

## **Dr. Matthew Smith Elected BMG Board Chairman**

WILLIAMSVILLE, NY – Matthew E. Smith, MD, a hospital-based Internal Medicine specialist, has been elected chairman of the Buffalo Medical Group, PC, Board of Directors. Dr. Smith, who provides internal medicine care for inpatients at Buffalo General and Millard Fillmore Suburban hospitals, will serve a one-year term.

He succeeds James G. Corasanti, MD, PhD, a BMG gastroenterologist, who had been chairman since 2008.

Other BMG Board officers for 2011 include Bryan N. Butler, MD, vice chairman; James J. Piscatelli, MD, secretary, and Matthew O'Brien Jr., MD, treasurer. Dr. O'Brien is among three newly-elected Board members. The others include Jon L. Dusse, MD, and Robert M. Zielinski, MD.

Board members returning for another term include S. Ray Ogra, MD, David R. Dougherty, DO, and Peter A. Campione, MD.

Founded in 1946, Buffalo Medical Group, PC, is among the oldest and largest multi-specialty physician practice groups in New York State. With more than 100 specialists and sub-specialists as well as a team of 660 nurses, technologists, and other health care professionals, BMG records more than 400,000 outpatient visits annually at its main locations in Buffalo, Williamsville, and Orchard Park and 23 satellite sites.

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