

WORCESTER DISTRICT  
MEDICAL SOCIETY

**26TH ANNUAL  
WOMEN IN MEDICINE  
BREAKFAST**

In Celebration of  
Women In Medicine Month

*Navigating  
your*  
**CAREER PATH;**  
*the value of*  
**LOOKING  
FORWARD**

S P E A K E R :

**Lois Dehls Cornell**

Executive Vice President of the  
Massachusetts Medical Society

FRIDAY, SEPT. 22, 2017

7:30 AM REG. & BREAKFAST

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**Message  
from the Chair  
of the  
WDMS  
Women's Caucus**

Greetings! We hope you will join us for our 26th Annual Women in Medicine Breakfast on Friday, September 22, 2017 at the Beechwood Hotel in Worcester, MA. It will be co-sponsored by the Physicians Insurance Agency of Massachusetts, PIAM. Our speaker will be Lois Dehls Cornell, Executive Vice President of the Massachusetts Medical Society. She will be speaking to us about looking forward as we navigate through our careers. No matter where we are in our careers or life that sounds like good advice. I'm looking forward to hearing her thoughts and hope you will join us. It is a pleasure to serve you as the chair of the Women's Caucus. I look forward to seeing you at our events in the year ahead.



Martha Waite, M.D.  
Chair, Women's  
Caucus

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**ABOUT THE SPEAKER**

**Lois Dehls Cornell** is the Executive Vice President of the Massachusetts Medical Society. Appointed to the position June 1, 2016, Ms. Cornell is responsible for the operation and management of the Society and its operating divisions, and she provides oversight for its several subsidiaries. In addition to its membership advocacy, public health and educational activities, the Society, under the auspices of NEJM Group, publishes the *New England Journal of Medicine*.



Prior to joining the Medical Society, Ms. Cornell spent 24 years at Tufts Health Plan, where she served as Chief Administrative Officer and General Counsel. Prior to joining Tufts Health Plan, Ms. Cornell was an Associate at the Boston law firm of Goodwin Procter.

Ms. Cornell has been recognized for contributions to her profession by Women's Business Boston, which named her one of the *Top 10 Women Corporate Lawyers in Boston*, and Massachusetts Lawyer's Weekly with its *In-House Leaders-in-the-Law Award*. She is also a recipient of the YWCA Boston's *Academy of Women Achievers Award*.

Ms. Cornell serves on the boards of the Pan Massachusetts Challenge and Massachusetts Health Quality Partners, and is a member of the Massachusetts Women's Forum. She is past president of the American Health Lawyers Association.

Ms. Cornell received her B.A. *cum laude* from Macalester College and earned her J.D. from the Northeastern University School of Law. She also completed the Advanced Management Program of Harvard Business School and the Executive Leadership Program of America's Health Insurance Plans.

**REGISTRATION FORM - WOMEN IN MEDICINE BREAKFAST**

Friday, September 22, 2017 ~ Beechwood Hotel, Worcester

Please RSVP by returning this form or E-mailing us no later than **September 13, 2017** to:

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Call 508-753-1579  
You may also register  
on-line at [www.wdms.org](http://www.wdms.org)

I will attend I am a WDMS member  Yes  No

I am unable to attend but am interested in future programs.

Practicing Physician

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Student

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**Women's  
Caucus  
Objectives:**

- ★ Address career issues specific to women physicians and women medical students.
- ★ Promote women's health issues within the Society and the community
- ★ Increase the involvement of women physicians and women medical students in the WDMS
- ★ Increase the number of women physician leaders in the medical community