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The Armenian American Medical Society is gearing up to host the eleventh quadrennial Armenian Medical World Congresses (AMWC), in Los Angeles, California, from July 3 to 7, 2013. The conference program promises an outstanding list of internationally recognized experts and healthcare professionals. This Congress will highlight advances in various fields of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, nursing, health education, ethics, and complementary and alternative medicine, as well as other issues of interest and concern within the allied healthcare fields.

Building on the strong foundation set forth by Armenian Medical World Congresses in the past and under the auspices of the Armenian Medical International Committee (AMIC), this year's congress will address some of the most vital issues facing healthcare today. Keynote speakers and panel discussants will focus on a broad range of relevant topics, including the latest breakthroughs in regenerative medicine, challenges facing healthcare in Armenia, technological advances that are revolutionizing health care and the global paradox of over consumption and under nutrition.

"It is our aim to design a high quality scientific program reflecting state of the art clinical practice and providing a common forum for discussion and debate in many disciplines of healthcare and science," said the President of the Armenian American Medical Society, Dr. Vicken Sepilian who is also the Chairman of the organizing committee of the congress. Set ideally in the thriving cosmopolitan hub of Los Angeles, this year's Congress will take place at the exclusive Loews Hollywood Hotel, part of the legendary Hollywood & Highland Center—a five level retail and entertainment landmark, home to the Dolby Theater (formerly the Kodak Theater) and the Grauman's Chinese Theater, as well as several hundred premier retail stores and fine restaurants.

In addition to being a dynamic forum rife with medical expertise and exchange of knowledge, the social committee is planning a series of spectacular events that will offer unique opportunities to socialize and enjoy the numerous attractions of Los Angeles. A welcome reception will take place at the historic Egyptian Theater, and the Congress will culminate with a lavish Gala at the Dolby heater, in the same venue where the Oscars are held. This event will be catered by the world famous celebrity chef, Wolfgang Puck. All social engagements and plenary topics are centered on the theme of this year's Congress, "Uniting for a Healthy Future" – which underpins AMIC's mission of strengthening ties among healthcare professionals in the Diaspora, and collectively working towards the shared goal of creating a healthy future for the communities in the Diaspora and Armenia.

We encourage all of you to attend and look forward to welcoming you to the 11th AMWC in Hollywood in July of 2013! For more information and registration please visit [www.aamsc.com/congress](http://www.aamsc.com/congress).