the following instructions to complete the Resolution Template:

1. Introduced by: Enter the Primary Sponsor (i.e., individual ASAM member's name) and list all co-sponsors (must be an ASAM member) separated by a comma

2. Subject: Enter the title of the resolution which should capture what is being asked in the resolved clauses

3. Whereas: Enter Whereas clauses as formatted in the Resolution Template.

4. Each Whereas clause should end with ; and leading to the next Whereas

5. The final Whereas clause should end with ; therefore be it leading to the first RESOLVED statement

6. RESOLVED: Enter the first RESOLVED statement as formatted in the Resolution Template.

7. The language of each RESOLVED statement should be understood independently and call for a specific action or position

8. If there is more than one RESOLVED statement, each RESOLVED should end with ; and be it further leading to the next/final RESOLVED

9. Adding References

a) List citations to relevant resources that support the information presented in the whereas clauses

b) Follow the example of a reference listing in the sample resolution

10. Adding Relevant ASAM Public Policy Statements

a) Add existing ASAM Public Policy Statements found <u>here</u> that are relevant to the resolution topic

b) Include the title in bold

*Adapted from materials used by the AMA House of Delegates