## Need CME?

For more than two decades the TOMF has been a local resources for quality CME. Each year, TOMF offers almost 40 hours of AOA Category 1A CME credit presented through our Annual Southwestern Conference on Medicine Primary Care Update. You can satisfy your Arizona state licensure CME requirement and much of your AOA membership CME requirement right here in Tucson with little to no travel expense and minimal down time from your practice. As you plan for the final year of the AOA Osteopathic Continuous Certification 2013-2015 Cycle we hope you will consider participating in TOMF's upcoming CME offerings:

24TH ANNUAL
SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE ON MEDICINE
APRIL 23 - 26, 2015
32 AOA CATEGORY 1A CREDITS
JW MARRIOTT STAR PASS RESORT AND SPA
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PRIMARY CARE UPDATE
INFECTIOUS DISEASE FOCUS CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 24, 2015
6 AOA CATEGORY 1A CREDITS

## Good News!

Previous AOA policy dictated that no more than 25 of the 50 required specialty credits per three year cycle may come from osteopathic foundation seminars, state society seminars, college of medicine seminars or acute care hospital programs. This specialty credit cap has been removed for 2015!

## Some Other CME Requirement Reminders

In order to maintain a license to practice osteopathic medicine in the state of Arizona, osteopathic physicians are required to obtain 20 hours of CME per year. Of that, at least 12 hours must be 1A credit provided by a Category 1 CME sponsor like TOMF. No more than 8 hours may be provided by an accredited AMA or ACCME provider and certified as AMA PRA Category 1 credit.

Category 1A Credit is granted for live programs provided by Category 1 CME sponsors. Category 1B is granted for programs of a more casual nature (online, teaching, writing) provided by Category 1 CME sponsors. Category 2A is granted for live programs sponsored by non-AOA accredited

providers. Category 2B is granted for programs of a more casual nature (online, teaching, writing) sponsored by non-AOA accredited providers.

AOA recertifying physicians must fulfill 120 hours of CME credit during each three year CME cycle. 150 hours are required for the American Osteopathic Board of Family Practice, the American Osteopathic Board of Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine, and the American Osteopathic Board of Anesthesiology. The 120/150 hours may include a variety of credit levels (1A, 1B, 2A, 2B) but must include at least 30 1A credits and 50 specialty credits in primary specialties

For physicians holding certifications of added qualification (CAQs), a minimum of 13 credits must be earned at the level of the CAQ. At least 15 credits must be earned in the primary certification.



Practice Performance Assessment and Improvement is the only new component in the osteopathic continuous certification process. Physicians must engage in continuous improvement through comparison of personal practice performance measured against national standards in their medical specialty.

Specialty certifying board contact information is attached and also available at <a href="www.osteopathic.org">www.osteopathic.org</a>. Please contact your specialty board for complete details about eligibility for certification, requirements for maintaining certification, or recertification. Other questions may be directed to <a href="maintaining-certification@osteopathic.org">certification@osteopathic.org</a>.

CERTIFYING BOARD	PRIMARY CERTIFICATION	CERTIFICATION OF SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS (CSQ)	CERTIFICATION OF ADDED QUALIFICATIONS (CAQ)
Anesthesiology Claire Barnes, Certification Manager,142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8279 aoba2@osteopathic.org www.aobanes.com	Anesthesiology	None offered	Addiction Medicine* Critical Care Medicine Pain Management
Dermatology Renee Herron, Administrator, P.O. Box 493, Kirksville, MO 63501, (660) 349-9666, execdirector@aobd- derm.org www.aobd-derm.org	Dermatology	None offered	Dermatopathology MOHS-Micrographic Surgery
Emergency Medicine Josette Fleming, Executive Director, 8765 W. Higgins Rd., Suite 200, Chicago, IL 60631, (773) 724-3161, Fax (773) 724-3162 aobem@aol.com www.aobem.org	Emergency Medicine	None offered	Emergency Medical Services Medical Toxicology**** Sports Medicine Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine*
Family Physicians Carol Thoma, Executive Director, 330 E. Algonquin Rd., Ste. 6, Arlington Heights, IL 60005, (847) 640- 8477 <a href="mailto:aobfp@aobfp.org">aobfp@aobfp.org</a> <a href="www.aobfp.org">www.aobfp.org</a>	Family Medicine and OMT**	None offered	Addiction Medicine* Adolescent/Young Adult Medicine* Geriatric Medicine Sports Medicine Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine Hospice and Palliative Medicine Sleep Medicine
Internal Medicine Gary L. Slick, DO, Executive Director, 1111 W. 17th St., Tulsa, OK 74107, (918) 561- 1267 admin@aobim.org www.aobim.org	Internal Medicine		Addiction Medicine Critical Care Medicine Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology Interventional Cardiology Geriatric Medicine Sports Medicine Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine Hospice and Palliative Medicine Sleep Medicine
Neurology & Psychiatry Sandy Elcock, Administrative Assistant, 2730 S. Val Vista Dr., #146, Gilbert, AZ 85296, (480) 650-3206 <a href="mailto:aobnp@att.net">aobnp@att.net</a> www.aobnp.org	Neurology Psychiatry	Child/Adolescent Psychiatry Child/Adolescent Neurology Neurology/Psychiatry*	Addiction Medicine Neurophysiology Geriatric Psychiatry Hospice and Palliative Medicine Sleep Medicine
Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine Diana L. Finley, 3500 DePauw Blvd., Suite 1080, Indianapolis, IN 46231, (317) 879- 1881 dfinley@academyofosteopathy.org www.aobnmm.org	Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine & OMM Special Proficiency in Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine*	None offered	Sports Medicine Pain Medicine
Nuclear MedicineJennifer Hausman, Certification Manager, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8102 <a href="mailto:aobnm@osteopathic.org">aobnm@osteopathic.org</a> www.aobnm.org	Nuclear Medicine*	None offered	Nuclear Cardiology* Nuclear Imaging and Therapy* In Vivo and In Vitro Nuclear Medicine*
Obstetrics & Gynecology Mary Cameron, Certification Manager, 142 E, Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8271 <a href="mailto:aobog@aobog.org">aobog@aobog.org</a> <a href="mailto:www.aobog.org">www.aobog.org</a>	Obstetrics & Gynecology Obstetrics & Gynecology Surgery*	Gynecologic Oncology Maternal and Fetal Medicine Reproductive Endocrinology Female Pelvic Medicine/Reconstructive Surgery	None offered
Ophthalmology & Otolaryngology Alvin D. Dubin, DO, Executive Director; Debra Bailey, Administrative Director, 4764 Fishburg Rd., Suite F, Huber Heights, OH 45424, (800) 575-2145 <a href="mailto:info@aoboo.org">info@aoboo.org</a> <a href="www.aoboo.org">www.aoboo.org</a>	Ophthalmology Otolaryngology Facial Plastic Surgery* Otolaryngology/Facial Plastic Surgery	None offered	Otolaryngic Allergy Sleep Medicine

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Orthopedic Surgery Barbara Sharp, Executive Director, 800 Military St, Suite 800, Port Huron, MI 48060, (877) 982- 6267 bsharp@aobos.org www.aobos.org	Orthopedic Surgery	None offered	Hand Surgery
Pathology Jennifer Hausman, Certification Manager, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8102 aobpa@osteopathic.org www.aobpath.org	Laboratory Medicine Anatomic Pathology Anatomic Pathology & Laboratory Medicine	Forensic Pathology	Blood Banking/ Transfusion Medicine* Chemical Pathology* Cytopathology* Dermatopathology Hematology-Pathology* Immunopathology* Medical Microbiology* Neuropathology*
Pediatrics Claire Barnes, Certification Manager, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8109 aobp@osteopathic.org www.aobp.org/index.cfm	Pediatrics	Adolescent & Young Adult Medicine Neonatology Allergy/Immunology Pediatric Endocrinology Pediatric Pulmonology*	Sports Medicine
Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Ellen Woods, Executive Director, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8195 aobpmr@osteopathic.org www.aobpmr.org	Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	None offered	Sports Medicine Hospice & Palliative Medicine Pain Medicine
Preventive Medicine Ellen Woods, Executive Director, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8195 aobpm@osteopathic.org www.aobpm.org/index.cfm	Preventive Medicine/Aerospace Medicine Preventive Medicine/Occupational- Environmental Medicine Preventive Medicine/Public Health Preventive Medicine/Occupational*	None offered	Occupational Medicine**** Sports Medicine* Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine
Proctology Jennifer Hausman, Certification Manager, 142 E. Ontario St., Chicago, IL 60611, (800) 621-1773, ext. 8102 proctology@osteopathic.org www.aobpr.org	Proctology	None offered	None offered
Radiology Erin Maulsby, Certification Manager, 119 E. 2nd St., Milan, MO 63556, (660) 265-4011 erin@aobr.net www.aobr.org	Diagnostic Radiology Radiation Oncology Diagnostic Roentgenology* Radiology* Roentgenology*	Radiation Therapy*	Body Imaging* Diagnostic Ultrasound* Neuroradiology Nuclear Radiology* Pediatric Radiology Vascular & Interventional Radiology (formerly Angiography & Interventional Radiology)
Surgery Alvin D. Dubin, DO, Executive Director; Debra Bailey, Administrative Director, 4764 Fishburg Rd., Ste. F, Huber Heights, OH 45424, (800) 782- 5355 info@aobs.org www.aobs.org	Surgery (general) Neurological Surgery Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgery Urological Surgery General Vascular Surgery	None offered	Surgical Critical Care

No longer issued

Certification in Family Practice and Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment Available only to diplomates of other AOA boards Available to diplomates of other AOA boards

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