

# HEALTH POLICY FELLOWSHIP GRADUATES

## The Class of 2007



Front row left to right: Bill Garrity, D.O.; Norman Gevitz, Ph.D., HPF Faculty; Barbara Ross-Lee, D.O., HPF Director; Wolfgang Gilliar, D.O.. Second row: Jonathon Colen, D.O; George Mychaskiw II, D.O.; Anne Musser, D.O.; Craig Boisvert, D.O. Rear: Roy Harris, D.O.; Robert Hasty, D.O.; Joe Gaimo, D.O.; David Scott, D.O.; Tony Ognjan, D.O. Not pictured: Chellapa Kumar, Ph.D.

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**Craig S. Boisvert, D.O., FACOFP**  
**Lewisburg, West Virginia**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [A Child's Right to Nurse Act](#)**

Dr. Boisvert is a graduate of the University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine. He completed his rotating internship and Family Practice Residency at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital in Lancaster, PA. He is board certified in Family Practice by the AOA.

Dr. Boisvert is a member of the American Osteopathic Association, the West Virginia Society of Osteopathic Medicine, Inc., the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians, the West Virginia Society of the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians and the Society of Teachers of Family Medicine. He is past president of the West Virginia Society of ACOFP, Arkansas Chapter of the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians and the West Virginia Affiliate of the American Heart Association. He has served as chairperson of the section of chairpersons of the Departments of Family Medicine of the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine, as the osteopathic representative for the Advisory Panel for the AMSA Foundation PRIME program, on the Expert Panel on Cardiovascular Disease for the West Virginia Health Care Authority, the Advisory Committee on Collaborative Practice for the West Virginia Board of Pharmacy and the ACOFP Committee on Prevention. He presently serves on the Board of the West Virginia Society of the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians and the CME Committee for the West Virginia Society of Osteopathic Medicine, Inc.

He has been employed for the last seventeen years by the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine in Lewisburg, West Virginia, where he is presently Professor of Family Medicine and Chair of the Clinical Sciences Division. He is on the active Family Practice staff of the Robert C. Byrd Clinic in Lewisburg, WV, and on the Affiliate Staff of the Greenbrier Valley Medical Center in Ronceverte, WV. Dr. Boisvert has served as Medical Director for the White River Rural Health Center in Augusta, Arkansas, and practiced at their Des Arc Clinic site for four years.

Dr. Boisvert is sponsored by the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine.

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**Jonathan D. Colen, D.O.**  
**Kirksville, Missouri**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Physician Interactions with Pharmaceutical Companies Ethics and Implications for Health Care Policy](#)**

Dr. Johnathan Colen received his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine Degree from the Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine (KCOM) in 1994. He graduated from Park College summa cum laude in 1989 with a degree in Psychology. He completed a one-year rotating internship at Michigan State University/Michigan Capital Medical Center in 1995. He completed a psychiatry residency and chief residency at the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Medicine (MU) in 2003 and was given the award of Outstanding Senior Resident in General Psychiatry 2002-2003 from MU. He is board certified in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.

After his internship, Dr. Colen served as a general practice physician in several public health service sites. He first spent two years with the Big Springs Medical Association in Ellington, Missouri. While there, he served as the medical director for the Reynolds County Ambulance District and the Reynolds County Home Health Service. In his last year in Ellington, he served as chief of staff of Reynolds County Memorial Hospital. Following this, Dr. Colen followed a dream of working with the Indian Health Service and worked on several reservations in North and South Dakota with the Chippewa and Sioux tribes. After completing residency training in psychiatry, Dr. Colen took a position as a hospitalist psychiatrist at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville, Illinois. He also served as a consultant to the Southern Illinois Sleep Disorders Center. In addition to those duties, he taught psychiatry to family practice residents from St. Louis University. While at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, he served as vice chairman of the Department of Psychiatry. Wanting to get back to Missouri, Dr. Colen took a position with Preferred Family Healthcare (PFH) in Kirksville, Missouri in 2005. He is the medical director for the Community Psychosocial Rehabilitation Center at PFH. Dr. Colen is also an assistant professor of neurobehavioral science at ATSU-KCOM, and has been involved with the Dean's office in developing a new faculty evaluation and development program for KCOM. He is Co-Course Director for a service-learning course at KCOM as well.

Dr. Colen is a member of the American Osteopathic Association, the American College of Neuropsychiatrists, the American Psychiatric Association, the Central Missouri Psychiatric Society, American Society of Addiction Medicine, Society of Osteopathic Medical Educators, Missouri Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and the American Academy of Osteopathy. At St. Elizabeth's Hospital, he served on the Pharmacy and Therapeutics and Ethics committees. He currently serves on the Quality Assurance Committee, Medication Policy Committee, and Co-Occurring Disorders committees at PFH, and the Faculty Senate, Curriculum Committee, and Professionalism Society Executive Committees at KCOM.

AT Still University-Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine sponsors Dr. Colen's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**William J. Garrity, D.O., M.A.**  
**Essex, Connecticut**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Universal Health Coverage](#)**

Dr. Garrity received his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine Degree from the University of New England College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1996. He is a magna cum laude graduate of Boston College with a B.S. in Biology. He completed his osteopathic approved internship at Bridgeport Hospital, Yale New Haven Health in 1997. Dr. Garrity received a Master of Human Resources Degree from the American International College in 1992. He is board certified in Family Medicine. In 2006 he also became board certified in Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine/OMM by the American Osteopathic Board of Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine.

He was in practice for many years with the last ten years focused on neuromusculo- skeletal medicine and OMM. He was the interim medical director of the Vernon Community Health Center and osteopathic medical director of the Center for Integrated Medicine in Hartford. In 2000 Dr. Garrity became owner and medical director of General Medical Practice. He still serves in this capacity.

Dr. Garrity is a member of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA), the American Medical Association (AMA), the American Academy of Osteopathy (AAO), the Connecticut Osteopathic Medical Society, and the Hartford County Medical Society. Dr. Garrity has been appointed as Alternate Delegate to the AOA House of Delegates, a Delegate to the Hartford County Medical Society/Connecticut State Medical Society House of Delegates, and Committee Member on Third Party Payors for the Hartford County Medical Society /Connecticut State Medical Society. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees of the Connecticut Osteopathic Medical Society. He is a member on the Board of Advisors for the AAO Journal, the AAO Bylaws Committee, and member of the AAO Diagnosis and Treatment, Education Committee.

The American Academy of Osteopathy and general medical practice sponsor Dr. Garrity's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**Joseph A. Giaimo, D.O., FACOI, FCCP  
West Palm Beach, Florida**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Health Information Technology - “Hit” a Higher Standard of Healthcare](#)**

Dr. Joseph A. Giaimo is a second generation D.O. Like his father, Anthony Giaimo, D.O., he received his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1987. During Dr. Giaimo’s time in medical school he was elected president of Phi Sigma Gamma Medical Society. He received an undergraduate BS degree in Biology from Ursinus College in 1983. After graduating from PCOM, he completed a rotating internship at Metropolitan Hospital in Philadelphia where he served as Chief Intern. Dr. Giaimo completed an Internal Medicine residency as well as a Pulmonary Fellowship at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey. He is now board certified in Internal Medicine and Pulmonary Medicine by the American Osteopathic Association.

Upon completion of Dr. Giaimo’s training, he moved to Palm Beach County, Florida, where he now works in private practice. Dr. Giaimo immediately became an active member of both his district and state medical societies. He is currently the immediate past President of the Florida Osteopathic Medical Association. He also serves on FOMA’s executive committee and has chaired statewide committees for the organization including Continuing Medical Education, Finance, and Public Relations and Disaster Preparedness. He worked his way up through the organization, first becoming a member and then serving as Secretary, Treasurer and President of his FOMA district society. Dr. Giaimo has recently been appointed to serve on a physicians work group for Florida’s Agency for Healthcare Administration. He has also served as a member of the teaching faculty at Wellington Regional Medical Center and Columbia Hospital in West Palm Beach. He is also a clinical assistant professor at NOVA Southeastern University.

After completing his medicine residency, Dr. Giaimo enlisted in the US Naval Reserves and currently holds the rank of Commander. He has spent active duty reserve time in Jacksonville, FL, Pensacola, FL, Norfolk, VA, San Diego, CA and Naples, Italy. While at home, Dr. Giaimo was recognized by Leadership Palm Beach County and graduated from that program in 2002. He enjoys giving community lectures through the American Lung Association and often appears on local television and radio stations as a guest expert.

Dr. Giaimo is co-sponsored by Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine and the Florida Osteopathic Medical Association.

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**Wolfgang Gilliar, D.O.  
Old Westbury, New York**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Trends in Employer Health Benefits for Early Retirees: Gloom, Doom or Some \(little\) Hope?](#)**

Dr. Wolfgang Gilliar graduated from the University of Arizona in 1981 with a B.S. in Biochemistry and Physics. He earned his Doctor of Osteopathy degree from Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1986. Dr. Gilliar completed his internship at Riverside Osteopathic Hospital in Trenton, MI, followed by a residency in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at the National Rehabilitation Hospital in Washington, D.C. from 1987-1990.

Dr. Gilliar is currently Chair of and Professor in the Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine at the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine in Old Westbury, New York. Prior to his tenure at NYCOM, he served as Adjunct Clinical Assistant Professor at Stanford University School of Medicine, Palo Alto, CA, where he also had a private practice and directed the Osteopathic Manual Medicine Center of California. While in California, Dr. Gilliar co-founded the San Francisco Manual Medicine Society. Dr. Gilliar served as Assistant Professor at Tufts University School of Medicine, where he was also the Director of the Acute Traumatic Brain Injury Unit at Greenery Rehabilitation Center, and Director of the Spine Center at Mount Sinai Hospital, in Stoughton, MA. Dr. Gilliar has served as co-editor for the Journal of Manuelle Medizin (Springer Verlag).

Dr. Gilliar was awarded the Special Teaching Award (1998 and 2004) by the Stanford University School of Medicine Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. He received the Arnold Meister Award for physics research while at the University of Arizona. In 1986, he received the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians Award of Excellence. Publications include more than ten medical texts and numerous journal articles.

Dr. Gilliar is a member of the American Osteopathic Association, and has served on the Internal Affairs and Membership committees of the American Academy of Osteopathy. Dr. Gilliar currently serves on the Educational Council on Osteopathic Principles for the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine. Dr. Gilliar has been a member and Chair of the Special Interest Group of the American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation.

The New York College of Osteopathic Medicine sponsors Dr. Gilliar's participation in the Fellowship.

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**Roy W. Harris, D.O., F.A.C.O.I.**  
**Bucyrus, Ohio**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Impact of Health Savings Accounts on Access to Affordable Health Insurance](#)**

**Policy Poster: [Impact of Health Savings Accounts on Access to Affordable Health Insurance](#)**

Dr. Harris received his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from the Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1992. He graduated from the University of Alabama at Birmingham in 1984 with a B.S. in Nuclear Medicine Technology. He completed a medicine track internship at Doctors Hospital in Columbus, Ohio in 1993. He completed his internal medicine residency at Doctors Hospital in 1995. He is board certified in Internal Medicine through the American Osteopathic Board of Internal Medicine by the American Osteopathic Association.

Dr. Harris is a member of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA), the American College of Osteopathic Internists (ACOI), where he was Chairman of the exhibits committee, the Ohio Osteopathic Association (OOA), where he has served as Delegate to the OOA House of Delegates for eight years, the Ohio State Medical Association (OSMA) where he served as a past Delegate to the OSMA House of Delegates as a practicing physician and was the first student delegate to the OSMA medical students House of Delegates and the American Medical Association's (AMA) medical students section House of Delegates, the Columbus Medical Association, where he is an appointed Delegate to the OOA, the Crawford County Medical Association (CCMA), where he currently serves as President and past Vice President and elected Delegate to the OSMA. Dr. Harris was unanimously elected into the ACOI College of Fellows in October of 1999.

He started his practice of medicine in Bucyrus, Ohio. He was employed through the Bucyrus Community Hospital. He continued this association until 1999 at which time he founded Bucyrus Internal Medicine, Inc. He continues his practice today as the President and CEO. Dr. Harris's contributions to the greater Bucyrus area include an appointment to the ADAMS Board of Crawford and Marion Counties and numerous health fairs. Dr. Harris is a national speaker for several pharmaceutical firms and his research interests include diabetes and hypertension.

Bucyrus Internal Medicine, Inc. sponsors Dr. Harris's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**Robert Hasty, D.O.**  
**Fort Lauderdale, Florida**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [Obesity](#)**

Dr. Hasty attended the University of Miami where he completed his undergraduate studies with honors as a triple science major in Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, Chemistry and Biology in 1996. He then went on to receive his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO) at Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2000. He subsequently trained at Mt. Sinai Medical Center where he completed his training in Internal Medicine while receiving the Resident of the Year award for three straight years as well as receiving the Howard Kane Resident of the Year, being the first osteopathic physician ever to win that award in over forty years of academic medical training at Mt. Sinai. He also served as chief intern as well as chief resident during his training.

Dr. Hasty began his career as a hospitalist and internist for Cogent Healthcare at Lee Memorial Health Systems in Fort Myers, FL. He soon became associate lead physician for Cogent Healthcare making him the youngest lead physician in the history of Cogent Healthcare. He was also honored as a Charley's Angel for the work that he did for the hospital and community after the disaster of Hurricane Charley in 2004. Dr. Hasty is strongly committed to medical education. During his tenure on the west coast of Florida, he also established Grand Rounds for the NSU Gulf Coast medical students. Because of his love and devotion to medical education, Dr. Hasty joined NSU College of Osteopathic Medicine in March 2005. Dr. Hasty is board certified and a Diplomate of the American Osteopathic Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Hasty is currently an assistant professor of internal medicine at Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine. He is the course director for the Radiology and Cardiovascular System Courses at NSU. He is also teaches several courses at NSU in addition to his clinical responsibilities. Additionally, he is considered a thought leader and national speaker in the field anticoagulation. Dr. Hasty is the founder of NSU-COM Grand Rounds and was recently elected to the Executive Faculty Council for NSU-COM. He was chosen by the students to be the 2006 NSU-COM Chapter Professor of the Year for the National Student Osteopathic Medical Association and is the 2006 Finalist Nominee for Nova Southeastern University Professor of the Year.

Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine sponsors Dr. Hasty's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**Chellappa Kumar, Ph.D.  
Old Westbury, New York**

**Graduation PowerPoint:**

Dr. Kumar received his Doctorate in Biophysical Chemistry in 1980 from the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India. Later, Dr. Kumar carried out Post Doctoral Research in oxygen metabolism at the University of Pennsylvania for several years. Dr. Kumar has published more than three dozen research papers. Dr. Kumar has been teaching at the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine of New York Institute of Technology for the last fifteen years. Dr. Kumar also serves as the Chief Information Officer of NYCOM.

Dr. Kumar is a passionate teacher, interested in new, more effective and universal pedagogic paradigms and has been voted by students to the Excellence in Basic Science Teaching award. Dr. Kumar has envisioned and implemented several groundbreaking academic technology projects at NYCOM over the past decade. Dr. Kumar is an expert in, and evangelist for, the utilization of information technologies in education in general and medical education in particular. Dr. Kumar has delivered several lectures at national conferences on aspects of technical and cultural changes necessary to integrate modern information technology into the educational process and how to facilitate and manage these cultural changes.

Dr. Kumar has served on the Test Construction Committee for the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners. He is a member of the American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine's Council on Information Technology, the Technology Committee of the International Association of Medical Science Educators, the New York State Osteopathic Medical Society, the Association for Computing Machinery, and the International Communications Industry Association.

Dr. Kumar enjoys books, elegant solutions to technical problems, and good food.

Dr. Kumar is sponsored by the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine of the New York Institute of Technology.

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**Anne E. Musser, DO, FACOFP**  
**Anchorage, Alaska**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [State Funding for Graduate Medical Education \(Alaska\)](#)**

Dr. Musser received her D.O. degree from the University of Health Sciences, College of Osteopathic Medicine (Kansas City) in 1985. Her undergraduate degree is in zoology with a B.A. from Pomona College in Claremont, California in 1980. Dr. Musser completed a one-year rotating internship and a Family Medicine residency at Phoenix General Hospital in Phoenix, Arizona (1985-87). She received a Master of Health Professions Education from the College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific (COMP) in 1992. She is board certified in Family Medicine by the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians (ACOFP). She is also a Fellow of the ACOFP.

Dr. Musser was in solo private practice in Phoenix, Arizona for three years after her residency. She then moved back to southern California and joined the faculty at the COMP in 1990. She served a variety of positions at that school including Chair of the Department of Family Medicine and Medical Director of COMPNET clinics. She completed her Master of Health Professions Education there in 1992 and developed an Introduction to Clinical Medicine program for COMP as her Master's thesis. She left WesternU/COMP in 1999, opened a solo private practice for two years, and then returned to academic medicine at the University of California, Irvine College of Medicine (UCI) in 2001. She served UCI as the Director of Geriatric Medical Education and as Associate Clinical Professor of Family Medicine – practicing in the Family Medicine Clinic and serving as preceptor for students and residents. Dr. Musser is a successful grant writer and has been the grant writer / principal investigator on a number of grants from HRSA, state organizations, and private foundations. Topics for the grants have included doctor / patient communication, undergraduate curriculum in managed care, clinical performance assessment, primary care for people with disabilities, and geriatrics curricula. Dr. Musser moved to Anchorage, Alaska in 2005 to take the position of Director for Osteopathic Medical Education at the Alaska Family Medicine Residency (AFMR) and to obtain dual accreditation (AOA/ACGME) for that program. She currently practices and teaches the full scope of Family Medicine at the AFMR. Special professional interests include primary care for people with disabilities, geriatrics and women's health care.

Dr. Musser is currently a member of the AOA, ACOFP, Alaska Osteopathic Medical Association, and the Society of Teachers of Family Medicine (STFM). She is licensed in Arizona, California, and Alaska. She has served as an officer for a number of professional associations including board member and secretary of ACOFP-CA and board member of Pacific Northwest University. She has also served on committees for a number of professional associations. Her current assignments include Communications Committee (STFM), Group on Osteopathic Medicine (STFM) and Grants Committee (ACOFP).

The Alaska Osteopathic Medical Association, the Northwest Osteopathic Medical Foundation, and Pacific Northwest University sponsor Dr. Musser's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**George Mychaskiw II, D.O., FAAP**  
**Jackson, Mississippi**

**Graduation PowerPoint:** [The Resident Physician Shortage Reduction Act of 2007: One Small Step](#)

**Policy Poster:** [The Resident Physician Shortage Reduction Act of 2007: One Small Step](#)

**Policy Poster 2006:** [The Health Care Choice Act of 2005/S. 1015/H.R. 2355: Free Market Insurance Reform](#)

Dr. Mychaskiw is Vice-Chairman of Anesthesiology at the University of Mississippi School of Medicine and tenured Professor of Anesthesiology. He holds joint appointments in the Departments of Surgery, Pediatrics and Physiology/Biophysics.

Dr. Mychaskiw graduated from Colorado College with a B.A. in English. He pursued graduate study at the University of Colorado and completed medical school at the University of Health Sciences, College of Osteopathic Medicine in Kansas City. Dr. Mychaskiw's internship and residency in anesthesiology were conducted at the Yale University School of Medicine in the late 1980's at the Hospital of St. Raphael and Yale-New Haven Hospital, respectively. He completed fellowship training in both cardiac and pediatric anesthesiology at Yale and was appointed as an Assistant Professor in the Cardiac and Pediatric Divisions following graduation. In 1993, Dr. Mychaskiw entered private practice in Greenville, Mississippi, where he was Chief Operating Officer of the largest physician anesthesiology group in the state and Chair of Anesthesiology/Medical Director of Perioperative Services at Delta Regional Medical Center, a regional tertiary care, 280 bed hospital. In 1998, Dr. Mychaskiw was recruited as Division Chief of Cardiovascular and Thoracic Anesthesiology at the University of Mississippi. Dr. Mychaskiw is Medical Director of Perioperative Services in a system which encompasses a university operating suite, a women's hospital and a children's hospital. His department administers approximately 30,000 anesthetics per year.

Dr. Mychaskiw has published extensively across a broad area of specialization and has twelve years of experience at senior-level management. Dr. Mychaskiw has additional training in Hyperbaric Medicine through the University of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston and is certified by the American Board of Anesthesiology and National Board of Echocardiography in intraoperative transesophageal echocardiography. Dr. Mychaskiw is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics. Dr. Mychaskiw is active in resident, medical student, and nurse education and he is the only faculty member at the University to have been awarded Teacher of the Year three times. He has administrative oversight of the anesthesiology residency program and has participated in several ACGME residency reviews.

Dr. Mychaskiw is the founder of the Hyperbaric Research Center at the University, which has accomplished landmark work in demonstrating hyperbaric oxygen as the only clinically effective rescue therapy for neonatal asphyxia. In recognition of outstanding contributions to research in hyperbaric medicine, he was honored with the Stover-Link Award from the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine Society in 2003. This award is given to one person worldwide, and is awarded only in years when there is a suitable candidate.

Currently, Dr. Mychaskiw is President-elect of the Mississippi State Society of Anesthesiologists and has served as President and Secretary/Treasurer in the past. This year, he has been nominated to serve as a Member-At-Large of the Executive Committee of the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine Society and is a delegate to the American Society of Anesthesiologists for Mississippi.

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**Anthony F. Ognjan, D.O., FACP**  
**Mount Clemens, Michigan**

**Policy Poster: State Patient Safety Organizations: State-Run, Nationally Integrated, Non-Punitive, Sentinel Events Reporting Systems**

Dr. Ognjan received his Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1983. He graduated from Michigan State University with a B.S. in Microbiology and Public Health in 1975 and from Ferris State College with a B.S. in Pharmacy in 1978. He completed a one-year rotating internship at Detroit Osteopathic–Bi County Community Hospital system in 1984. Dr. Ognjan completed a residency in Internal Medicine (1987) and a Fellowship in Infectious Diseases (1989) at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, Michigan. He is board certified in Internal Medicine and Infectious Diseases by the American Society of Internal Medicine.

He has served as chief of Infectious Diseases for Mount Clemens Regional Medical Center for the past seventeen years with additional staff appointments at St. Joseph Medical Center in Clinton Township, Michigan. At Mount Clemens Regional Medical Center he is Chairman of the Infection Control Committee, the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee and the Investigational Review Board (IRB). From 1993-1997 he served as the Infectious Diseases advisor and Infectious Disease clinic director for the Macomb County Jail. From 1989 through 1994 he was an emergency room staff physician for Henry Ford Hospital-Fairlane in Dearborn, Michigan.

Dr. Ognjan holds clinical teaching faculty appointments at Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine, East Lansing, Michigan, and at the University of Osteopathic Medicine and Health Sciences, Des Moines, Iowa. He has received several teaching awards, and has published and lectured on infectious disease topics including HIV, rabies, West Nile virus, and a variety of bacterial pathogens and syndromes. He has been very active with the metropolitan Detroit news media, and has appeared on local and cable television and radio, as well as in print media.

Dr. Ognjan is a member of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA), American Medical Association (AMA), the Michigan Osteopathic Association (MOA) and is a Fellow in the American College of Physicians (FACP). He participates in the Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA), Michigan Infectious Disease Society (MIDS), and is a board member, past president, and presidential advisor of the Macomb County Osteopathic Medical Association (MCOMA). He is Chairman of the Michigan Osteopathic Association's Political Action Committee (MOPAC), and member of the Council of Government Affairs Committee, Education Committee, and Membership Committee. He serves as a member of the Special Infectious Disease Surveillance System-Michigan Infectious Disease Society and Michigan Department of Public Health. Dr. Ognjan is the physician representative on the Health Advisory Committee for the Utica Public School District. He is actively involved in the US Influenza Sentinel Physician Surveillance Network and the Michigan Health Alert Network.

The Michigan Osteopathic Association, Mount Clemens Regional Medical Center, and Dr. Ognjan's understanding wife are sponsors in Dr. Ognjan's participation in the Health Policy Fellowship.

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**J. David Scott, DO**  
**Covington, Virginia**

**Graduation PowerPoint: [The Medical Home Model: An Opportunity for Osteopathic Family Practice](#)**

Dr. J. David Scott, DO, graduated in 1992 from the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine. Dr. Scott attended West Virginia University, obtaining a BS in Geology (1978) and a MS in Resource Economics (1985) before doing pre-med instruction at West Virginia State University in 1986-1987. He completed his rotating internship at Allegheny Regional Hospital in Low Moor, Virginia in 1993 and completed his residency in Family Practice at the Colorado Springs Osteopathic Foundation and Family Medicine Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado in 1995. Dr. Scott is Board Certified by the American College Board of Osteopathic Family Physicians.

From 1978 through 1985 Dr. Scott worked in the consulting industry in the Washington DC area, completing energy and environmental projects for the EPA, DOE, JPL and various private industries. He prepared testimony for Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) hearings on energy supply issues. While attending WVU, he worked for the Governor's Office of Community and Industrial Development, where he reviewed and rated various project proposals for Appalachian Regional Commission monies and developed a successful grant from Exxon to assist sheltered workshops throughout the state.

Dr. Scott was awarded a National Health Scholarship for primary care from the National Health Service to complete his education at WVSOM. Since completing his commitment to the Johnsonville Community Health Center in Johnsonville, SC in 1997, he has worked in urgent care, large group practice, and small group practice. He currently is the Director of Greenbrier Integrated Medical Service, PLLC in Covington, VA, a position he has held since 2001.

Dr. Scott is a member of the American Osteopathic Association, the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians, the American Academy of Osteopathy and the Cranial Academy. He is a member of the Virginia Osteopathic Medical Association and a life member of the WVSOM Alumni Association.

He is being sponsored in the Fellowship by Greenbrier Integrated Medical Services, PLLC.

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