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LOBBYING REPORT

Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 5) - All Filers Are Required to Complete This Page

1. Registrant name				
Organization	American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)			
2. Address <input type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported				
City	2121 K Street NW	State	DC	Suite 325
City	Washington	State	DC	Zip Code 20037
3. Principal place of business (if different than line 2)				
City		State		Zip Code
City		State/Zip or Country		Country
4a. Contact Name		b. Telephone number	c. E-mail	5. Senate ID #
Prefix	Full Name			
Mr.	Gordon B. Wheeler	202-728-0610	lgonzales@acep.org	3172100
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self				6. House ID #
American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)				3172100

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2005 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report Termination Date 11. No Lobbying Act

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13

<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → \$ <u> </u></p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → \$ <u>1,018,163</u></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate appropriate accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions of lobbying</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of Internal Revenue Code</p>
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Registrant Name American College of Emergency Physician Client Name American College of Emergency P

LOBBYING ACTIVITY. Select as many codes as necessary to reflect the general issue areas in which th engaged in lobbying on behalf of the client during the reporting period. **Using a separate page for each co** information as requested. Attach additional page(s) as needed.

15. General issue area code BUD - Budget/Appropriations (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

S.CON.RES.18 - Senate Budget Resolution - Resolved by the Senate

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U. S. House of Representatives
U. S. Senate
The White House

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area *Add a page to continue adding lobbyists for*

First Name	Name Last Name	Suffix	Covered Official Position (if applicable)
Gordon	Wheeler		Associate Executive Director-Public Affairs
Mark	Cribben		Political Action Director
Ann	LaBelle		Congressional Affairs Director
Barbara	Marone		Federal Affairs Director

19. Interest of each foreign entity in the specific issues listed on line 16 above Check if None

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15. General issue area code HCR - Health Issues (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.534 - Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare (HEALTH) Act of 2005
 H.R.1812 - Patient Navigator Outreach and Chronic Disease Prevention Act of 2005
 H.R.2259 - Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 2005
 H.R.2356 - Preserving Patient Access to Physicians Act of 2005
 H.R.2731 - Emergency Care Liability Relief Act

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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area HCR

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

H.R.3010 - Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006

S.4 - Healthy America Act of 2005

S.CON.RES.18 - Senate Budget Resolution - Resolved by the Senate

S.338 - Bipartisan Commission on Medicaid Act of 2005

S.544 - Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2005

S.760 - Wakefield Act

S.1223 - Information Technology for Health Care Quality Act

Patient Safety Concerns with Timely Interpretation of Diagnostic X-Rays and Other Imaging Services Provided by the Emergency Department

Nomination of Governor Mike Leavitt for Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (Alliance of Specialty Medicine)

RE: Comments on CMS' Draft Guidance Documents: (1) Factors CMS Considers in Opening a National Coverage Determination; (2) Factors CMS Considers in Referring Topics to the Medicare Coverage Advisory Committee and (3) Factors CMS Considers in Commissioning External Technology Assessments. (Alliance of Specialty Medicine).

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15. General issue area code HOM - Homeland Security (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

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H.R. 1544 - Faster and Smarter Funding for First Responders Act of 2005

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15. General issue area code MED - Medical/Disease Research/Clinical Labs (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.534 - Help Efficient, Accessible, Low-cost, Timely Healthcare (HEALTH) Act of 2005
H.R.2259 - Patients' Bill of Rights Act of 2005
H.R.2356 - Preserving Patient Access to Physicians Act of 2005
H.R.2731 - Emergency Care Liability Relief Act
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area MED

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

S.4 - Healthy America Act of 2005
 S.CON.RES.18 - Senate Budget Resolution - Resolved by the Senate
 S.544 - Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2005
 S.760 - Wakefield Act
 S.1223 - Information Technology for Health Care Quality Act

Patient Safety Concerns with Timely Interpretation of Diagnostic X-Rays and Other Imaging Services Provided by the Emergency Department

Nomination of Governor Mike Leavitt for Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (Allied Specialty Medicine)

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15. General issue area code MMM - Medicare/Medicaid (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

H.R.2356 - Preserving Patient Access to Physicians Act of 2005
 H.R.3010 - Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006
 S.CON.RES.18 - Senate Budget Resolution - Resolved by the Senate
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ADDENDUM for General Lobbying Issue Area MMM

16. Specific lobbying issues (continued from previous page)

REF: CMS-1282-P: Medicare Program: Prospective Payment and Consolidated Billing for Skilled Nursing Facilities for FY2006

APC Advisory Panel Nomination

Nomination of Governor Mike Leavitt for Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (Allia Specialty Medicine)

Statement of the Alliance of Specialty Medicine to the Practicing Physicians Advisory Committee - - Medic Payment to Physicians and "Pay-for-Performance"

RE: Comments on CMS' Draft Guidance Documents: (1) Factors CMS Considers in Opening a National C Determination; (2) Factors CMS Considers in Referring Topics to the Medicare Coverage Advisory Commi and (3) Factors CMS Considers in Commissioning External Technology Assessments. (Alliance of Special Medicine)

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15. General issue area code TRA - Transportation (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues *Add page to continue specific issues description for this issue*

H.R.3 - Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation-Equity Act of 2005

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Information Update Page - Complete ONLY where registration information has changed.

20. Client new address

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Country

21. Client new principal place of business (if different than line 20)

City

State

Zip Code

Country

22. New general description of client's business or activities

LOBBYIST UPDATE

23. Name of each previously reported individual who is **no longer** expected to act as a lobbyist for the client

First Name

Last Name

Suffix

First Name

Last Name

1

Ann

LaBelle

3

2

Mark

Cribben

4

ISSUE UPDATE

24. General lobbying issues that **no longer** pertain

Find the code to select below:

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

25. Add the following affiliated organization(s)

Name	Address	Principal place of Business (city and state or country)
Doctors For Medical Liability Reform	Address ACOS 1640 Wisconsin Ave NE C/S/Z	City Washington State DC Country
Alliance of Specialty Medicine	Address ACEP 2121 K Street NW, Suite 325 C/S/Z	City Washington State DC

26. Name of each previously reported organization that is **no longer** affiliated with the registrant or client

1

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FOREIGN ENTITIES

27. Add the following foreign entities

Name	Street Address City	Address State/Province Country	Principal place of business (city and state or country) City State Country	Amount of contribution for lobbying activities	Overseas per cli

28. Name of each previously reported foreign entity that **no longer** owns, **or** controls, **or** is affiliated with the registrant, affiliated organization

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