



SECRETARIAT REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 2023 <u>HIGHLIGHTS</u>

The Secretariat activities for the month of January, 2023 are highlighted as follows:

<u>WEEK 3</u>

 NMA President Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah attended a Stakeholders Dissemination Workshop on Meeting mobility Needs of the Older Person in Nigeria. This held on 19th January, 2023 at Top-View Hotel, Abuja.

WEEK 4

- Dr. Ofem Enang, Chairman Advocacy, Monitoring and Evaluation Committee represented the NMA President Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah at the National Executive Council (NEC) meeting of the Nigerian Association of Resident Doctors (NARD) held from 24th to 28th of January, 2023 at Uyo, Akwa Ibom State.
- The President of NMA, Dr Uche Rowland Ojinmah, presented a sub theme lecture at the opening ceremony of MDCAN NEC in Enugu on 26th January, 2023.
- Letter from the Nigerian Medical Association on request for the Re-Categorization, Upward review of Professional fees for Service and Inclusion of More Services in the National Health Insurance Authority (NHIA) was sent to Prof. M. N. Sambo, Director General National Health Insurance Authority on 27th January, 2023.
- The communique of the Medical and Dental Consultant Association of Nigerian (MDCAN) issued at the end of the Association's National Executive Council (NEC) Meeting held from 24th to 28th January, 2023 at the Multipurpose Hall Federal Neuropsychiatric Hospital, New Haven, Enugu was received.



NMA President Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah making his presentation during a one-day public hearing held at the Senate of the National Assembly, Abuja on the 31st of January, 2023.



Cross section of NMA Members during the one-day public hearing at the National Assembly, Abuja.

• The communique issued at the end of the

National Executive Council of the Nigerian Association of Resident Doctors that took place from 24th to 28th of January, 2023 was received at the NMA Secretariat.

- The Chairman NMA Committee on NTDs, Dr Sebastine Oiwoh, represented the NMA President, Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah at the Commemoration of 2023 World NTDs day. This held on 30th January, 2023.
- NMA President Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah led NMA Delegations to a one-day Public Hearing on six Bills at the National Assembly. This held on the 31st of January, 2023 at Senate Building, Abuja.



NMA President Exchanging Pleasantry with the Chairman Senate Committee on Health, Senator Ibrahim Yahaya Oloriegbe during the one day public hearing by senate in Abuja.



National Anthem being taken by the participants during the one-day public hearing at Senate wing, NASS, Abuja.



NMA President, Dr. Uche Rowland Ojinmah and other NMA Members observing the National Anthem to open the one-day public hearing by the Senate Committee Health NASS, Abuja.

REQUESTS

- States are to send the list of deceased members for the past 15 years to the NMA National Secretariat for onward transmission to MDCN.
- Visit our website, <u>www.nationalnma.org</u> for the latest information and upcoming events of the Association.
- Send pictures of activities of your State/FCT Branches and NMA Affiliate Groups to: <u>drjideonyekwelu@yahoo.com</u> and mekutivity2002@yahoo.co.uk
- State/FCT Chairmen/Secretaries are required to send a list of licensed doctors with their profiles as well as registered hospitals in their branches to the National Secretariat @ 8 Benghazi Street, Off Addis Ababa Crescent, Wuse Zone 4, Abuja.

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State executives are to send in the full names, office Address, State Secretariat Address, Email Address of the Chairman and Secretary to drjideonyekwelu@yahoo.com and copy mekutivity2002@yahoo.co.uk

This is to update our record.



Cross section of NMA Members at National Assembly for public hearing

ANNOUNCEMENT

States are to bid for the hosting of the NMA statutory meetings. Physicians Week 2023, AGC/ADM 2024.

States are to send a list of Medical Doctors that have scaled through as candidates in the forthcoming election to the NMA National Secretariat.

Signed:

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