

Single GME Accreditation System

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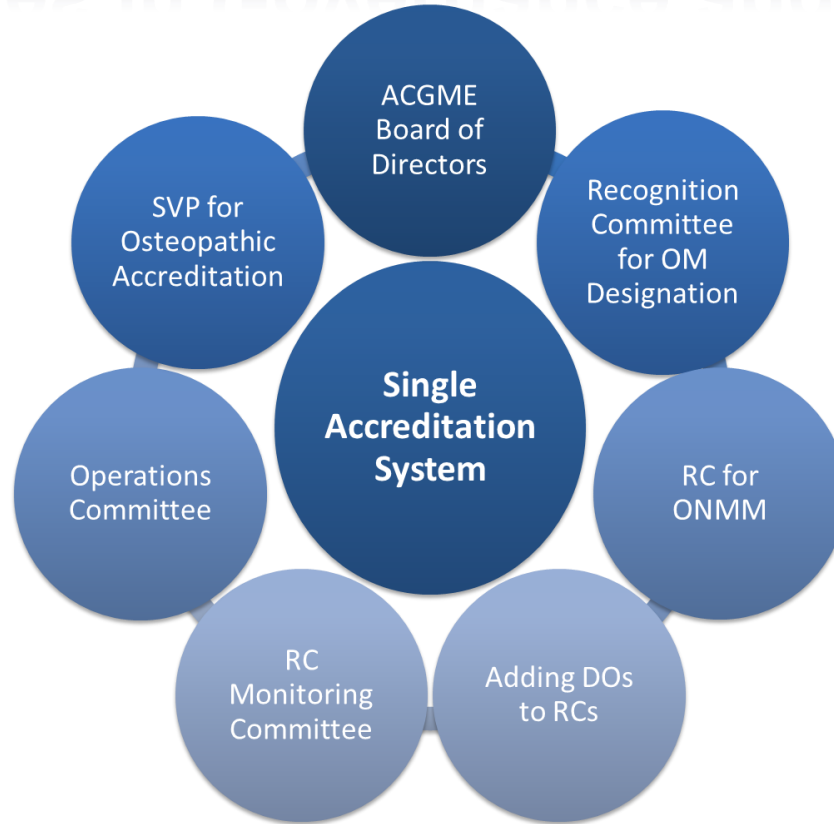
Why a Single Accreditation System?

▶ Benefits include:

- ▶ Consistent methods of evaluation and accountability
- ▶ Enhanced opportunities for trainees
- ▶ One accreditation system transparent to:
 - Federal government
 - Licensing boards
 - Credentials committees
 - Public
- ▶ Cost-savings by eliminating duplicate accreditation services



Changes in Governance and Operations



What is Staying the Same?

Changed

GME
Accreditation

The agreement **streamlines** the accreditation of GME programs but **preserves and protects** the distinctive elements of the osteopathic medical education continuum.

Unchanged

Board
Certification

CME

Predoctoral
Education

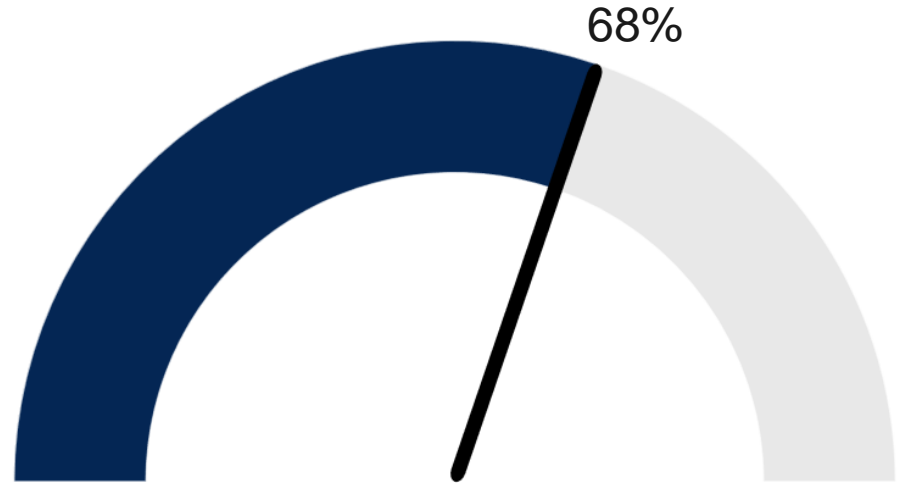
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Transitioning 1,244 AOA programs by June 30, 2020

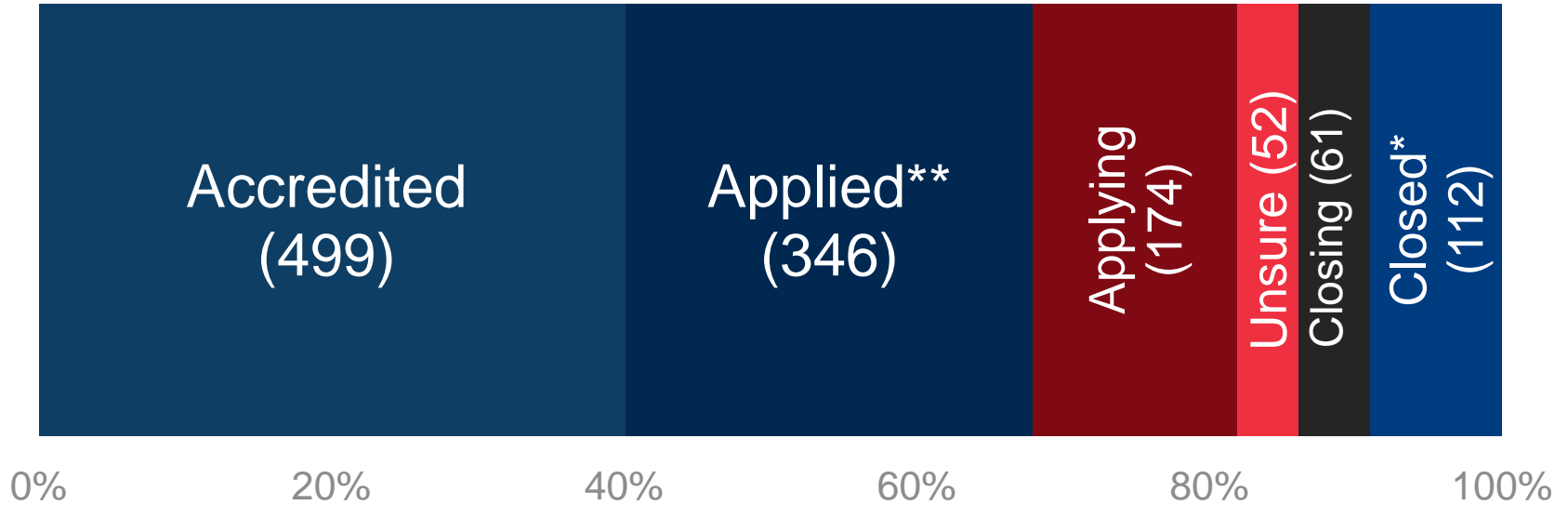
68% of 1,244 programs
ACGME accredited or pre-
accredited

- **82% of 862 residencies**
- 39% of 261 fellowships
- 26% of 121 internships



AOA Programs

1/2/2018, N=1,244



Protecting Our Residents

- ▶ If a program does not achieve ACGME initial accreditation by June 30, 2020, the AOA will retain accreditation authority to allow any remaining residents to complete training in an accredited program so they can become eligible for AOA board certification.
- ▶ Section X: Programs cannot accept residents who would complete training after June 30, 2020 unless the programs have submitted an ACGME application
- ▶ New Section X (pending): Programs cannot accept residents in 2019 if the AOA Program and Trainee Review Council believes the program is unlikely to achieve ACGME accreditation



OGME in the Single GME Accreditation System

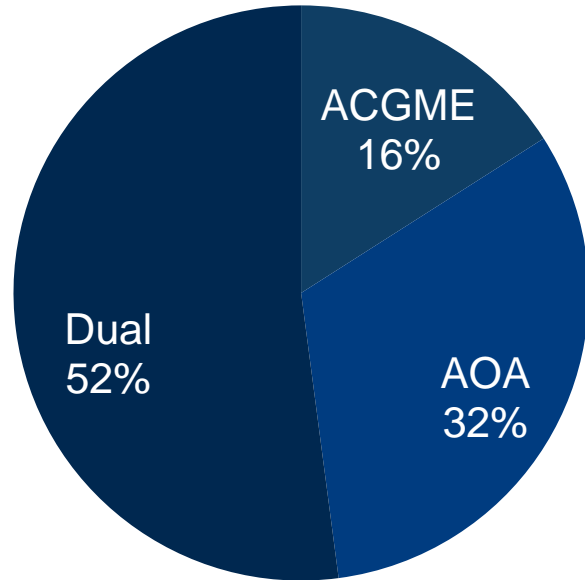
Osteopathic Recognition

Any ACGME-accredited graduate medical education may apply for Osteopathic Recognition status. The program must meet the requirements that demonstrate their ability to provide requisite training in Osteopathic Principles and Practice (OPP).



Osteopathic Recognition

1/9/2018



Must be ACGME
accredited to seek
Osteopathic
Recognition

130 programs with OR
and 15 newly
submitted applications



Where to Find Program Information

OPPORTUNITIES - AOA APPROVED INTERNSHIPS AND RESIDENCIES - SEARCH RESULTS

Results Returned : 31 (0) items in folder

SORT	ADD TO FOLDER	PROGRAM NUMBER	PROGRAM	SPECIALTY	CITY	STATE	ACGME STATUS	AOA MATCH
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	126036	OPTI-West/Arrowhead Regional Med Ctr - Obstetrics & Gynecology Residency	Obstetrics & Gynecology	Colton	CA	Initial Accreditation	Can participate in 2018 AOA Match
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	351058	CEME/Osceola Regional Medical Center - Obstetrics & Gynecology Residency	Obstetrics & Gynecology	Kissimmee	FL	Initial Accreditation	Can participate in 2018 AOA Match
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	360658	CEME/Community Health of South Florida - Obstetrics & Gynecology Residency	Obstetrics & Gynecology	Miami	FL	Continued Pre-Accreditation	Can participate in 2018 AOA Match



Where to Find Program Information

- ▶ AOA Opportunities webpage

- ▶ <http://opportunities.osteopathic.org/search/search.cfm?searchType=1>

Also see:

- ▶ AMA FREIDA

- ▶ <https://www.ama-assn.org/life-career/search-ama-residency-fellowship-database>

- ▶ ERAS

- ▶ <https://apps.aamc.org/myeras-web/#/landing>

- ▶ Osteopathic ERAS

- ▶ <http://www.osteopathic.org/inside-aoa/Education/students/Pages/electronic-residency-application-service.aspx>

- ▶ ACGME website – search programs and institutions

- ▶ <https://apps.acgme.org/ads/public/>



Fully Transitioned Programs



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TREATING OUR FAMILY AND YOURS

OPPORTUNITIES



→ Search

→ Help

→ Application

→ Resources

→ Folder

WELCOME TO OPPORTUNITIES - AOA-APPROVED POST DOCTORAL TRAINING

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BASIC SEARCH

SEARCH BY:

-- Select Program Type --

Clear Search

[Attention Students! Click here to read important Match information!](#)

[Former AOA Programs That Have Transitioned to ACGME Accreditation](#)

This list contains all programs that withdrew their AOA approval after achieving ACGME Accreditation.

[Programs Offering Education in Osteopathic Principles and Practice](#)

This list contains all ACGME-accredited ONMM programs and programs that have received Osteopathic Recognition.



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**For further questions, please call
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