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The Michigan Psychiatric Society (MPS) is a professional medical society representing over 800 psychiatrists and psychiatric residents across the state of Michigan. Founded in 1908, MPS has served as the voice of Michigan psychiatry for more than a century. Our mission is to represent the interests and professional needs of psychiatric physicians in Michigan while striving to ensure quality care for people with mental disorders and their families through promotion of education, research, and advocacy.

The Michigan Psychiatric Society supports MSMS in its opposition to ballot Proposal 18-1. We share the concerns about the health risks posed by marijuana, especially to adolescents and those susceptible to developing mental illnesses. Exposing the population at large to this potential neurotoxin outside of established FDA methods of study for new therapeutic agents is dangerous.

Sincerely,

President