

LAC26 on Capitol Hill

Emergency physicians from across the country gathered on the steps of the U.S. Capitol to kick off the 2026 ACEP Leadership and Advocacy Conference (LAC26), beginning more than 200 meetings with House and Senate offices.

Maine Chapter ACEP (MEACEP) attendees included:

- Dr. James Blum
- Dr. Brandon Giberson
- Dr. E. Chin Mak
- Dr. James Mullen
- Dr. Sheldon Stevenson
- Sarah Nelson, Executive Director

With a unified message, emergency physicians met with lawmakers to bring frontline emergency department experiences into the conversation and to advocate for solutions that strengthen emergency medicine, protect patients, and support the health care safety net.



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