Single GME Accreditation System Update

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Objectives

- Provide an update on the Single accreditation System
- Review the basics of Osteopathic Recognition (OR).
- Explain the Osteopathic Recognition application process and OR resources
- Review ACGME Website for Resources
  - Institution/Programs
  - Osteopathic Recognition
  - Student/Resident
- Review Program application statistics
ACGME Mission

“We improve health care and population health by assessing and advancing the quality of resident physicians' education through accreditation.”
Where Are We Today?

29 months into the transition
## AOA-Approved*

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<td>1. AOA and AACOM become member organizations</td>
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<td>2. ACGME Programs and pre-accredited programs start applying for Osteopathic Recognition</td>
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<td>3. Drs. Nasca and Buser give update to HOD</td>
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<td>October 2015</td>
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<td><strong>First ACGME programs achieve Initial Recognition (18 programs)</strong></td>
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<td>Eligibility FAQs for Specialties with a Preliminary Year (9 Specialties will accept AOA Internships during transition)</td>
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| March 2016   | 1. Process for combined/integrated programs  
               2. ACGME Common Program Requirements Phase 1 Task Force starts reviewing Section VI            |
| May 2016     | 1. OPC Meeting (2nd to review OR applications), 18 additional programs achieve Osteopathic Recognition |
|              | 2. ACGME moves to new location (401 North Michigan Ave)                                               |
| June 2016    | 1. ONMM RC 1st to meet at new ACGME address  
               2. 1st **ONMM Residency Program achieved ACGME Initial Accreditation**                        |
|              | 3. Various Review Committee start proposing changes to specialty requirements to add Osteopathic Board Certification Pass Rates |
| July 2016    | Drs. Nasca and Buser present update to HOD                                                            |
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| **August 2016**| 1. Neurological Surgery RC announce acceptance of AOA Board Certification for program directors.  
2. With Neurological Surgery, 24 RC’s accept AOA Board Certification as a requirement to be an ACGME program director |
| **September 2016** | 1. 18 RC’s submit proposed changes to requirements to include Osteopathic Board Pass rates  
2. OPC meets and grants Initial Recognition to 12 additional ACGME Programs |
| **October 2016** | ONMM RC approves 2 ONMM programs (total 3 to date) |
| **January 2017** | 1. OPC meets/approves 21 additional programs for OR  
2. ACGME Common Program Requirements Phase 2 Task Force reviewing sections I-V |
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| **February 2017** | 1. ACGME Common Program Requirement Phase 1 Task Force completing review and update to Section VI  
2. Family Medicine RC proposed changes to FM requirements for adding Osteopathic Board pass rate, other RCs will be submitting proposed changes (19 to date)  
3. ACGME Board approved RC proposed changes to requirements in a variety of specialties to add Osteopathic Board pass rate (16 specialties)  
4. AACOM Student survey (3rd year) on Osteopathic Recognition (OR) |
| **March 2017** | 1. ACGME Common Program Requirements Phase 1 Task Force releases updated changes to section VI, 24 hour rule reinstated (same as AOA)  
2. ACGME and AODME Joint Pre-Conference, Orlando, FL (first for ACGME)  
3. ACGME, AOA, and AACOM: Agreement to Protect Residents during the Transition to a Single GME Accreditation System |
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| **April 2017** | 1. OPC meets/approves 10 additional programs for OR *(Total 79)*  
             | 2. ONMM RC meets/approves ONMM program *(Total 4)*  
             | 3. 20 RC’s *(15 have been approved*, 5 with proposed changes) submit changes to requirements to include Osteopathic Board Pass rates |
| **June 2017**  | 1. 5 additional RC’s with proposed focused revisions approved by ACGME Board Proposed changes to include Osteopathic Board Pass rates *(20 RC’s have made changes to date)*  
             | 2. 1 additional RC has submitted proposed revisions to be reviewed September Board meeting  
             | 3. **First ACGME FM/ONMM Program**                                                                                                           |
| **July 2017**  | 1. Drs. Nasca and Buser - present update on Single GME Accreditation System to AOA House of Delegates                                          |
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| September 2017| 1. OPC meets and grants Initial Recognition to 32 additional ACGME Programs. Total of ACGME Programs achieving Osteopathic Recognition surpassed 100 programs (Total 111) to date.  
2. ONMM Review Committee meets, 3 additional programs achieve Initial Accreditation (Total 7)  
3. ACGME Board approved RC proposed changes to requirements in Preventive Medicine to add Osteopathic Board pass rate (22 specialties) |
ACGME Programs*

- 10,740 Accredited GME programs**^
- 134,661 residents*
- 813 sponsoring institutions*
- **136 specialty and subspecialty areas**
  - 29 Review Committees
  - 1 Recognition Committee
  - Over 6,000 items/decisions per year

- 200 Combined-Programs
  - 78 Med/Peds (Accredited)
  - 122 Other (Non-accredited)
    - 1 Family Medicine/ONMM
  - 2,226 Residents

*ACGME Data 2017-18 (10-6-2017)  
^Total programs include Med/Peds programs but does not include other Combined programs

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## Incorporation of AOA Boards

### Focused Revisions to Incorporate Osteopathic Board Pass Rates

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Agreement to Protect Residents

What happens to residents in programs that do not achieve ACGME accreditation?

• Provides protection for residents in AOA-approved training programs, which do not achieve ACGME accreditation prior to June 30, 2020
  o Unique circumstances that may limit a residents ability to complete program by June 20, 2020

• ACGME, AOA, and AACOM agreement

• AOA will have restricted authority to extend AOA accreditation date

• Allows residents to complete training and be eligible for AOA Board Certification
Osteopathic Recognition
Why Osteopathic Recognition?

• Provides an organized approach to perpetuate osteopathy’s contributions to patient care

• Creates opportunity for all physicians to learn Osteopathic Principles and Practices

• Creates program distinctiveness

• Programs with Osteopathic Recognition are acknowledged on the ACGME website
Osteopathic Recognition

• Commitment by a program to teach and assess Osteopathic Principles and Practices (OPP) at the graduate medical education level

• Overseen by the ACGME Osteopathic Principles Committee (OPC)
Osteopathic Recognition

• Osteopathic Recognition is conferred upon the program

• Program designates residents in the program that receive osteopathic-focused education
  o May designate all residents or a portion of the residents in the program
  o Only designated residents must adhere to the OR requirements
Osteopathic Recognition

- ACGME-accredited programs can apply for Osteopathic Recognition

- Programs in ACGME pre-accreditation may apply, but their application must wait to be reviewed until the program has Initial Accreditation

- Osteopathic Recognition applications to date:
  - Dually accredited programs
  - AOA programs that have achieved accreditation
  - ACGME programs with no history of formal osteopathic training
Key Osteopathic Recognition Requirements
Osteopathic Integration

• Programs must include integration of Osteopathic Principles and Practice into the six ACGME core competency areas

• Program must create an osteopathic learning environment through longitudinal and focused educational experiences
  o Elements may include:
    ▪ Focused rotations
    ▪ Integrated rotations
    ▪ Osteopathic rounds
    ▪ Clinic rotations
    ▪ Osteopathic patient care conferences
Resident Requirement

• Programs must have a minimum of one resident per year in the osteopathic-focused track, averaged over a period of three years.
Leader of Osteopathic Education in the Program

- Must have an identified leader of osteopathic-focused education
- May be the program director or a member of the faculty (osteopathic-focused track director)
Qualifications Osteopathic Focused Track Director

• May be certified in a specialty other than that of the program
• Must meet the OR faculty qualifications

*Note:* May be shared between programs
Osteopathic-Focused Faculty

- **Minimum of 2** osteopathic-focused faculty members
- May be board certified in a specialty other than that of the program

*Note: May be shared between programs*
Resident Board Certification Requirements

- Osteopathic-focused residents must take and pass either the AOA or ABMS certifying board exam
- Residents that take the applicable AOA exam, will have scores reported to the OPC
- Programs will be held to the pass rate
Osteopathic Scholarly Activity

• Programs must demonstrate participation by faculty members and residents in scholarly activity specific to Osteopathic Principles and Practice
  
  o **Faculty**: Must produce at least two scholarly pieces **annually**, averaged over a five year period. (as a **whole, not individual** faculty members) [FAQ]

  o **Residents**: Must produce at least one piece of scholarly activity prior to graduating from the program. [FAQ]

*Note: This is only applicable to faculty members and residents that are designated as osteopathic-focused*
Osteopathic Recognition  General Application Process
General OR Application Information

- Each program at an institution must submit a separate OR application
- OR applications will be reviewed by the Osteopathic Principles Committee (OPC)
- No site visit will be required for an OR application
- No fees for Osteopathic Recognition (No fees for application, site visits, continued recognition, etc.)
Eligibility to Apply for OR

• Programs are eligible to apply for recognition:
  o ACGME “pre-accredited” programs*
  o ACGME accredited programs

*AOA-approved program on July 1, 2015 that has submitted an ACGME program application
Osteopathic Recognition Application

• Completed entirely online and housed in the Accreditation Data System (ADS)

• Does not** require the duplicate entry of information already entered into ADS as a part of the new program application for accreditation
  
  o **Exception: Attachment documents
  
  o Existing ACGME accredited programs will be able to use the information they have already provided in ADS
Attachment Documents

- Form(s) Used for Formative Evaluation of Residents
- Form(s) Used for Summative Evaluation of Residents
- Form(s) Used for Evaluation of Faculty
- Form(s) Used for Evaluation of Program
- Supplemental Educator Form
- Osteopathic Recognition-Specific Application (Questions)
## Osteopathic Recognition Supplemental Educator Roster

This form may be used to identify educators, not listed on the program’s faculty roster in ADS, who play a prominent role in the program’s osteopathic-focused education. Note: If all osteopathic-focused educators are listed on the program’s faculty roster in ADS, check “not applicable” below prior to uploading as a new application attachment.

- Form “Not Applicable” (All osteopathic-focused educators have been listed on the program’s faculty roster in ADS)

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<th>Degrees</th>
<th>Year Started Teaching</th>
<th>Year started teaching with this program</th>
<th>Board Certification Specialty and Certifying Board (Note if eligible and not certified)</th>
<th>Original or Re-Certification Year and Certification Status</th>
<th>Define Educational Role in Program</th>
<th>Hours Spent per Week (or per Month) devoted to Resident Education in this Program</th>
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<td>Example: John A. Doe</td>
<td>BS, MS, DO</td>
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<td>2012</td>
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<td>2009, Original Certification Valid</td>
<td>Provide monthly OMT workshops</td>
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Osteopathic Recognition Review Process
Recognition Process

Application → Initial Recognition → Continued Recognition

Application → Initial Accreditation → Continued Accreditation
The OPC may confer Initial Recognition if the following have been satisfied:

- Program has submitted a complete OR application
- Program is an accredited ACGME program
- Paper review of the program demonstrates substantial compliance with the OR requirements
- No site visit required
Osteopathic Recognition Review Process

Application Review
• Paper review

• No site visit

Status Options to OPC:
• Initial Recognition

• Recognition Withheld
The OPC may confer Continued Recognition if the following have been satisfied:

- Program is accredited ACGME program
- Site visit is conducted within 2 years of the effective date of initial recognition, prior to meeting
- Program demonstrates substantial compliance with the OR requirements
Osteopathic Recognition Review Process

Initial Recognition Review
• 2 years from effective date of Initial Recognition

• Site visit ordered in advance of review

Status Options to OPC:
• Continued Recognition

• Initial Recognition with Warning
Initial Recognition Review Materials

• Updated OR Application including:
  o Recognition-Specific Questions
  o Supplemental Educator Form
  o All other attachment documents (i.e. evaluation forms)

• Response to OR Citations
Common Citations
Common Osteopathic Recognition Citations

• Evaluation Forms – No OPP assessment questions
  ▪ Formative Evaluation Form
  ▪ Faculty Evaluation Form
  ▪ Summative Evaluation Form

• Not Providing Requested Information
  ▪ Recognition-specific questions not answered
  ▪ Supplemental Educator Form – Not all the faculty information provided
  ▪ Not submitting required forms

• No Plan Provided for MD Eligibility
Osteopathic Recognition Requirement Revision Process
Osteopathic Recognition Requirement Revisions

- Proposed revisions by the OPC currently being finalized.
- Proposed revisions were posted for public 45 day review.
- Comments received and OPC reviewed all comments received and made additional changes, as appropriate, to proposed revisions.
- Finalized revisions will go to the ACGME Board of Directors for approval (Target: February 2018 Board Meeting)
Resources
New Single GME Webpages

www.acgme.org/SingleGME
Single GME Accreditation System (NEW)

On February 26, 2014, the ACGME, American Osteopathic Association (AOA), and American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine (AAOM) announced their agreement to a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) outlining a single graduate medical education accreditation system in the United States. The single GME accreditation system allows graduates of allopathic and osteopathic medical schools to complete their residency and/or fellowship education in ACGME-accredited programs and demonstrate achievement of common Milestones and competencies.

Read the Executive Summary of the MOU to learn more about the agreement.
AOA Programs
AOA Institutions
AOA Residents and Medical Students
ACGME Programs and Sponsoring Institutions
Monitor Our Progress

Single GME Accreditation System

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Learn more about osteopathic medicine in this presentation by Osteopathic Principles Committee Chair Robert Cain, DO, entitled "Osteopathic Way."

Progress Toward a Single GME Accreditation System

1. The ACGME bylaws and the policies and procedures have been changed to allow for a new governance structure and other changes brought about by the MOU.

2. The AOA and AACOM are member organizations of the ACGME.

3. Four new directors were appointed to the ACGME Board of Directors; two each from the AOA and AACOM. Two additional directors will be added from each of these organizations prior to June 30, 2020.

4. The AOA is a nominating organization to all ACGME Review Committees where AOA-approved program applications are anticipated during the transition to a single GME accreditation system. For each of those committees, osteopathic physicians were nominated, were approved by the ACGME Board of Directors, and are now serving as Review Committee members. Learn more about the Review Committee nomination process.

   Review Committee members are listed in the Review Committee Members and Staff section of each specialty’s section of the ACGME website.

5. A new (core) specialty of Osteopathic Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine (ONMM) was added, along with a Review Committee for Osteopathic Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine.

6. The Osteopathic Principles Committee (OPC) was formed, and Osteopathic Recognition was defined to identify ACGME-accredited programs providing training in Osteopathic Principles and Practice. Learn more about Osteopathic Recognition.

7. AOA Sponsoring Institutions began applying for ACGME accreditation under the terms of the MOU on April 1, 2015. Review Sponsoring Institutions that have applied for and achieved ACGME accreditation here.
AOA Programs

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Pre-Accreditation and Continued Pre-Accreditation

Initial Accreditation
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- Initial Accreditation
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To initiate an accreditation application, the program’s Sponsoring Institution must already be ACGME-accredited or hold pre-accreditation status. Learn more about Sponsoring Institution accreditation here.

Steps to Submitting a Successful Program Application

1. Locate and read the ACGME Program Requirement document and associated FAQs for the applicable specialty.
2. Locate the contact information for the ACGME Review Committee Executive Director for the applicable specialty and/or subspecialty and keep it accessible.
3. Gather the information needed to prepare and complete the application.
4. Complete the program application in ADS after it has been initiated in the system by the designated institutional official (DIO) of the Sponsoring Institution.

   To learn more about how to complete a program application for ACGME accreditation, view this video.
5. Submit the Application.

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- Sample Program Letter of Agreement (PLA)

Step 2: Program Directory
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### Step 2: Program Director
- Expectations of Time for the Program Directors »
- Program Director Qualifications »
- AOA Board Certification Considerations for Program Directors »
- Program Director Scholarly Activity Requirements »

### Step 3: Program Details
Update the program’s basic information, such as the address and program director’s contact information.

### Step 4: Other Program Personnel
At least one program coordinator (max. = 2) must be added. A co-program director and department chair may also be added.
- Expectations of time for the Program Coordinator »

### Step 5: ACGME Requested/Filled Resident Positions

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- Clinical Experience and Education »
- Common Program Requirements FAQs (See section on Resident Duty Hours in the Learning and Working Environment) »

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- Clinical Competency Committee (CCC) Guide Book »
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Step 8: Overall Evaluation Methods

- GME Evaluation and Assessment Tools
- Designing and Selecting Assessment Instruments: Focusing on Competencies by Stanley J. Hamstra, PhD (Academic Emergency Medicine)

Step 9: Faculty Information

- Expectation of Faculty Time
- Required Number of Faculty Members
- Faculty Scholarly Activity Requirements (See also the FAQs for the specialty)
- ADS Roster Instructions
- Faculty CV Information Collection Table
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Step 10: Resident Roster

Step 11: Specialty-Specific Application

Step 12: Application Attachments

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   - Guide to the Construction of the Block Diagram
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Step 13: Review Application

Step 14: Verify and Submit Application to DIO

After clicking "Verify Application and Submit to DIO" button in the header, the completed application will be sent to the DIO for review and final submission. After verification, the DIO will electronically submit the application to the ACGME. Program coordinators cannot submit new applications.

Once the DIO has submitted the program application to the ACGME for final review, it cannot be changed, altered, or amended.
Program Application Information

Overview

Under the terms of the agreement (Memorandum of Understanding) among the ACGME, the AOA, and AACOM, all AOA-approved programs must become ACGME-accredited by June 30, 2020, when the AOA has agreed to cease accreditation of graduate medical education programs. In order for AOA-approved programs to become ACGME-accredited, they must submit a new program accreditation application. AOA-approved programs that submit an accreditation application between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2020, under the terms of the agreement receive pre-accreditation status upon submission of complete application. More information regarding this pre-accreditation status can be found on the Program Pre-accreditation page.

To initiate an accreditation application, the program’s Sponsoring Institution must already be ACGME-accredited or hold pre-accreditation status. Learn more about Sponsoring Institution accreditation here.

Steps to Submitting a Successful Program Application

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Step 3: Gather the information needed to prepare and complete the application.

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To learn more about how to complete a program application for ACGME accreditation, view this video.
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There are two parts to the application: the common application, which is housed in the Accreditation Data System (ADS), and the specialty-specific application—a Word document the program must complete and upload into ADS. All information necessary to complete the program application must be either entered directly or uploaded into ADS. Systematically gathering this information will allow for smooth entry of application information in ADS.

- Instructions on the Download the Specialty-Specific Application Questions
- Faculty CV Information Collection Table
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Program Letters of Agreements (PLA) Information

- PLA FAQs (see pp. 1-4)
- PLA Template

Attachment Documents

This Application Guide provides the common program application questions that are completed in ADS.

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Single GME Accreditation System (NEW)

On February 26, 2014, the ACGME, American Osteopathic Association (AOA), and American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine (AACC) announced their agreement to a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) outlining a single graduate medical education accreditation system in the United States. The single GME accreditation system allows graduates of allopathic and osteopathic medical schools to complete their residency and/or fellowship education in ACGME-accredited programs and demonstrate achievement of common Milestones and competencies.

Read the Executive Summary of the MOU to learn more about the agreement.

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Learn more about Osteopathic Recognition.

Identify programs that have applied and received Osteopathic Recognition in this report.

Direct questions about Osteopathic Recognition to Executive Director for Osteopathic Accreditation Tiffany Moss: 312.755.5490 or tmoss@acgme.org

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Resident/Fellow Eligibility

Below are the eligibility requirements for each specialty (in bold font) and subspecialty (not in bold) that are (1) in effect on June 30, 2013; and (2) in effect as of July 1, 2016. If applicable, any interim requirements in effect between those dates are also provided.

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- Fourth Year Students (2018 Match-AOA\(^*,\) NRMP, SF, UM, and MM*)
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- Second Year Students (2020 Match - NRMP, SF, UM, and MM*)
- First Year Students (2021 Match - NRMP, SF, UM, and MM* )

\(^*\)Applicants that are eligible for Military Match

\(^\text{AOA}\) Check AOA Opportunities page for eligible programs
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**Common Program Requirements are in BOLD**

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**Geriatric Medicine (Family Medicine)**

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### III.A.2. Fellows from non-ACGME-accredited internal medicine programs must have completed at least three years of internal medicine education prior to starting the fellowship.

### III.A.3. The program director must inform applicants from non-ACGME-accredited programs, prior to appointment and in writing, of the ABIM policies and procedures that will affect their eligibility for ABIM certification.

### III.A.4. When averaged over any five-year period, a minimum of 75% of fellows in each program must be graduates of an ACGME-accredited internal medicine program.

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**Eligibility Exception**

The exception committee may grant the exception to the fellowship requirements when the fellowship program can demonstrate that the applicant possesses equivalent experience and qualifications relevant to the fellowship. 

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Osteopathic Recognition Resources

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Osteopathic Recognition Resources

• OR Requirements
• OR FAQs
• OR Osteopathic Learning Environment Document
• OR Milestones
• OR Application Instruction Guide
• OR Slide Presentations
Osteopathic Recognition

Recent News and Updates

The documents and resources housed within this section are provided by the Osteopathic Principles Committee and its staff at the ACGME.

Requirements Currently in Effect

7/1/2015  Osteopathic Recognition

Milestones

- Osteopathic Recognition
- Milestones FAQ

Application for Recognition

- Osteopathic Recognition
- Osteopathic Recognition Application Instructions
- Supplemental Educator Form

Documents

- Elements of an Osteopathic Learning Environment

Presentations

- Application and Maintenance of Osteopathic Recognition (Presented at AODME)
- Osteopathic Recognition Milestone Project (Presented by Natasha Dray, DO Laura Edgar, EdD, CAE on August 20, 2015)
- Osteopathic Recognition Requirement and Application Basics (Presented at ACOFP)
List of Programs Applying For and With Osteopathic Recognition
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How to look for programs with Osteopathic Recognition?

• ACGME website
  • List of programs and specialties that have achieved osteopathic recognition
  • List of programs that have completed an application for recognition but have not been reviewed by OPC

• ERAS

• NRMP-Program search
Program Search

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Osteopathic Recognition

**Program Information**

- **Program Name**: AAMC Emergency Medicine (for testing)
- **Specialty**: Emergency Medicine

**Program Director**: [Insert Director Name]

**Program Address 1**: [Insert Address]

**City**: [Insert City]

**State**: [Insert State]

**Zip**: [Insert Zip Code]

**Program Phone**: [Insert Phone Number]

**Program Email**: [Insert Email Address]

**Are you an Osteopathic Recognized program?**
- [Yes]
- [No]

**Program Information for Applicants**

You may provide additional information for applicants interested in applying to your program in the textbox below. This information may include general information, requirements, and/or deadlines. Click here to see an example of where the text will be shown in MyERAS for Applicants. The sample text is 500 characters.
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NRMP Match: Osteopathic Recognition*

*NRMP Search Programs Screenshot
What Does the Future Hold?

- Programs continue to achieve initial accreditation

- New accredited institutions and programs will be up for review to move to continued accreditation

- AOA Programs continue to apply and transition to ACGME (3 year programs will be the next large bolus of applications)
What Does the Future Hold?

• Programs continue to apply and achieve Osteopathic Recognition

• Great opportunity to expand osteopathic medicine
  o Training both DOs and MDs

• All ACGME residencies/fellowships are eligible to apply for Osteopathic Recognition
105 Applications*

- **85** Initial Accreditation
- **3** Continued Accreditation
- **8** Pre-Accreditation
- **8** Continued Pre-Accreditation
- **1** Withdrawn

*November 1, 2017
524 Applications*

- **284** Initial Accreditation
- **7** Continued Accreditation
- **68** Pre-Accreditation
- **160** Continued Pre-Accreditation
- **5** Withdrawn

November 1, 2017, Total program and Fellowship applications
Program Applications*

*November 1, 2017

**Categories**
- Initial Accreditation
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**Program Applications**
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- Dermatology: 18
- Emergency Medicine: 50
- Family Medicine: 90
- Internal Medicine: 82
- Neurological Surgery: 8
- Neurology: 8
- OB/GYN: 28
- Ophthalmology: 41
- Orthopaedic Surgery: 10
- Otolaryngology: 15
- Pediatrics: 6
- PM&R: 4
- Plastic Surgery: 3
- Psychiatry: 14
- Radiology-Diagnostic: 10
- Surgery: 15
- Transitional year: 10
- Urology: 10

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Fellowship Applications*

41 Applications*

- **23** Initial Accreditation
- **11** Pre-Accreditation
- **7** Continued Pre-Accreditation

*November 1, 2017, Total Fellowship applications

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141 Applications*

- 111 Initial Recognition
- 30 Pending Review

*November 1, 2017
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