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68TH ANNUAL MEETI NG OF THE FLORIDA SOCIETY OF MEDICAL ASSISTANTS APRIL 30, 2022 AGENDA

Saturday April 30, 2022

General Session begins at 2:15PM

Presiding: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) FSMA President

Pledge of Allegiance: All members in attendance

Invocation: Marsh Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA)

Welcome: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) FSMA President

First Session of the General Assembly Begins Immediately Following the General Session

Call to Order: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Special Announcement: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) FSMA President

Introduction of FSMA 2021-2022 Officers: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

Introduction of FSMA Past Presidents and Physician Liaison: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

Announcement of General Assembly Appointments: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Report of the Credentials Chair: Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C (AAMA) and Joyce Baldwin, CMA (AAMA)

Approval of the General Assembly Agenda: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Orientation of Voting Members: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of the General Assembly

Adoption of the Convention Rules: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of the General Assembly

Report of the Nominating Chair: Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA) Nominating Chair

Nominations from the Floor: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

Presentation of Candidates: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA), Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

VOTING

Reference Committee Reports: TBA

Report of Voting

Announcement of New Officers: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

Unfinished Business: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

New Business: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Speakers' Closing Statement: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Announcements: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly

Adjournment: Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly



Affiliate of the American Association of Medical Assistants

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Date: April 29, 2022

To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA)

FSMA Speaker of the General Assembly

Linda Vizthum, CMA (AAMA)

FSMA Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

From: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA)

FSMA President

This officer has responded to all e-mails and correspondences in a timely fashion.

This officer is looking forward to the upcoming FSMA seminar via Zoom April 29 and 30, 2022.

Form was filled out and sent to Kathy Langley at AAMA for the Boards choice of AAMA Rep for the Annual Conference. Original AAMA rep was Virginia Thomas, CMA (AAMA). When FSMA switched to zoom, there was a change in our rep. We will be honored to have Shelley Gingrich, CMA (AAMA). Her time to talk about AAMA was

changed to accommodate the time zone difference.

Call to Executive Board was sent out for April 29 and 30, 2022 via e-mail.

This officer has set up all zoom meetings for FSMA. All PowerPoints from speakers have been placed on the FSMA Website.

This officer set up the zoom meeting on Bylaws with Don Balasa, JD MBA. Prior to talking about Bylaws Don brought up the New Nurse Practice Act in Florida. APRN's can oversee the Medical Assistant. Some APRN's are going solo. You can find the information on the Florida Nurse Practice Act on the Florida medical Practice Act. Please direct any questions or concerns to Don Balasa at AAAMA, as this is new.

 At this meeting a general question was asked about states with viable chapters and states wanting to go bi-level what was the solution? Mr. Balasa said if the state has viable active chapters the state would remail Tri-level, protecting chapters that are actively providing CEU's and Board meetings to the Chapter members

There will be a Bylaw proposal regarding FSMA delegates to FSMA made due to concerns of members and not FSMA Board members.

This officer met with The Membership Committee via phone conference regarding the Mid Gulf Chapter. A zoom meeting will be held March 31, 2022, with the members of the chapter. A report will be given at the annual meeting.

This officer was notified March 10, 2022, that FSMA will be allowed five delegates to FSMA to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina October 21-24, 2022

Deadline for AAMA Committee Volunteer is August 1, 2022.

Deadline for Excel Awards is July 1, 2022.

The FSMA Board agreed to sponsor the AAMA Annual meeting in September 2023. Date unknown. Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA) has agreed to be chair and I have agreed to be CO-Chair. This will be a group effort of WE so FSMA can put on a great conference. Looking forward to seeing members step up to help during this meeting. Students and non-board members are welcome to help.

This officer would like to thank Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA) and her team that tried to get a person meeting together this past January 2022. They all pulled together and did an excellent job. Unfortunately, the meeting was changed to zoom due to Covid. Thank you again for making the Education a success. During this process Marsha mentored members and FSMA will have a new Education Chair and and Educators Forum Chair.

 This officer would like to thank Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C (AAMA) for her demanding work with e-blasts and constant contact for all meetings. Will discuss work on website at the upcoming meeting. Mary Lou continues to work on the Website to update to better meet the needs of the FSMA membership.

Tis officer would like to thank Kathryn Panagiotacos, CMA (AAAMA) and the
Membership Committee for the hard work with the North Chapter and now the Mid Gulf
Chapter.

This officers thanks everyone for their hard work and now having other chapters do zoom meetings, means WE are moving forward for the betterment of FSMA.

Hope you all continue to stay safe and well.



Florida Society of Medical Assistants, Inc.

March 12, 2022

TO: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA)
 Speaker of the General Asser

Speaker of the General Assembly

Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

FROM: Mary Morris, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Secretary 2021-2022

RE: Annual Report April 2022

This officer has seen to the duties of FSMA Secretary as outlined in the FSMA Policy and Procedure Manual. This officer has been available to the executive council and all members via email and phone as needed. The task of having the minutes to the President for review by four weeks post meeting has been met.

The Pre Conference executive council minutes from April 16, 2021 were typed up and emailed to FSMA President Marsha Benedict, CMA-A, (AAMA) and Vice President Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) on 5/9/21 for both to review. The Post Conference executive council minutes from April 17, 2021 were emailed to incoming President Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) on 5/16/21 for review. The fall executive council meeting minutes from October 23, 2021 were emailed to Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) on November 14, 2021 for review. The January 22, 2022 winter executive council minutes were sent to President Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) on February 19, 2022 with an email to Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C, (AAMA) on February 20, 2022 for posting of the minutes on the FSMA website. Corrections were made as needed to all minutes.

The taped recording of all minutes is reviewed prior to the final minutes being sent to the FSMA President to ensure the accuracy of the minutes as written. As a reminder, for 2021-2022, we did not have a Vice President.

All of the minutes have been placed on the FSMA web site, in a timely manner, for all members to view prior to each meeting. As of the January 2022 meeting, all minutes on the FSMA website have gone from draft to final status.

It has been a pleasure for this officer to serve as your FSMA Secretary this past year.

AN AFFILIATE OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANTS



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4	To:	Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of General Assembly
5		Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of General Assembly
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7	From	: Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C(AAMA), Treasurer
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9	Re:	Treasurer Annual Report
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12	All fin	ancial data is in order. The FSMA bank accounts are at Bank of America, bank
13	stater	nents have been digitally saved.
14	All ba	nking is done online at the BOA Website.
15	The F	SMA President has always been provided with the Bank Login information.

Florida Society of Medical Assistants, Inc.

2 3 April 30, 2022

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To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Speaker Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker FSMA Executive Board

8 FSMA Liaison

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From: Marsha Benedict MSA, CMA-A (AAMA)

FSMA Past President

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This officer has been available to assist in any FSMA President or FSMA Executive Board requests.

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All correspondence has been answered in a timely manner.



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FLORIDA SOCIETY OF MEDICAL ASSISTANTS

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2 3 4	April 2	29, 2022
5 6 7 8	То:	Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of the General Assembly
9 LO L1		Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly
L2 L3 L4	From:	Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of the General Assembly
15 16 17 18		officer has been available to assist the FSMA Executive Council and FSMA ers when needed. All correspondence has been addressed in a timely fashion.
L9	This o	fficer did attend executive council meetings held virtually via Zoom.
20 21 22 23 24		fficer along with the Vice Speaker of the General Assembly, is prepared to hold the Annual FSMA General Assembly via Zoom on Saturday, April 30, 2022.
25 26 27 28	It was	a pleasure serving FSMA in this capacity.



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3	Date March 16, 2022
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6	To: The FSMA executive board and general assembly
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8	From: Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA)
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10	I have attended meetings, responded to emails in a timely manner and am
11	working on learning the duties of an education committee member and co-chair
12	as well as other duties.



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2 3 4 5	Date: April 29, 2022
6 7 8 9	To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Speaker of the General Assembly Linda Vitzhum, CMA (AAMA)
10 11	FSMA Vice Speaker of the General Assembly
12 13 14 15 16	From: Alice Daniels, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Bylaws Committee Chair
17 18	This Committee Chair has all chapter Bylaws, and they are up to date. The FSMA Bylaws and Policy and Procedure Manual is on the FSMA Website.
19 20 21 22	There has been a proposal Bylaws summited and will be discussed at the AAMA General Assembly on April 30, 2022.
23 24 25 26 27	No other Bylaws has been proposed.



PROPOSED BYLAW CHANGE FOR APRIL 30, 2022, GENERAL ASSMEBLY

Article XIV section 2-B-I

AAMA Delegates and Alternates shall be Active and or AAMA National Life members whose membership has not been revoked.

Add under section H:

AAMA Delegates and Alternates shall be an Active or AAMA national Life whose membership has not been revoked (And must have <u>previously</u> served/or currently serving FSMA on the FSMA Executive Board).

Rational:

By sending experienced members to an AAMA conference as a Delegate/Alternate is a valuable for FSMA

FSMA BUDGET 2021-2022

Description	ACTUAL	BUDGET
INCOME DUES	11465	9000
TOTAL DUES	11465	9000
SEMINARS		
FALL JANUARY	0	2500 2500
JANUARI	U	2500
TOTAL SEMINARS	0	5000
ANNUAL MEETING Registration Income Ways & Means Income	0 0	9000
TOTAL ANNUAL MEETING	0	9000
FUND TRANSFER FOR SPECIAL PROJECTS		
	0	0
	0	0 0
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECTS	0	0
TOTAL INCOME	11465	23000
EXPENSES		
AAMA ANNUAL MEETING		
NATIONAL DEL/ALT	2000	5000
TOTAL AAMA ANNUAL MEETING	2000	5000
SCHOLARSHIPS		
MAXINE WILLIAMS	100	100

FSMA	0	0
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIPS	100	100
SPECIAL PROJECTS TEST (ZELLE) +\$5 -\$5	0 0 0	0 0 0
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECTS	0	0
PRESIDENT Travel Misc Expense	0 0	125 25
TOTAL PRESIDENT	0	150
PRES-ELECT Presidents Gift Packets Misc Expense	0 0 0	50 25 0
TOTAL PRES-ELECT	0	75
SECRETARY Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL SECRETARY	0	10
TREASURER & PIN Bond Pres. Pin Expense	122 0	125 190
TOTAL TREASURER	122	315
SPEAKER / VICE SPEAKER Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL SPEAKER / VICE SPEAKER	0	10
Budget & Finance Misc Expense	0	10

TOTAL Budget & Finance	0	10
BYLAW-P&P		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL BYLAW-P&P	0	10
CERTIFICATION & MEMBERSHIP		
TRAVEL	0	10
AWARDS Misc Expense	0 0	0 0
MISC Expense	U	U
TOTAL CERTIFICATION & MEMBERSHIP	0	10
Communications		
Constant Contact	780	800
Website	119.4	125
Misc Expense SURVEY MONKEY	0	0 350
TOTAL Communications	899.4	1275
	00011	12.0
CONTINUING EDUCATION		
ZOOM MEETINGS	299.9	200
Misc Expense	0	
TOTAL CONTINUING EDUCATION	299.9	200
EDUCATOR ASSEMBLY		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL EDUCATOR ASSEMBLY	0	10
MARKETING & COMMUNITY OUTREACH		
Communication	0	100
Marketing	0	100
Misc Expense	0	0
TOTAL MARKETING	0	200
Meeting Coordinator		
Misc Expense	0	10

TOTAL Meeting Coordinator	0	10
NOMINATING COMMITTEE Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL NOMINATING COMMITTEE	0	10
Annual Meeting Expenses		
AV HOTEL DEPOSIT MADE 06-15-2020 Hotel Expense Room & Reg Pres & AAMA Rep Room & Exp. Color Guard HOD Decorations Installation Reg Supp Speaker Honorarium ZOOM Misc Expense	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 400	1000 0 6000 1000 100 50 350 1500
TOTAL Annual Meeting Expenses	400	10000
Fall Seminar AV Hotel Expense Reg Supplies Speaker Honorarium ZOOM Misc Expense TOTAL Fall Seminar January Meeting 2022 Speaker Honorarium ZOOM	0 400 0 400 500	250 3000 150 500 10 3910
Total January Meeting		
TOTAL EXPENSES TOTAL INCOME	3821.3 11465	17395

FSMA BUDGET 2022-2023

Description	ACTUAL	BUDGET
INCOME DUES	0	11000
TOTAL DUES	0	11000
SEMINARS FALL Ways & Means Income	0 0	2500 30
TOTAL SEMINARS	0	2530
ANNUAL MEETING Registration Income Ways & Means Income	0 0	6200 0
TOTAL ANNUAL MEETING	0	6200
FUND TRANSFER FOR SPECIAL PROJECTS NEW WEBSITE MISC	0	2000
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECTS	0	0 0
TOTAL INCOME	0	19730
EXPENSES		
AAMA ANNUAL MEETING NATIONAL DEL/ALT	0 0	7000 0
Photo	0	0
TOTAL AAMA ANNUAL MEETING	0	7000

SCHOLARSHIPS MAXINE WILLIAMS FSMA/ DAVID KNIGHT AWARD	0 0	100 100
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIPS	0	200
SPECIAL PROJECTS	0 0	0 0
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECTS	0 0	0 0
PRESIDENT Travel Misc Expense	0 0	125 25
TOTAL PRESIDENT	0	0
PRES-ELECT Presidents Gift Packets Misc Expense	0 0 0	50 25 0
TOTAL PRES-ELECT	0	75
SECRETARY Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL SECRETARY	0	10
TREACURED & DIN		
TREASURER & PIN Bond Pres. Pin Expense	0 0	125 200
TOTAL TREASURER	0	325
SPEAKER / VICE SPEAKER Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL SPEAKER / VICE SPEAKER	0	10

Budget & Finance		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL Budget & Finance	0	10
BYLAW-P&P		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL BYLAW-P&P	0	10
CERTIFICATION & MEMBERSHIP		
TRAVEL	0	0
AWARDS	0	0
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL CERTIFICATION & MEMBERSHIP	0	10
Communications		
Constant Contact	0	500
Website	0	2000
Misc Expense	0	0
TOTAL Communications	0	2500
CONTINUING EDUCATION		
ZOOM MEETINGS	0	400
Misc Expense	0	
TOTAL CONTINUING EDUCATION	0	400
EDUCATOR ASSEMBLY Misc Expense	0	100
WISC Expense	U	100
TOTAL EDUCATOR ASSEMBLY	0	100
MARKETING & COMMUNITY OUTREACH	_	
Communication	0	100
Marketing Misc Exposes	0 0	100 0
Misc Expense	U	U
TOTAL MARKETING	0	200

Meeting Coordinator		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL Meeting Coordinator	0	10
NOMINATING COMMITTEE		
Misc Expense	0	10
TOTAL NOMINATING COMMITTEE	0	10
Annual Meeting Expenses		
AV	0	1000
HOTEL DEPOSIT	0	0
Hotel Expense	0	2500
Room & Reg Pres & AAMA Rep Room & Exp.	0	1000
Color Guard HOD	0	100
Decorations Installation	0	50
Reg Supp	0	100
Speaker Honorarium	0	1500
Misc Expense	0	0
TOTAL Annual Meeting Expenses	0	6250
Fall Seminar		
AV	0	250
Hotel Expense		1500
Reg Supplies	0	350
Speaker Honorarium	0	500
Misc Expense	0	0 10
TOTAL Fall Seminar	0	2610
TOTAL EXPENSES	0	19730
TOTAL INCOME	0	19730



Florida Society of Medical Assistants, Inc.

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3	April 30	0,2022
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5	To:	Judith Seymour, CMA (AAMA), Speaker of the General Assembly
6		Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA), Vice Speaker of the General Assembly
7		Executive Board
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9	From:	Theresa Davidson, CMA (AAMA) Brevard Chapter, Treasurer
10		FSMA Meeting Coordinator/Education Chair
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12	FSMA V	Vinter Conference January 22, 2022, was held on ZOOM Meeting
13		Speakers provided an excellent education (5 CEU's)
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15 Phill	ip J. Blat	t, PT, PhD
16 Be S	TEADI fo	or Fall Prevention 1 CEU CG
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18 Holl	y W. Por	neranz D.O.
19 Histo	ory and I	Physical an Art and Skill 1 CEU G
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21 Dr. E	Brian Hai	mzavi
22 Adva	antages	of Regenerative Medicine and Outcomes 1.5 CEU C
27 Jean	ette Tyl	er, CMA (AAMA)
28 Cust	omer Se	rvice in the Medical Office 1.5 CEU AG

30 This chair and committee members: Penny Knight, RMA; Desiree Milan, CCMA, Brian Dickens RCMA 31 Linda Vitzthum CMA (AAMA) and Marsha Benedict CMA-A (AAMA) worked together this past 32 year to develop the agenda and provide CEU's via zoom for FSMA. 33 34 The agendas for this year with topics and speakers can be found below. 35 36 2022 Annual Conference was going to be held at the Holiday Inn Resort; Orlando FI; 13351 State 37 Road 535; instead, we had by ZOOM Meeting. 38 April 30-2022 39 40 Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) 41 Adulting with ADHD 42 43 Desiree Millan 44 The Human Trafficking Epidemic within Florida and what Healthcare Providers need to Know 45 43 Many thanks to Mary Lou Allison for sending Constant Contact and taking care of registration. 44 Maria Wiegelmann has been our second eye by critiquing and helping with the CEU process. It takes 45 a team to make an event this large happen. 46 47 FSMA networking is have been fabulous this year. We should all be proud of the accomplishments of 48 FSMA and our chapters that have held FSMA together during this pandemic with free virtual CEU 49 sessions. The topics for Education are always interesting knowing there is always "something" to 50 learn. Send your ideas to the 2022-2023 Education Chair if you have topics or speakers. 51 52 United we make a great and effective team. 53 CC: Penny Knight CCMA (NHA); Theresa Davidson, Desiree Milan, Brian Dickens

04.29.2022

To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of General Assembly

Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of General Assembly

From: Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C(AAMA)

Re: Communications and Web Annual Report

This Committee has Designed, Formatted and Posted everything requested by FSMA Committees, Chapters and Officers on the FSMA Website, FSMA Facebook and FSMA Constant Contact in a timely manner.

At the January FSMA Zoom Meeting, a Committee was formed to investigate replacing the current FSMA Website with an updated design. The Committee had a Zoom meeting on 3.10.2022. I had done some research before our meeting and we discussed multiple topics. I received an email address for a Web Design Company https://gatorwebs.com/, it is used by another Society and they are very pleased with what they have done and said it wasn't too expensive, the committee members reviewed the other Society Website and we were all impressed with the design. I made an initial contact via email with the Developer. I had a lengthy phone conversation on 3.16.2022 with the Design gentleman about the FSMA's desire to update and redo our website. He understood exactly what we are trying to do and will be sending a proposal within the next week.

We received this proposal by GatorWebs. President Jozefiak took a vote of the Executive Council to accept this proposal. The members voted unanimously to accept.

Jeanette Tyler and Linda Vitzthum are going to develop a simple survey to go on the FSMA Facebook page to see which social media venue's most members use. I made each of them Administrators of the FSMA Facebook Page so they can accomplish it without problems.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve FSMA

Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C (AAMA)

Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA)

Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA)



2 3	Date:	March 18, 2022	
4 5	То:	Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA), CCRC Speaker of the General Assembly	
6 7 8		Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of the General Assembly	
9 10 11 12 13 14	From:	Kathryn Panagiotacos, CMA (AAMA) Chair, Membership & Certification Committee 2021-2022 Betty Springer, CMA-C (AAMA), Member Christine Petsalis, CMA (AAMA), Member	
15	RE:	Membership Committee Annual Report	
16 17	•	Committee: TO INCREASE/RETAIN MEMBERS, SUPPORT CHAPTER ENT IN THE PROCESS	
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20	This Commi	ttee reviewed the AAMA Member non-renewal lists for period ending 2021.	
21 22 23 24	22 anticipated to be a larger number secondary to virus and economy impacts. Of note is 23 that it was surmised that the number of nonrenewal was somewhat positively influenced		
25 26 27 28 29 30	constant contact memos were forwarded to the general FSMA population with a message of "looking for youwith links to renew and ask questions, as well as mailings by Chapter from the Chapter President to those area non renewals with a picture of the President for a "one on one" visual, contact info. Results are not yet calculated.		
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	Mar 2022	Dec 2021	Dec 2020
Total Membership	782	1343	967
Associates	66	152	168

- 33 **New Members: 195** (January December 2021)
- There will be an addendum which will include reference to statistics that will be accurate
- 35 to the business year.

36 Certification

- Email correspondence to new CMAs, mostly nonmembers. This was a congratulatory
- message from "your FSMA colleagues" with a "looking forward to you joining us"
- 39 message. Example attached.

New CMAs & Recerts

New CMA	96
Recertified	283

- 40 Committee held several discussions and multiple email correspondence regarding the
- 41 issue of Mid Gulf Coast Chapter which was confirmed to be without active leadership.
- The leaders of record were contacted, (members or not) with notice of meeting with
- Committee, President Jozefiak to discuss and evaluate the status of the Chapter and
- assist with recommendations to revitalize or redistribute the Chapter membership.
- 45 The first ZOOM meeting was for Leaders of Record only, and the Chapter membership
- was also contacted to attend the meeting following. This meeting is scheduled for
- 47 March 31, 2022, and the information gathered with recommendation will be forwarded to
- 48 the FSMA Board for final action.

49 TO BE COMPLETED:

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- Facebook project of "selfies" of Chapter and State Officers with encouragement for our Florida Medical Assistants to share their workday "selfie" with a message to their
- 53 colleagues.

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- 55 Encourage Chapters to share their Events on the FSMA Web Page special Chapter
- Page (to be developed) So that there can be pictures of an event, special recognition
- 57 announcement....

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- Possibly contact large employers, etc. with help of Chapters to develop a "SPOT ON
- 60 JOBS" TO BE VIEWED BY MEMBERS ONLY.

As term is ending, create a subcommittee to add a Committee contribution with

62 MEMBERSHIP AMBASSADORS, creating an ability to share and train future Leaders,

assist with assigned tasks on Chapter.

To continue support of redevelopment/modernize web page with members only in

65 certain areas.

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71 72 It is to be noted that work schedules, with COVID influenced changes and shortage of appropriately qualified help in offices may create difficulties for volunteers to complete all tasks within the anticipated time frames, and it is recommended that a preliminary "anticipated schedule" be formulated at the beginning of the member year so that Constant Contact, Web entries, data secondary to information request from national, etc. be taken into consideration to reduce the last minute/rush requests for completion, added stress and at times.

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- 75 This Committee wants to thank Chapter Leaders, President Jozefiak, Web
- 76 Master/Constant Contact production from Mary Lou Allison, Nick Mickowski, AAMA
- 77 Continuing Education/Membership Manager. And those members who graciously
- helped in various areas of projects.

Florida State Society Monthly Membership Statistics March 17, 2022

Member Type Totals		
Active		633
Associate		66
Sustaining		5
Student		68
Affiliate		13
	Total:	785

At-Large Member Total

Total:

At-Large CMA Total

CMA Total by Chapter FL003 75 FL004 78 FL010 187 FL026 141 FL037 42 FL039 62 FL038 45 Total: 630

Member Type Total by Chapter		
FL003 Brevard		
Active	78	
Associate	11	
Sustaining	2	
Student	12	
Affiliate	1	
	104	
FL004 Southwest		
Active	78	
Associate	7	
Student	2	
Affiliate	4	
	91	
FL010 Central Florida		
Active	184	
Associate	18	
Sustaining	2	
Student	13	
Affiliate	1	
	218	
FL026 Central Gulf Coast		
Active	153	
Associate	12	
Student	6	
Affiliate	1	
	172	
FL037 Treasure Coast		
Active	36	
Associate	4	
Sustaining	1	
Student	16	
	57	
FL039 Southeast		
Active	59	
Associate	13	
Student	18	
Affiliate	6	
	96	
FL038 Mid Gulf Coast		
Active	45	
Associate	1	
Student	1	
	47	
Tota	al: 785	

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

RENEW, RENEW!!!

For the Chapter to continue

WE NEED YOU

New faces can make all the difference Help to revitalize the Chapter so MEMBERS continue to be served for years to come

CENTRAL GULF COAST CHAPTER



WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME YOU BACK

KATHRYN PANAGIOTACOS, CMA(AAMA) CHAPTER PRESIDENT, FSMA MEMBERSHIP CHAIR AAMA PAST PRESIDENT

Just a reminder to let you know you have been missed!

Letting you know there are opportunities available for Virtual Continuing Education,

Connecting with medical assistants and now is the time to RENEW your membership!!

uld you have any questions, please contact me.

NOW IS THE TIME TO RENEW

With regards, Fellow Member, Kathryn

"HEY! WE MISS YOU!!"

WE HAVEN'T SEEN YOU AROUND FOR A WHILE! You've been a member of the AAMA before, so you already know there are so many benefits...AND, especially

- being a member of THE BREVARD CHAPTER
- FREE Virtual CEU Events
- Networking and fellowship on our Facebook group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/BrevardMedical Assistants
- Opportunities to meet other medical assistants from around Florida at Florida Society Meetings
- Opportunities to meet other medical assistants from ALL OVER the US at AAMA National Conferences (it's in Orlando in 2023!!)

As President of the Brevard Chapter, I'd love to see you at our next meeting!

In the meanwhile, if you have any questions, please feel free to send us an



BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU!! MISS YOU!! WHERE HAVE

YOU BEEN??

WE know what an uneasy time it has been for those in our health care professio

A MESSAGE FOR SOUTHWEST FORMER MEMBERS FROM DENIECE JOSEFIAK, CMA(AAMA) FSMA PRESIDENT SOUTHWEST CHAPTER PRESIDENT



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AAMA/FSMA/CHAPTER

The future of FSMA **Multiple Chapters now**

Meetings to keep to encourage others to

reach members and non

IMPORTANT

NEW MEMBERS,

THIS PAST YEAR WITH COVID HAS LATE NIGHTS, MASK RASH, UPSET



RENEWING MEMBERS

BEEN DIFFICULT...

PATIENTS...

RIGID SANITIZING PROTOCOLS TO KEEP FAMILY SAFE...

To recognize your contributions during these difficult times:

AAMA IS NOW OFFERING

MEMBERSHIP (NEW/RENEWAL) DISCOUNTS

"New or renewing member (if you have ever been an AAMA member):
Join on or after July 1,2021 and receive membership through
December 31, 2022. Early Bird Special! If you sign up for AAMA membership
online between July 1 and October 31 (before midnight), you will receive an \$8
discount! (Discount does not apply to student members.)"



KNOCK-KNOCK IS ANYONE THERE???? The Southeast Chapter is waiting for YOU To come back to your Chapter Home. We know times are hard and so busy, and it's so Easy to forget to RENEW your AAMA DUES. Membership gives you opportunities to keep your Medical Assisting Credential current

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April 30, 2022

To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) FSMA Speaker

Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker

FSMA Executive Board

FSMA Liaison

From: Marsha Benedict, CMA-A (AAMA)

Nominating Chair

This chairperson has been available to assist FSMA Executive Council and FSMA members when needed. All correspondence has been answered in a timely fashion.

This chairperson requested an e-blast be sent to members asking for volunteers to run for elected offices within this society to serve for the 2022-2023 year. An email was sent to chapter presidents asking for their assistance in reaching out to their members for volunteers to fill the elected positions, committees, and delegates for the 2022-2023 year. Request was made at the Winter zoom conference for volunteers.

Volunteer forms are available on the website for members who wish to volunteer for a committee position, officer for 2022-2023 or Delegate to the AAMA Annual Conference. Volunteers may still enter their names at the time of the General Assembly by presenting their forms to the Nominating Committee Chair prior to the elections.

The following slate of officers that have provided the required volunteer form:

32 President Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA

33 Vice President Open

34 Secretary Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA)
 35 Treasurer Mary Lou Allison CMA-C (AAMA)
 36 Speaker Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA)
 37 Vice Speaker Maria Wiegelmann, CMA (AAMA)

Candidates for Delegate to AAMA Conference Myrtle Beach, SC October 21-24,2022.

41 Mary Lou Allison CMA-C (AAMA)
42 Marsha Benedict CMA-A (AAMA)
43 Theresa Davidson CMA (AAMA)
44 Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA)
45 Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA)
46 Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA)

Ballot included for voting purposes.	
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102 Thank you for the opportunity to serve the Florida Society of Medical Assistants and thank you
103 to all the volunteers.
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105 CC: Chapter Presidents

BALLOT

2022-2023

OFFICERS

VOTE FOR ONE IN EACH OFFICER POSITION BY PLACING AN "X" IN THE APPROPRIATE BOX

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1 2 March 15, 2022 3 Date: 4 5 6 To: Denise Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) 7 **FSMA** President 8 9 Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA) From: President, Brevard County Chapter of Medical Assistants 10 11 12 The Brevard Chapter presented the following programs for continuing education: 13 14 15 October 2021: Adulting with ADHD November 2021: Wound Care Basics 16 December 2021: off for the holiday 17 January 2022: Customer Service in the Medical Office 18 February 2022: no speaker 19 20 21 There are programs scheduled for March, April, May and June 2022. 22 The following members will serve as officers for 2022-2023: 23 24 President: Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA) 25 Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice-President: 26 27 Secretary: Nicole (Sirry) Burgess, CMA (AAMA) Treasurer: Theresa Davidson, CMA (AAMA) 28 29 Respectfully submitted, 30 31 Jeanette Tyler, CMA (AAMA) 32 33 34 35 36



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1 March 12, 2022

To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA)
Speaker of the General Assembly

Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA)

Vice Speaker of the General Assembly

From: Mary Morris, CMA (AAMA)

Central Florida Chapter President

Re: Annual Central Florida Chapter Report April 2022

The Central Florida Chapter services the following counties: Lake, Levy, Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Polk and Volusia counties.

The Central Florida chapter continues to welcome those members that were part of the North Florida Chapter and reside in the North Central section. As the North Florida Chapter works to revitalize their chapter, we welcome these members with open arms.

At this time, the Central Florida Chapter continues to not meet in person. The officers will revisit the way we meet and the future of the chapter, when the chapter offers a Zoom CEU with a business meeting to follow on Saturday, May 14, 2022 at 10:00 am.

The Central Florida chapter continues to struggle with finding new members to step up and volunteer for officer positions. This was a problem prior to the pandemic, but only made worse with the pandemic. It remains to be seen how things will play out in the immediate future. We must find new members to help fill these important positions so that the chapter can continue to thrive and exist. The future of the Central Florida chapter is most definitely in jeopardy without participation by members. Without any change by mid year 2023, the Central Florida chapter will have no choice but to be absorbed by other chapters that are still in existence and hopefully thriving.

The pandemic has allowed all members ample opportunity to earn CEUS if they choose to do so via Zoom and other platforms. Thanks once again to the Southwest Chapter and Brevard chapter for offering CEUS during the pandemic. Chapter members can visit the AAMA website for additional CEUS being offered by other states as well.

Thank you to Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C, (AAMA), Web Master and Marketing and Communications Chair for posting all chapter updates and job opportunities in a timely manner via the website and eBlasts. We do invite all members to follow the Central Florida Chapter of Medical Assistants Face book page for the latest updates and happenings with the chapter.



DATE: April 29, 2022

TO: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) FSMA, Speaker General Assembly
Linda Vizthum, CMA (AAMA) FSMA, Vice Speaker General Assembly

FROM: Kathryn J. Panagiotacos, CMA, President-Central Gulf Coast Chapter

RE: Central Gulf Coast Chapter - General Assembly Annual Report

The Central Gulf Coast Chapter current Membership is as of March 2022 #172.

The Central Gulf Coast Chapter has not met face to face since the beginning of the Covid pandemic. The officers of the chapter have had many Conference calls during this past year, discussing the possibilities for future Chapter activities. Several officers met in February 2022, a decision was agreed to plan and present a Virtual meeting for Continuing Education on Saturday, April 2, 2022 (a day and time agreed on by President Jozefiak as an available opportunity). The topic is: Chronic Stable Angina & Heart Failure for 2 CEUs (approved by AAMA) has been placed on the FSMA website along with details to the FSMA membership, we also wish to thank Marylou Allison, CMA-C (AAMA) for assistance. Plans are being made to prepare a Fall Virtual CE meeting 2022. There has been discussion to reach the CGCC members through an updated Chapter page on FSMA website. Also, to communicate to the members with Constant Contact to share the start up of activities, a Zoom chapter session to invite current members to reconnect, new CMAs to meet, seasoned members also, for all present to share their ideas as well.

The members of the Central Gulf Coast Chapter thank Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA) for her support and availability to the members of the Central Gulf Coast Chapter.



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04-29-2922 1 2 3 4 To: Judy Seymour, CMA (AAMA) Speaker of General Assembly Linda Vitzthum, CMA (AAMA) Vice Speaker of General Assembly 5 6 7 From: Joyce Baldwin, CMA (AAMA), President SouthEast Chapter 8 9 Re: Southeast Chapter Report Annual Report 10 11 The Southeast Chapter has not had formal meetings this year. We have provided our membership with online information regarding job openings within our chapter. We also 12 use the communication opportunities supplied by the FSMA with the Constant Contact 13 e-mails, our Chapter Web Page and Facebook 14 We provided Speaker information to the Meetings Committee for the January meeting. 15 We also continued our sponsorship of providing refreshments to the Medical Assisting 16 Schools in our Chapter for Medical Assistants Day. 17



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1	Date: April 29, 2022	
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3 4	To:	Deniece Jozefiak CMA AAMA)
5		FSMA President
6 7		FSMA Executive Board
8	From: Deniece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA)	
9		South West Chapter President
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11	The South West Chapter of Medical Assistants continues to hold zoom meetings open	
12	to all AAMA members. Speakers have helped from multi states as they attend the zoom	
13	meeti	ngs.
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15	The chapter continues to use Facebook as a way of contact. The Board is also on group	
16	text if	needed.
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18		Chapter President thanks Mary Lou Allison, CMA-C, AAMA for all her demanding
19	work	sending out the e-blasts for our zoom meetings.
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21	The c	hapter is happy to see other chapters offering zoom meetings. It is great for FSMA
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23		ece Jozefiak, CMA (AAMA)
24	South	West Chapter President
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opportunities.

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2 Affiliate of the American Association of Medical Assistants 3 4 Date: March 1, 2022 5 6 7 To: President of the General Assembly 8 Deniece Jozefiak, CMA(AAMA) 9 Treasure Coast Chapter Annual Report 10 11 From: Treasure Coast Chapter 12 13 The Treasure Coast Chapter of Medical Assistants consists of Martin, St. Lucie, Indian 14 River, and Okeechobee counties. The chapter continues to hold various events to its 15 members. 16 Our 2021-22 meetings would have been combined with our free continued educational 17 topics and held between January-April and September-November. We traditionally 18 would meet at least monthly however, due to COVID 19 all in-person meetings have been cancelled. 19 20 We have not had our chapter elections to determine the 2022-23 board. The chapter 21 meeting is scheduled for April 4, 2022 and decisions will be made at that time and will 22 be sent to FSMA, Inc. 23 In keeping with COVID 19 recommendations, business meetings for the chapter were 24 conducted via ZOOM. It was decided by the board to continue to promote ZOOM CEU 25 educational opportunities offered through the FSMA and AAMA websites and constant contact. TC Chapter FaceBook page continues to be a valuable platform for 26 27 communication. 28 On behalf of the Treasure Coast Chapter, we would like to thank those who support our 29 chapter during the year. We appreciate your time, support, understanding, mentorship, 30 and guidance in our success. We look forward to your continued support and new