



# Hospital Associations and Their Role in Developing the Future of Physician Access

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# Mission of State Hospital Associations

- To create an environment that enables member hospitals and health care systems to improve the health of their patients and communities.
  - Advocacy
  - Education
  - Programming
  - Partnerships



# Advocacy



# 10 Rural Health Issues

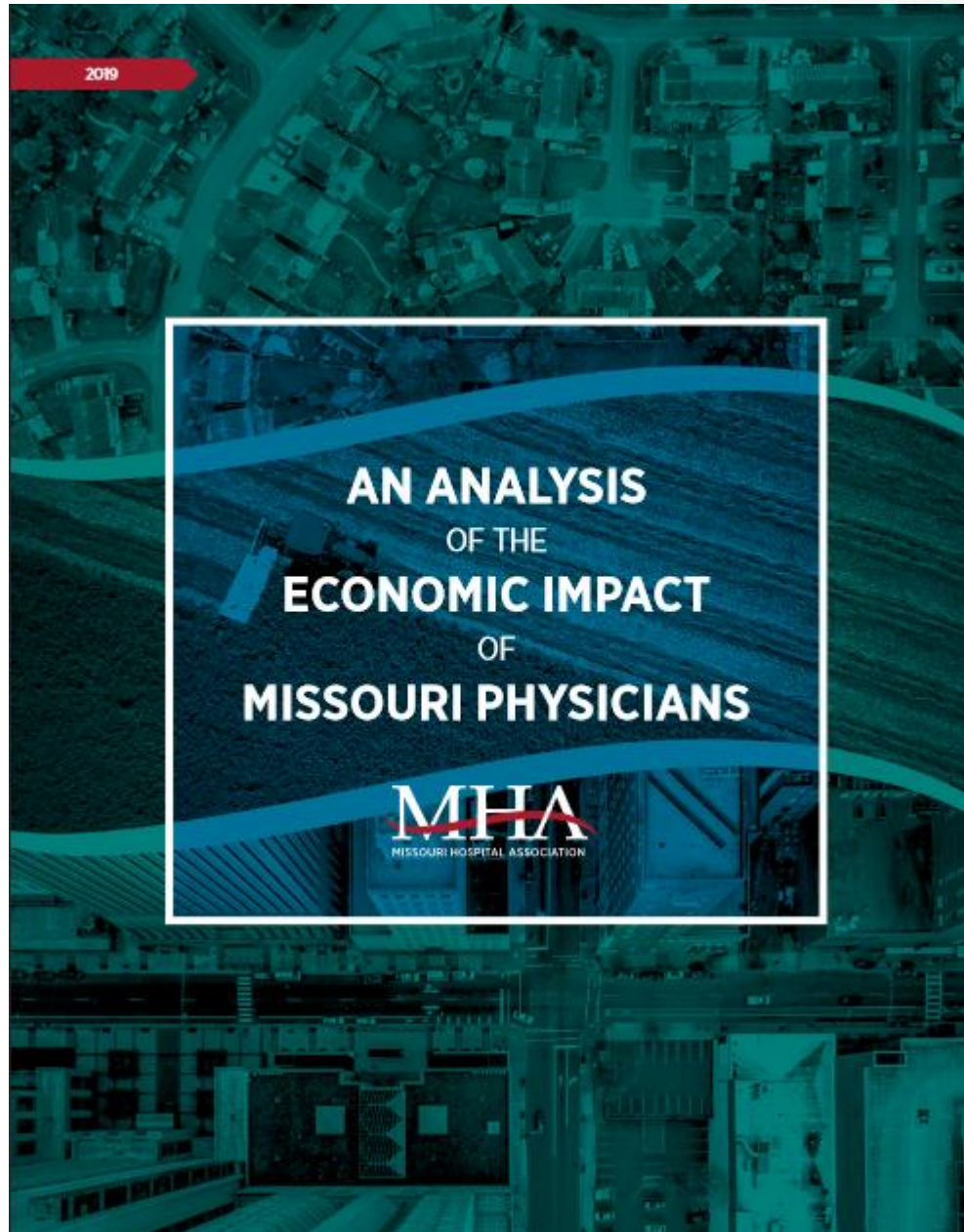
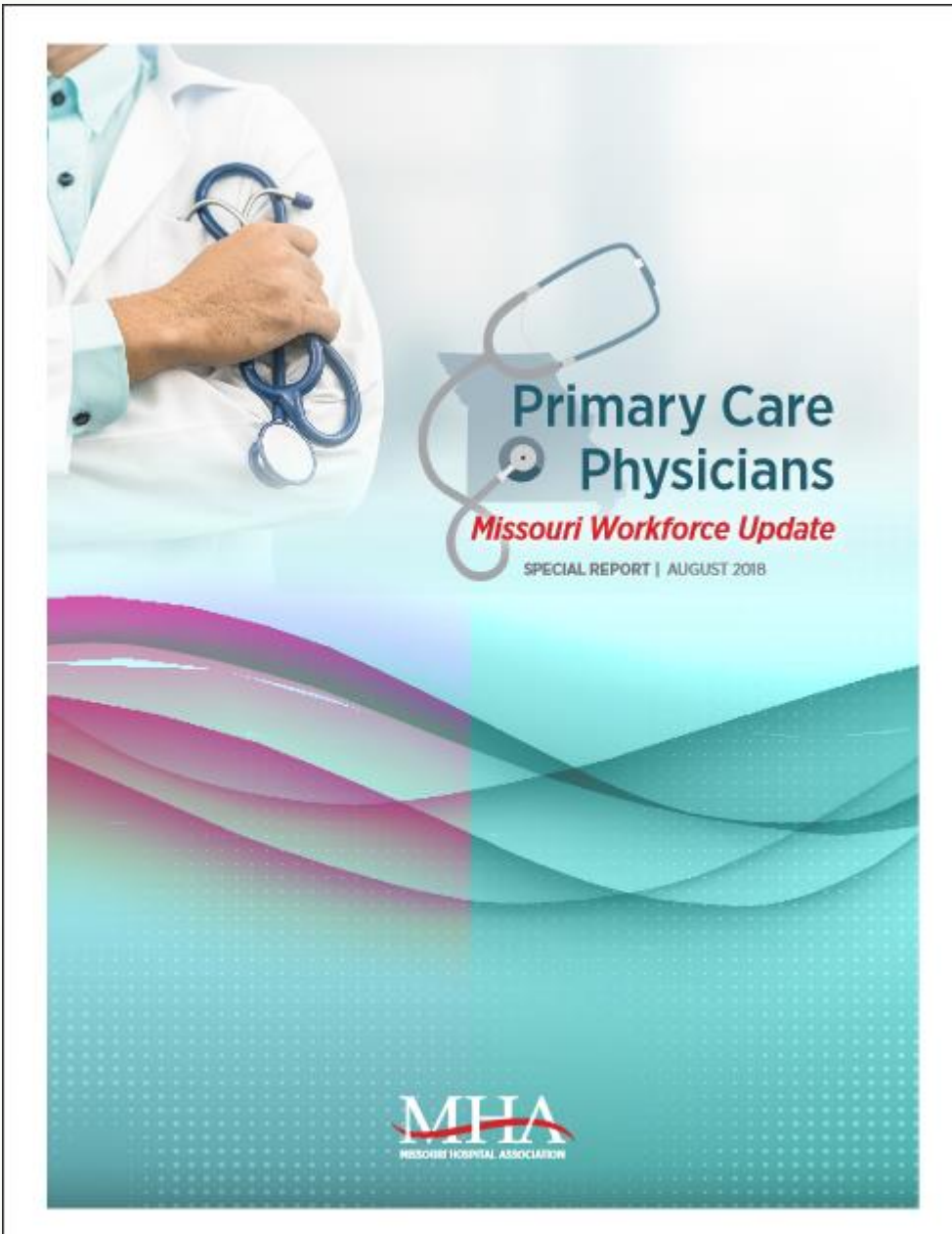
1. Expand Access to Behavioral Health Services
2. Expand Access to Primary Care Providers
3. Increase Access to Care for Substance Use Disorder
4. Ensure Access to Quality Health Care
5. Allow and Encourage Innovative Payment Models
6. Collaborate to Identify and Address Social Determinants of Health
7. Expand Telehealth and Telemedicine
8. Advocate for Improved Infrastructure
9. Support Emergency Services
10. Empower Partnerships



# Advocacy

- Legislative
  - Collaborative Practice Arrangements
    - More distance, More Providers
  - CNA Training
- Regulatory
  - Represent positions before professional boards
- Reports
  - Primary Care Physicians – Workforce Update







# Education

- Clinical Faculty Academy
- Preceptor Academy
- Mentoring Toolkits



# Tools

- Physician Bona Fide Employment Contracting Guide
- Model Medical Staff Bylaws



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## Physician Bona Fide Employment CONTRACTING GUIDE





# Partnerships

- Full Employment Council
- Health Professions Opportunity Grant
- Primary Care Resource Initiative for Missouri
- Health Career Pathways Initiative



# Putting it all Together

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