

PASA Position Statement on Physician Self-Referral Legislation

The Pennsylvanian Ambulatory Surgery Association opposes any legislation that prohibits physician self-referral. PASA supports maintaining choice and access and preserving the highest quality care for all Pennsylvanians.

In furtherance of this position, the association shall:

- OPPOSE legislative policy that will restrict patient choice, convenience and access to the highest quality healthcare;
- OPPOSE any policy that actually contributes to rising healthcare costs ;
- SUPPORT Disclosure of Pricing Information not only for Medicare beneficiaries, but for all patients;
- OPPOSE prohibition of physician self -referrals
- Adhere to all state and federal regulations and licensure;
- Advocate on behalf of members in the advancement of these principles and seek consensus where members are in disagreement.

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