



ATTAINING OSTEOPATHIC RECOGNITION

In Your Residency Programs



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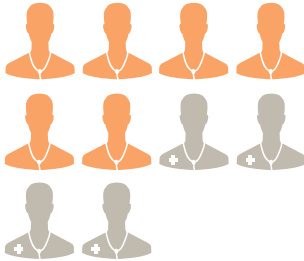
percent of third-year osteopathic medical students prefer to seek residency training programs with osteopathic recognition.

OSTEOPATHIC GME STRENGTHENS YOUR PHYSICIAN RECRUITMENT EFFORTS AND PATIENT CARE.



A FOCUS ON WELLNESS AND PREVENTION = LOWER COSTS

Institutions and programs that produce DOs are demonstrating their commitment to providing high-quality, community-based care with a focus on wellness and prevention. Sixty percent of DOs practice in primary care specialties – the type of care that has been shown to lower costs.



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Percentage of DOs nationally practicing in primary care.

American Osteopathic Association, 1,000 Osteopathic Medical Students And Physicians Lobby For Student Debt Relief, Support For Primary Care. 2015. <http://bit.ly/1K70yww>

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percent of all physicians-in-training are osteopathic medical students.

It's a growing profession. DO and MD graduates see osteopathic-focused programs as an attractive option. Add that osteopathic focus, and you gain a powerful recruiting advantage.

WHAT WILL IT COST TO APPLY?

NO APPLICATION FEES ARE REQUIRED TO APPLY FOR OSTEOPATHIC RECOGNITION THROUGH ACGME.

Many current osteopathic programs have invested resources associated with incorporating recognition concepts. Programs new to incorporating osteopathic medicine may incur costs, depending on infrastructure and faculty availability.

For more information go to the ACGME Osteopathic Principles Committee web page: <http://bit.ly/1Sbhwyh>

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