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Standing Rules of Convention

The Standing Rules of Convention were adopted March 9, 1971, by the Board of Trustees, and are as follows:

Special Committees serving the annual business meeting shall be appointed by the president as follows:

(a) Committee on Credentials Three Members
(b) Committee on Resolutions Three Members
(c) Tellers Three or More Members
(d) Sergeant-at-Arms One Member

At the opening of the business meeting or as soon thereafter as possible, the Committee on Credentials shall report the number of members registered and eligible to vote.

(1) A member wishing the floor must rise, address the chair and give his or her name and town so that it may be recorded in the minutes.

(2) Debate on any one motion or subject shall be limited to three minutes to each speaker. No person shall speak on the same subject more than once until all have spoken who wish to do so. No person shall speak on the same subject more than twice, except by a majority vote of the members present.

(3) All resolutions, except those contained in the reports of Officers, the Executive Board and Committees, shall be in writing and shall be signed by two voting members.

(4) Motions of more than a few words shall be written, signed and sent to the presiding officer when made.
Annual Business Meeting Agenda

1. Call to order – C. Michael Ogle, DO
2. Invocation – Gabriel M. Pitman, DO
3. Pledge of Allegiance – Michael K. Cooper, DO
4. Appointment of Special Committees – Dr. Ogle
   Committee on Credentials (3)
   Committee on Resolutions (3)
   Tellers (3+)
   Sergeant-At-Arms (1)
5. Introduction of National Dignitaries – Dr. Ogle
6. Memorial Service – Dr. Ogle
7. Presentation of Life Memberships – Dr. Ogle
8. 2015 Annual Audit – Dr. Ogle; Dr. Pitman; Barbara Henry, CPA
9. Presentation of 2015 Annual Business Meeting Minutes – Dr. Ogle
10. Reports from Bureaus & Committees:

   **Department of Professional Affairs**
   Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, chief
   - Bureau on Awards
     LeRoy E. Young, DO, vice chair
   - Bureau on Membership
     Timothy J. Moser, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Continuing Medical Education
     Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Constitution & Bylaws
     Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Postgraduate Education
     Kayse M. Shrum, DO, chair
   - Bureau of New Physicians, Residents & Students
     Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, chair

   **Department of Public Affairs**
   Kayse M. Shrum, DO, chief
   - Bureau on Information Technology
     Timothy J. Moser, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Legislation
     LeRoy E. Young, DO, chair
     Gary C. Bastin, OOA lobbyist
     Mark Snyder, OOA lobbyist

   **Department of Business Affairs**
   Michael K. Cooper, DO, chief
   - Bureau on Finance
     Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Member Services
     Christopher A. Shearer, DO, chair
   - Bureau on Convention
     Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, chair
   - District Presidents’ Council
     Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, chair
   - Past Presidents’ Council
     Bret S. Langerman, DO, chair

11. Supplemental Reports
   - OEFOM: Gary McClanahan, president
   - OOPAC Committee: LeRoy E. Young, DO, chair
   - OSU-CHS & OSU-COM: Kayse M. Shrum, DO, OSU-CHS president & OSU-COM dean
   - OOA Executive Director: Lana G. Ivy, MBA, executive director
   - Oklahoma Osteopathic Board of Examiners: Dr. Ogle, OSBOE secretary
   Reports from members serving in elected government, federal or statewide positions

12. Presentation of the Nominating Committee Report – LeRoy E. Young, DO, chair
13. Election of Officers – Dr. Ogle
14. Old Business
15. New Business
16. Adjournment
Call to Order

Michael K. Cooper, DO, President of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association (OOA), welcomed all in attendance and called the meeting to order on April 30, 2015, at 2 p.m.

Invocation

C. Michael Ogle, DO, provided the invocation.

Pledge of Allegiance

Bret S. Langerman, DO, then led the physicians in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Appointment of Special Committees

President Cooper appointed the following committees and individuals:

- Credentials Committee: Ronald S. Stevens, DO; David F. Hitzeman, DO; Jeffrey A. Gastorf, DO
- Resolutions Committee: Jeffrey R. Jones, DO; William J. Pettit, DO; Christopher A. Shearer, DO
- Tellers: Duane G. Koehler, DO; Melissa A. Gastorf, DO; James W. Hogan, DO
- Sergeant-at-Arms: Timothy J. Moser, DO

Introductions of Guests and National Dignitaries

Dr. Cooper then introduced national dignitaries and thanked them for coming:
- Kevin V. de Regnier, DO, FACOFP dist., president of the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians
- Duane G. Koehler, DO, secretary/treasurer of the ACOFP Board of Governors
- Rebecca D. Lewis, DO, resident governor of the ACOFP Board of Governors
- Ray E. Stowers, DO, former American Osteopathic Association president

Memorial Service

Music played as the names were read aloud of osteopathic physicians who have passed on since the 114th Annual Convention. They include:

- William B. Geb, DO
- Jeffrey F. Jennings, DO
- Joseph A. Keuchel, DO, FACOOG dist.
- Henry W. Harnish, DO
- Timothy A. Soult, DO
- O. Joe Looper, DO
- Cecil A. Moore, DO
- Margaret Ann Carlile (daughter of past president Thomas J. Carlile, DO, and regular attendee at annual conventions)

Dr. Cooper then asked for a moment of silence in their memory.
**Presentation of Life Membership Awards**

The Life Membership Awards go to osteopathic physicians who have been consecutively dedicated members of the OOA for 25 years and at least 70 years of age. Dr. Cooper asked them to come forward and accept their life membership plaques. They are as follows:

- Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, MACOI
- Joseph R. Schlecht, DO, FACOFP
- Larry A. Burns, DO
- Arthur G. Coder, DO
- J. Dewayne Geren, DO
- Donald W. Hahn, DO
- Robert L. Shepler, DO
- Gerald D. Wootan, DO, MEd, FACOFP

**Presentation of the OOA’s 2013-2014 Annual Audit**

Michael K. Cooper, DO, called upon Peter Terranova, CPA, and Barbara Henry, CPA, to present the Annual Audit Report for the year ending Oct. 31, 2014. Ms. Henry thanked Lynette C. McLain, executive director, and staff for their assistance. She directed members to turn to page 10, the Independent Auditor’s Report. She then read directly from the Independent Auditor’s Report: “We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc., which comprise of the state of financial position as of Oct. 31, 2014, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair representation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.” Ms. Henry continued by mentioning she was delighted the OOA has an outside CPA who does the month-to-month reporting. She speaks with Mrs. McLain regarding internal control procedures.

Ms. Henry concluded by reporting, “In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc. as of Oct. 31, 2014, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.”

Ms. Henry then directed membership to the statement of financial position on page 11. The investment balance decreased from $706,852 to $578,023. However, dues increased about $20,000. The fiscal year ended with $449,109 in unrestricted assets and $52,709 in restricted assets. Permanently restricted is similar to an endowment, where we might be able to use interest but cannot use principal. She then addressed the statement of activities, including sources of revenue and expenses. Membership dues are up to $536,676. Convention income is down a bit and operating expenses are up to about $1.35 million compared to $1.23 million the previous year. The net change in assets is a negative $201,728, and the OOA pulled from its investments to cover that deficit. Ms. Henry reviewed the next page which covered functional expenses. She asked membership to review the list for questions.

Dr. Hitzeman asked why there was an increase in cost. Dr. Ogle reported the multi-track costs was an increased cost to broaden our CME offering. However, we’re hoping to increase our CME revenue. We also are discussing other ways to increase revenue and decrease expenses.

Dr. Hitzeman asked if we expect a financial loss again this year. Dr. Ogle said perhaps we should expect a loss but not $200,000 worth and this issue has the attention of the board. Mrs. McLain reported legal fees we incurred that had nothing to do with the association.

Thomas H. Conklin Jr., DO, asked if the employee pension plan was fully funded. Dr. Ogle said yes.

Ms. Henry said something that will help in the coming year is the decrease of one employee. This will have a significant impact on the bottom line.

She then moved on to the statement of cash flows, showing change in net assets. This is completed as required using the indirect method. A better presentation of the cash flow is performed using the direct method. This requirement will likely be changed to the direct method.
Ms. Henry then directed membership to the income tax summary beginning on page 16. She read, “The organization is generally no longer subject to examinations by taxing authorities for years prior to 2012. No current income tax examinations of the corporation’s income tax returns are in progress.”

She also stated there were no subsequent events to be reported.

She also reported under the “going concern” section, the association relies on membership and dues and advertisements to support its operations. It has sufficient investments to cover current operating loss. Cash on hand and cash equivalents include BancFirst $247,889 and Wachovia Securities, Inc. $578,023.

Ms. Henry then outlined permanently restricted assets include net assets, which support the Physicians Health Fund.

There being no further questions, Ms. Henry concluded her report.

**Presentation of the OOA’s 2014 Annual Business Meeting Minutes**

Dr. Cooper asked membership to review the minutes from the last annual meeting. Dr. Conklin made a motion to approve the minutes of the 2014 annual meeting. Dr. Ogle seconded. Approved unanimously.

**Reports from Bureaus and Committees**

The reports from the bureaus and committees are provided by the chairs of the respective entities unless otherwise notated:

- **Bureau on Awards:** Dr. Koehler stated the report is found on page 39 and is informational. The awards will be given out throughout the course of the convention.

- **Bureau on Membership:** Dr. Melissa Gastorf, announced the bureau has met 10 times this year and the report is on page 39. The bureau recommended 37 new members, four waivers for dues, zero reductions, zero reinstatements, nine life members, zero honorary life members. All were approved by the Board of Trustees. To date, the OOA membership is 2,066, including 1,147 paid members. This report is informational in nature and brings no resolutions.

- **Bureau on Physician Grievance:** H. Zane DeLaughter DO, announced the bureau did not meet in the last year, and there is nothing to report.

- **Physicians’ Health & Recovery Committee:** The bureau report can be found on page 40.

- **Bureau on Continuing Medical Education:** Dr. Cooper reported on behalf of Melinda R. Allen, DO, and announced the bureau report is on page 40.

- **Bureau on Constitution & Bylaws:** Dr. Cooper reported on behalf of Kayse M. Shrum, DO, and stated the report is on pages 40 and 41.

- **Bureau on Postgraduate Education:** Dr. Cooper reported on behalf of Kristopher K. Hart, DO, and stated the report is on page 41.

- **Bureau of New Physicians, Residents and Students:** Dr. Shearer reported two meetings in the past year. Dr. Shearer also reported changing its name from the Bureau of New Physicians to the Bureau of New Physicians, Residents and Students to more closely align with who we are serving. He mentioned the report on page 41.

- **Bureau on Information Technology:** Dr. Moser stated the bureau met over the course of the past year and the report is on page 42 and is informational only.

- **Bureau on Legislation:** LeRoy E. Young, DO, provided a legislative update earlier in the day and stated the report is on page 42 and 43 and is informational only.

- **Bureau on Public Awareness:** Dr. Cooper reported on behalf of Dr. Shrum that the report is listed on page 43.
Health Policy Task Force: Dr. Koehler stated there is no formal report as the task force did not meet in the past year. The summary is on page 43.

Bureau on Finance: Dr. Ogle stated the Bureau on Finance report is on page 43.

Bureau on Member Services: Bobby N. Daniel, DO, reported the bureau met three times in the past year and approved a motion naming NBC Oklahoma as a Recommended Company. The report is on pages 43 and 44.

Bureau on Convention: Dr. Ogle stated the report is on page 44 and is informational only.

Bureau on Professional Liability Insurance: Dr. Ogle stated the report is on page 44. There were no changes to our policy and there are no resolutions to bring forward.

Bureau on Managed Care & Physician Reimbursement: Dr. Stevens reported two meetings in the past year and the report is on page 44 and there are no resolutions to bring forward. This report is informational only.

District Presidents’ Council: Dr. Melissa Gastorf stated the council met jointly with the Past Presidents’ Council at the 2015 Winter CME Seminar in Catoosa. She reported the OOA’s Director of Advocacy and Legislation Matt Harney, MBA, personally visited nine districts and presented a legislation update with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Oklahoma serving as a sponsor. Each district meeting included an election or reaffirmation of officers, which keeps the districts in compliance with OOA Bylaws. The report is on page 44 and 45 and is informational only, and no resolutions were presented.

Past Presidents’ Council: Dr. Cooper reported on behalf of Layne E. Subera, DO, and stated the summary is on page 45.

Supplemental Reports
Dr. Cooper stated the reports for the Oklahoma Educational Foundation for Osteopathic Medicine, Oklahoma Osteopathic Political Action Committee, Oklahoma State University Center for Health Sciences College of Osteopathic Medicine, Oklahoma Osteopathic Association Executive Director, and the Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners are on pages 24-38.

Presentation of Nominating Committee Report
Dr. Young asked membership to turn to page 45. The committee met Feb. 5, 2015, at the OOA Central Office. It lists those in attendance. The committee recommends the following for consideration:

President-Elect: Gabriel M. Pitman, DO
Vice President: Kayse M. Shrum, DO
Trustee one-year term ending 2016: Richard W. Schafer, DO
Trustee one-year term ending 2016: Clayton H. Royder, DO
Trustee three-year term ending 2018: Christopher A. Shearer, DO
Trustee three-year term ending 2018: Melissa A. Gastorf, DO

Election of Officers
Dr. Young made a motion for Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, to be elected as president-elect. Dr. Pitman was elected unanimously.

Dr. Young made a motion for Kayse M. Shrum, DO, to serve as vice president. Dr. Shrum was elected unanimously.

Dr. Young made a motion for Richard W. Schafer, DO, as a trustee for a one-year term ending in 2016. Dr. Schafer was elected unanimously.

Dr. Young made a motion for Clayton H. Royder, DO, as a trustee for a one-year term ending in 2016. Dr. Royder was elected unanimously.
Dr. Young made a motion for Christopher A. Shearer, DO, as a trustee for a three-year term ending in 2018. Dr. Shearer was elected unanimously.

Dr. Young made a motion for Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, as a trustee for a three-year term ending in 2018. Dr. Gastorf was elected unanimously.

Dr. Young reported the following list had been recommended to serve at the 2015 AOA House of Delegates. They are as follows:

1. C. Michael Ogle, DO
2. Gabriel M. Pitman, DO
3. David E. Hitzeman, DO
4. Layne E. Subera, DO
5. Bret S. Langerman, DO
6. Stanley E. Grogg, DO
7. Michael K. Cooper, DO
8. Dennis J. Carter, DO
9. LeRoy E. Young, DO
10. Duane G. Koehler, DO
11. Kayse M. Shrum, DO
12. Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO
13. Melissa A. Gastorf, DO
14. Timothy J. Moser, DO
15. Joseph R. Schlecht, DO
16. Ronald S. Stevens, DO
17. Student Delegate

A motion was made to approve the delegates. Motion approved unanimously.

Dr. Young then read the list of alternate delegates. They are as follows:

1. Ray E. Stowers, DO
2. Scott S. Cyrus, DO
3. Thomas J. Carlile, DO
4. Trudy J. Milner, DO
5. William J. Pettit, DO
6. Christopher A. Shearer, DO
7. Justin S. Sparkes, DO
8. Tammie L. Koehler, DO
9. H. Zane DeLaughter, DO
10. John F. Rice, DO
11. Richard W. Schafer, DO
12. Clayton H. Royder, DO
13. Gordon P. Laird, DO
14. Dale Derby, DO
15. Jonathan K. Bushman, DO
16. Jason L. Hill, DO
17. Alternate Student Delegate

A motion was made to approve the alternate delegates. Motion approved unanimously.

Dr. Cooper congratulated those confirmations.

**Old Business**

Dr. Cooper then asked if there was any old business. There being no old business, Dr. Cooper then moved to new business.
Dr. Cooper asked membership if there was any new business.

Dr. Cooper adjourned the meeting.

Dr. Cooper made an announcement the ACOFP would meet in this room at 3 p.m. today.

Dr. Cooper then immediately called the meeting back to order and proposed the following changes regarding the OOA Constitution & Bylaws, listed on pages 40 and 41:

Constitution
Article IV. Membership
The membership of this Association shall consist of Doctors of Osteopathy or Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine and of such others as have met the requirements as prescribed by the Bylaws of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association and shall include Regular, Life, Honorary Life, Associate, Student, Resident, Fellow, Institutional, and such others as stated in the Bylaws.

Bylaws
Article I, Section 4. Associate Member
By specific action of the Board of Trustees, associate membership may be granted to teaching, research, administrative, or executive employees of accredited osteopathic colleges or of osteopathic hospitals approved by the American Osteopathic Association, members' full-time employees, and to administrative employees of this Association or of affiliated organizations or of district societies, excepting Doctors of Osteopathy or Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine and students in osteopathic colleges. Such association member shall be required to pay dues in an amount determined by the Board of Trustees, but shall not be required to pay assessments. Associate members shall not be eligible to vote or to hold any elective office of this Association; however, they may serve as ex-officio members of committees. They may attend the annual business meeting upon the invitation of the Board of Trustees.

Article I, Section 5
Student, Resident, and Fellow Membership
Student membership status may be granted to any undergraduate student in an accredited college of osteopathic medicine upon endorsement of the application by the Board of Trustees, or to any osteopathic physician serving in a postdoctoral training program accredited by the American Osteopathic Association or the American College of Graduate Medical Education.

Article IV Elections, Section 1. Qualifications
Membership in the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, the American Osteopathic Association and his or her district society shall be a requisite for qualification for any officer or for any member of any department, division, bureau, or committee of the Association, however selected, if the candidate is a Doctor of Osteopathy or Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine.

Article VI. Duties of Officers, Section 4. Past President
The Past President shall be the Chairman of the Department of Business Affairs and shall be liaison to the Advocates to the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association. Reference should be made to the Administrative Guide for further details.

Duane G. Koehler, DO, then reported Article I, Section 5 should read “Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Education” instead of “American College of Graduate Medical Education.” Dr. Cooper accepted the editorial change.

A motion was made to approve these amendments, both printed and editorial. Motion approved unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Cooper adjourned the meeting.
Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc.

Audit Report

on

Financial Statements

for Fiscal Year Ending

Oct. 31, 2015

Issued

Dec. 28, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR’S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of
Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc.
Oklahoma City, OK

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc. (an Oklahoma nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of October 31, 2015, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management’s Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor’s Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor’s judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity’s preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity’s internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Oklahoma Osteopathic Association, Inc. as of October 31, 2015, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Barbara Henry, CPA
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
December 28, 2015

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### OKLAHOMA OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION
### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
### FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2015

**10/31/2014**
*(MEMO ONLY)*

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<td>Building and Equipment</td>
<td>107,793</td>
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<td>Less: Accumulated Depreciation</td>
<td>(74,829)</td>
<td>63,497</td>
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<td><strong>Total Property and Equipment</strong></td>
<td>32,964</td>
<td>44,295</td>
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<td>49,962</td>
<td>49,959</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL ASSETS</strong></td>
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<td>$935,812</td>
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| **LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS** | | | |
| **CURRENT LIABILITIES** | | | |
| Accounts Payable | 8,816 | 20,004 | |
| Accrued Liabilities | 0 | 0 | |
| **Total Current Liabilities** | 8,816 | 20,004 | |
| **OTHER LIABILITIES** | | | |
| Dues Collected in Advance | 394,271 | 409,150 | |
| Advocate Dues Collected in Advance | 0 | 0 | |
| Advance CME Meetings Income | 0 | 7,780 | |
| Advance Convention Income | 0 | 0 | |
| Advance Journal and Directory | 2,600 | 860 | |
| **Total Other Liabilities** | 396,871 | 417,910 | |
| **TOTAL LIABILITIES** | 405,387 | 437,910 | |

| **NET ASSETS** | | | |
| Unrestricted | 258,639 | 449,109 | |
| Temporarily Restricted | 0 | 0 | |
| Permanently Restricted | 52,712 | 52,709 | |
| **Total Net Assets** | 351,351 | 501,818 | |
| **TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS** | $756,738 | $935,812 | |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.
## OKLAHOMA OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION
### STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2015

| REVENUES AND OTHER SUPPORT                          | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total (
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### EXPENSES

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| Change in Net Assets                                 | $ (150,467) | (150,467) | (201,726) |

| Net Assets, October 31, 2015                         | $ 351,351 | 0        | 0        |

See accompanying notes to financial statements
## OKLAHOMA OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION
## STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
## FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2015

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<th>Category</th>
<th>TOTAL PROGRAM 10/31/2015</th>
<th>TOTAL 10/31/2014 (MEMO ONLY)</th>
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<td>Dues and Subscriptions</td>
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<td>AOA Official Travel</td>
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<td>Delegates</td>
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<td>111,000</td>
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<td><strong>1,364,064</strong></td>
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<td>Depreciation</td>
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<td><strong>11,361</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Total Expenses Per Program</strong></td>
<td><strong>1,293,726</strong></td>
<td><strong>1,375,425</strong></td>
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## OKLAHOMA OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION
### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2015

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<th>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</th>
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<td>Change in net assets</td>
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<td>Adjustments to reconcile changes in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:</td>
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<td>Depreciation</td>
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<td>Receivables</td>
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<td><strong>Total adjustments</strong></td>
<td>$(21,362)</td>
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<td><strong>NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES</strong></td>
<td>(171,829)</td>
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| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: | | 
| Change in Investments                | 213,255 |
| **NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES** | 213,255 |

| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: | | 
| Net change in Short-term Liabilities | $(20,919) |
| **NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES** | $(20,919) |

| INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | 20,507 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, October 31, 2014 | 247,889 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, October 31, 2015 | $268,396 |

See accompanying notes to financial statements
Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Organization

Oklahoma Osteopathic Association is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to provide members with the resources, information, and leadership which enables them to provide medical services in an effective professional manner. The organization strives to improve the quality of Osteopathic medical care through an effective continuing medical education program.

The staff of the Association is dedicated to promoting the purpose of the organization. They provide an exceptional environment for success.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Association have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and accordingly reflect all significant receivables, payables and other liabilities. Net assets and revenues, expenses, gains and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

The Association reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to SFAS No. 117 which requires an organization to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, gains, losses and other changes in net assets during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Support and Expenses

Revenue is primarily derived from membership dues, convention revenue, and from providing continuing medical education programs. The organization uses the accrual basis of accounting for recording support and revenues, recording revenues when billed, and recording expenses when incurred.
Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable net of the allowance for uncollectible accounts is for services rendered at the amount billed under contract. Accounts are considered delinquent and subsequently written off as bad debts based on individual credit evaluation and specific circumstances of the account.

Investments and Investment Returns

Investments consist of mutual funds, certificates of deposit and equities and are carried at fair value, determined by quoted market price. Investment return includes dividend, interest and other investment income, realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments carried at fair value and realized gains and losses on other investments. Investment return that is initially restricted by donor stipulation and for which the restriction will be satisfied in the same year is included in unrestricted net assets. Other investment return is reflected in the statements of activities as unrestricted or temporarily restricted based upon the existence and nature of any donor or legally imposed restrictions.

Property and Equipment

The Association capitalizes expenditures for property and equipment and carries the assets at cost of acquisition. Donated property and equipment are carried at fair value at the date of donation. The Association provides for depreciation by use of the straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of assets—five years for equipment.

Office Equipment $107,793
Less: Accumulated Depreciation-10/31/15 (74,829)
Total Book Value -10/31/15 $32,964

Contributions

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Contributions received that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted support that increases those net asset classes. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions. The Association received no permanently restricted contributions during the year end October 31, 2015. Contributions whose restrictions are met in the same reporting period are reported as unrestricted contributions.

Income Taxes

The Association is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code and a similar provision of state law. In addition the Association qualifies for the charitable deduction under Section 170 (b)(1)(A) and has been classified as an organization that is not a private foundation under Section 509 (a)(2). Advertising sales
and certain other revenues, net of related expenses, are taxed as unrelated business income. The Organization is generally no longer subject to examinations by taxing authorities for years prior to 2012. No current income tax examinations of the Corporation's income tax returns are in progress.

**Functional Allocation of Expenses**

The costs of supporting the operating programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities and the statement of functional expenses. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated to the program and supporting services which benefit the association. As of October 31, 2015, all expenses have been allocated to unrestricted activities.

**Subsequent Events**

The Association has evaluated events through December 28, 2015, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued. There are no subsequent events to be reported.

**Concentrations of Risk for Cash Held in Bank**

Financial instruments that potentially expose the Organization to concentrations of credit and market risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents. The Association has cash on deposit with financial institutions in excess of insurance limits at various short periods of time during the year. The cash held by the Association at October 31, 2015, is maintained at quality financial institutions and credit exposure is limited to the amount in excess of the insurance at any one institution. Management and the Board of Trustees review the funds periodically to ascertain the risk as related to the referred financial institution.

**Going Concern**

The Association relies on membership dues and advertisements to support its operations. It has sufficient investments to cover current operating losses.

**Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash, cash equivalents, and Investments at October 31, 2015 include the following:

- **BancFirst** $ 268,396
- **Wachovia Securities, Inc.** $ 364,766

**Total Cash and Cash Investments** $ 633,162

The Association considers all liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents except those funds deposited in bank accounts which are restricted in use. At October 31, 2015, cash equivalents consisted of a money market mutual fund with a broker. Cash on deposit at BancFirst in the amount of
$49,962 in the name of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association Physicians health Fund is restricted in its use. These restrictions preclude the amount from being considered as cash or cash equivalents for the purposes of these financial statements.

**Accounts and Interest Receivable**

Accounts and Interest Receivable at October 31, 2015 include the following:

- **Trade Accounts Receivable**: $30,400
- **Notes Receivable - Physicians Recovery Fund**: $2,750
- **Total Accounts and Interest Receivable**: $33,150

**Inventories and Prepaid Expenses**

The Association held no inventories on October 31, 2015. During the current period, the Association paid expenses applicable to the year ending October 31, 2015, which include the following:

- **Prepaid Convention Expense**: $0
- **Prepaid Expenses**: $7,500
- **Total Prepaid Items**: $7,500

**Investments**

The Association has elected to invest part of its unrestricted funds in low-risk mutual funds. These investments are reported at a Fair market Value as of October 31, 2015. The corresponding difference in value is reported as unrealized gain or (loss) which is $(19,578) at October 31, 2015.

**Accounts Payable**

Accounts payable consists of expenses recorded during the year for which payment had not been made by October 31, 2015. All of the accounts payable are due within 30 days of the end of the year.

- **Trade Accounts Payable-10/31/15**: $8,516

**Revenue Collected in Advance**

Revenue collected during the fiscal year which will not be earned until the fiscal year ending 10/31/2015, is recorded as Unearned Revenue of $396,871 as of 10/31/15.

**Permanently Restricted Net Assets**

Permanently restricted net assets are restricted to support the Physicians Health Fund:

- **BancFirst Money Market Account**: $49,962
- **Notes Receivable-Physicians Health**: $2,750
- **Physicians Health Fund**: $52,712
Pension Plan

The Association has adopted a defined contribution retirement plan for the benefit of its employees. The Plan requires that 15% of salaries be contributed to the plan for each of the eligible employees on an annual basis. The contributions to the plan are made monthly. Therefore, there are no unfunded pension liabilities. The contributions to the pension plan for the year ended October 31, 2015, is $43,357.

Lease Commitments

The Association leases certain office equipment and its office space on long-term lease commitments. Rent for the office space for the fiscal year is $35,620 as of October 31, 2015. The equipment and furniture lease liability for the fiscal year is $13,080. Lease of the common area is $6,540 for the fiscal period. The leases have been executed with a related organization, and while the term of the arrangement is lengthy, the lease payment amounts are renegotiated in intervals that maintain the rates at fair market values. The lease amounts will increase at a rate of 3% per year beginning with the second year of the lease agreement. The lease was effective on November 1, 2014.
When the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association staff informed me that it was time for me to write the Annual President’s Report, I started to protest as it could not possibly have been a year already. The year has gone by quickly because we were busy. By “we” I include the OOA staff, the Board of Trustees and you, the membership.

One of the most enjoyable events of the year was having the privilege of speaking at the Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic Medicine commencement in May. I had the honor of administering the Osteopathic Oath to the 2015 OSU-COM graduates! In August, I participated in the OSU-COM “White Coat Ceremony” for the 2015 entering class. My goodness they looked young!

In July, our delegation headed back to Chicago for the annual American Osteopathic Association House of Delegates meeting. The Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education “merger” remained the key topic at the meeting. While it is clear that this merger has been finalized, the impact and unattended consequences are still unclear. We will look back in 10 years and hopefully say the osteopathic profession was brilliant in taking this path.

Almost every presidential year is remembered for a key event or key issue that required the most energy and effort during the year. My presidency was no different as the first week of June, Lynette C. McLain, our executive director, informed me of her plan to retire no later than Dec. 31, 2015. After 42 years of employment by the OOA and 16 years as the executive director, our “icon” was leaving. Needless to say, we spent considerable time and effort in preparing for the hiring of the new executive director. I would like to congratulate the search committee for an excellent job in hiring a new executive director. The search committee was chaired by Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, along with members Bret S. Langerman, DO; Kayse M. Shrum, DO; Trudy J. Milner, DO; and myself. The membership should be greatly appreciative of the work done by this committee. After months of due diligence by the committee, a candidate was presented to the Board of Trustees, and they subsequently hired Lana G. Ivy, MBA, on Oct. 1, 2015, and she took the reins on Nov. 1, 2015.

Executive Director Ivy hit the ground running and has quickly been able to assimilate with our staff and the board. Her experience in management and fundraising has already made a difference in our financial stability. I want to publicly thank Lana for her willingness to be adaptive to our culture at the OOA, while at the same time gently bringing new ideas and possibilities to her staff and to the Board of Trustees.

In October, we were off to Orlando, Florida, for OMED, the Osteopathic Medical Conference and Exposition—another great educational event put on by the AOA. After days and days of lectures, it was time for a break, so many of us headed to Jamaica for the president’s post convention retreat and educational conference.

We had our annual past president’s Christmas party in December. This party was special as we honored Lynette as a surprise. Our attendance at this event was sensational as more than twice as many people attended as normal. The stories told that night revealed the love and appreciation the OOA has for Lynette and her husband, Don.
We welcomed in our new year in January with a successful 2016 Winter CME Seminar at the Hard Rock Hotel in Catoosa, Oklahoma. Our attendance was strong this year, and we appreciate the efforts of the OOA staff and Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, the program chair.

In February, I attended the AOA Mid-Year Board of Trustees meeting. Hot topics included changes in continuing medical education, possible changes to the size and makeup of the board, and, as always, there was continued discussion about ACGME.

March and April are legislative months. We have again seen the normal desire by paraprofessionals, who without additional education, try to advance their scope of practice through legislation. Fortunately, with the help of our lobbyists and our Bureau on Legislation, led by LeRoy E. Young, DO, we have been successful in controlling the dialogue on this issue with our legislators. Currently, we are tracking a number of bills, and we will continue to advocate for the members of the association and for the patients we serve.

I cannot begin to thank everyone that helped me during my year, but I can't help but try. The executive committee—made up of Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, Michael K. Cooper, DO, Dr. Shrum, and Dr. Pitman—was consistent in their support and advice throughout the year. The Board of Trustees themselves are an incredible and diverse group of physicians who humbly donate their time and expertise to our members and our profession. Our staff at the OOA are dedicated to their jobs and to the osteopathic profession. Thank you Lisa, Audrey, Marie, Matt and Lana for all you do and how you gently guided me through the year.

Lastly, I would like to thank my family, Renee, Derek, Grant, Jacob, Josie and Charlie, for sharing me with the OOA and forgiving me for missing many of your events through the past year.

Ladies and gentlemen, it was truly an honor to serve!

C. Michael Ogle, DO
OOA President 2015-2016
Organizational Change

At the writing of this report I have been in my position as executive director of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association for a little more than four months. I am honored to serve as your new executive director and to have the opportunity to advance the OOA’s mission.

As with any organization, the transition of organizational leadership and management presents change and opportunity. Although the OOA is 116 years old, it is still evolving just as health care continues to evolve. Not unlike for my predecessors, there are challenges to overcome and opportunities to explore to maintain a strong association.

I look forward to working with the OOA Board of Trustees on these challenges and opportunities as we work to enhance the organization. I want to thank OOA President C. Michael Ogle, DO, the OOA Executive Committee, and the OOA Board of Trustees, for their warm welcome and the support and guidance they have given me over these last few months.

In looking at the last OOA business year (April 2015 - April 2016), I see the impact that the OOA has made, and I am committed to building on that performance to ensure our mission, goals and strategies are supported by a fiscally sound, economically sustainable operation.

The organizational legacy of the OOA over the past 116 years has been truly remarkable and it is something I am proud to be affiliated with knowing the contributions of every single person associated with the OOA fulfills our mission of advocating for the osteopathic profession and promoting the health and well-being of all Oklahomans.

Membership

Membership is the lifeblood of our organization. It is also the largest revenue source for the OOA’s operating budget. Increased membership allows us to do more for you.

In fiscal year 2015, membership was up from 1,166 to 1,183 over the previous year. Membership numbers include 1,139 dues paying practicing members; 310 residents; 425 students; 108 life members; 79 retired/waived physicians; 41 military or public health reduced dues paying physicians; and four associates.

With the help of Christopher A. Shearer, DO, Bureau on Member Services chair, an OOA membership survey, the first in more than 10 years, was sent in the months of February and March, and we are awaiting the final results. The feedback from this survey is important and will be valuable to us as we plan for the future. Thank you to all who participated in this survey. Under the direction of Marie Kadavy, director of membership and communications, membership remains a priority for the OOA.
**Education**

Providing quality continuing medical education (CME) is essential to the OOA’s mission. Category 1-A, which is required by the American Osteopathic Association for membership and specialty colleges for certification, is important to the OOA as an AOA-accredited sponsor for CME.

The 2015 Summer CME Seminar was held Aug. 14-15 in Branson, Missouri. The seminar entitled, “Blast from the Past,” offered 17 AOA Category 1-A CME credits and was attended by 49 people.

The 2016 Winter CME Seminar, “The Future is Now,” was held Jan. 22-24 at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Catoosa, Oklahoma. The seminar offered 17 AOA Category 1-A CME credits and was attended by 332 people.

Under the leadership of Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, general convention chair, and Kayse M. Shrum, DO, program chair, the 116th Annual Convention, “Medicine’s New Frontier,” is scheduled for April 28-May 1 at the Embassy Suites Norman Hotel and Conference Center in Norman, Oklahoma. The program was approved for 27.5 hours of AOA Category 1-A CME credit. In addition to other responsibilities, each OOA staff member has played a significant role in the conference planning and implementation.

Under the capable direction of Audrey Hendricks, education coordinator, CME remains an important priority for the OOA as we look to collaborate with other organizations in expanding our CME offerings.

**Advocacy**

The OOA’s Bureau on Legislation and Board of Trustees continue to build relationships with legislators and address legislation affecting the osteopathic profession. Under the staff direction of Matt W. Harney, MBA, director of advocacy and legislation, it proved to be another busy legislative session with modifications made to the PMP legislation and the filing of a lawsuit to overturn HB 1020. HB 1020 allows patients to be evaluated and treated by a physical therapist for 30 days without a referral from a physician or other provider.

Fourteen osteopathic physicians volunteered their time during March to serve as Doctor of the Day at the Oklahoma State Capitol.

Oklahoma Osteopathic Medicine Day at the Capitol was held March 30, 2016. Fifty members of the osteopathic family including OOA board members, Oklahoma State University College of Osteopathic Medicine students and OOA staff advocated for the profession at the capitol. Students were matched with their respective legislators and were asked to thank them for their support of OSU Medical Center, discuss the significance of the Physician Manpower Training Commission, ask them to support SB 253—which adds an osteopathic voice to the Department of Mental Health Board—and solutions for the Oklahoma Medicaid system. Oklahoma Speaker of the House Jeff Hickman spoke to them as a group and thanked them for their service to the underserved.

The OOA continues to reach out to our district chapters through personal visits and presentations at each location. Since August, there have been 10 district meetings in the state coordinated and attended by OOA staff.

**OSU Center for Health Sciences**

We were excited to learn that in August the Tobacco Settlement Endowment Trust (TSET) decided to partner with the Oklahoma State University Center for Health Sciences and the OSU Medical Authority to support the launch of medical residency programs to place doctors in rural and medically underserved portions of the state. The TSET Board of Directors awarded a six-year, $3.8 million grant to Oklahoma State University Medical Authority to address this issue.

Under the leadership of OSU Center for Health Sciences President and OOA Vice President Kayse M. Shrum, DO, TSET’s grant will fund up to 118 osteopathic physician residents in six hospitals across the state, through a combination of TSET and matching federal funds via the Oklahoma Health Care Authority. Sixty-four of the state’s 77 counties are classified as areas with a shortage of primary medical care providers by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ Health Resources and Services Administration.

**Communication, Publications & Social Media**

Each Friday, the OOA sends out a report from the OOA Central Office. The OOA Report keeps our members up to date on all OOA-sponsored events and programs, AOA programs, and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services information and provides links to news articles of interest.
The Oklahoma DO continues to be published nine times each year with the Annual Directory coming out in September. The Bureau on Finance voted to pare back on printing all issues and put those not printed online. Each month’s issue is online regardless of whether it is printed. Back issues are available on the OOA website at www.okosteo.org. The OOA is on social media and can be accessed anytime at the following addresses. We hope you will like us, follow us and engage with us through this medium.

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Mentor & Mentee

The OOA’s Mentor and Mentee Program continues to be a success. In August 2015, there were 111 incoming first-year OSU-COM students who attended the event at the Renaissance Hotel in Tulsa. The OOA, under Mr. Harney’s direction, paired the osteopathic medical students with volunteer OOA physician members who joined together for an initial dinner meeting to get acquainted. During this evening, the OOA and Oklahoma Educational Foundation for Osteopathic Medicine jointly sponsor a gift of a stethoscope for each new student, and they are presented their gift at the close of the dinner. OOA officers, as well as Student Osteopathic Medical Association officers, are introduced to the new class of students who are encouraged to join SOMA that night. It is hoped these relationships will strengthen during the remainder of the students’ training. We thank all of you who volunteer your time as a mentor and for valuing this important relationship that strengthens the osteopathic profession.
The OEFOM has had a successful year for 2015-2016. The 2015-2016 OEFOM Executive Committee is led by myself as president and Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, as vice president. Beginning in June 2016, the new leadership will be Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, president; Jeffrey L. Shipman, DO, president-elect; Kayse M. Shrum, DO, vice president; and the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association’s new executive director, Lana G. Ivy, MBA, secretary/treasurer. The Board of Trustees also welcomes LeRoy E. Young, DO, Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, and J. David Ogle, JD, to the OEFOM Board.

The OEFOM awarded five scholarships to students at OSU-COM who applied for the OEFOM Endowed Scholarship. Twenty-one students applied for scholarships, which was the highest number of applicants anyone could recall. Please encourage any worthy osteopathic student to apply for a scholarship next year. More information can be found on the Foundation’s page on the OOA website. Scholarships are awarded during the OOA’s Annual Convention.

The OEFOM established the Lynette McLain Osteopathic Continuing Medical Education Fund to honor outgoing Executive Director Lynette C. McLains’s many years of outstanding service to the profession. This fund will support continuing medical education and will have a long standing impact on health care in Oklahoma. If you wish to contribute to the Lynette McLain OCME Fund, please visit the Foundation page on the OOA website.

In September 2015, the Oklahoma Osteopathic Educational Center started receiving updates to the facility. The OEFOM financed the modernization of the center’s break area, landscaping around the building, installation of a handicapped ramp near the entrance, and another handicapped parking spot for easier accessibility. Future upgrades will be the installation of a storm shelter and restroom reconstruction.

Two trustees will be leaving the OEFOM Board of Trustees at the end of this service year: Kristopher K. Hart, DO, and B. Gore Gaines, JD. Please join with me in thanking Dr. Hart and Mr. Gaines for their years of support and contributions to the Foundation. The Trustees would like to thank each of you for your continued support of the Oklahoma Educational Foundation for Osteopathic Medicine. I would like to thank all the current 2015-2016 OEFOM Board Members for their time and commitment.

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The Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners meets quarterly throughout the year. These meetings are scheduled on the third Thursday of March, June and September and the second Thursday of December.

**2016 Calendar**

1st Meeting: March 17, 2016  
2nd Meeting: June 16, 2016  
3rd Meeting: Sept. 15, 2016  
4th Meeting: Dec. 8, 2016

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Oklahoma law charges the osteopathic board with the duty to protect the public health and welfare. The board accomplishes this mission in three ways: licensing, education and discipline. Physicians who meet the eligibility requirements receive an initial or renewed Oklahoma license to practice osteopathic medicine in this state. Physicians who violate the Oklahoma Osteopathic Medicine Act, 59 O.S. § 620 et.seq. are subject to discipline. Board staff regularly accepts requests to conduct training on the rules and regulations of the profession.

**Currently Licensed Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons**

In State: 2,469  
Out of State: 364  
PGY-I Temporary Residents: 52  
Total: 2,885  
Not Renewing in 2015: 113

**License Renewal**

Oklahoma law requires all osteopathic physicians licensed in Oklahoma to renew their licenses by July 1, 2016. Online renewal will be utilized again this year. The board believes this is a tremendous benefit to physicians because it permits immediate processing and credit card payments. The state legislature mandated that all agencies convert to online licensure in order to reduce paper usage. The board will continue to require all renewals to be done electronically.
Adverse Reports

In 2015, the board processed 155 reports by citizens or other regulatory agencies complaining about adverse treatment by osteopathic physicians. This represents a slight increase over 2014 numbers. In 2015, the board also reviewed 108 reports of medical malpractice and professional liability payments.

Forty-three cases were opened for investigation. A number of these allegations are still under investigation. Some may result in disciplinary action. In addition to these consumer complaints and reports, the board addresses many inquiries and referrals throughout the year.

Discipline

In the past year, 26 new adverse board actions were reported to the Federation of State Medical Boards’ (FSMB) Board Action Data Bank and the Federal Government’s National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB), which affected 18 Oklahoma licensed osteopathic physicians. These actions were classified by the FSMB as either prejudicial or non-prejudicial. In 2015, there were 13 prejudicial actions—those that modify or restrict licensure. Nine actions resulted in restriction of license or license privileges. The remaining non-prejudicial actions involved reinstatement following disciplinary action. Currently, there are 32 osteopathic physicians practicing on terms of probation, monitoring or with some restriction on their licenses.

Continuing Medical Education

In 2015, the board continued the reporting policy for CME. When renewing in 2016, all physicians will again be asked to certify they obtained the appropriate number of credit hours and that these hours meet the requirements of Oklahoma law. All physicians are expected to maintain a file that verifies such compliance. Rather than the onerous process of verification at the time of renewal, the board will subsequently conduct regular, random CME audits.

Many physicians continue to attend CME programs that are not accredited by the American Osteopathic Association or are accredited other than Category 1. Many of the specialty hours and most of the hours earned at American Medical Association programs do not receive AOA Category 1 credit. Thus, such hours may not be used to fulfill the annual license renewal requirement. It is the responsibility of the physician to make certain all CME hours meet the requirements of Oklahoma law.

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2015-2016 Annual Report

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The OOPAC Committee met in February of 2016.

OOPAC monetary transfers in 2015 totaled $22,900 to candidate committees and PACs. In the month before the 2016 legislative session began, the OOPAC contributed an additional $11,750.

Due to the many contribution requests at the beginning and ending of the year, contributions can vary significantly year-to-year but typically amount to approximately $40,000 annually.

OOPAC contributions and pledges so far in 2016 total $32,349.

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Contributions to state legislators are not allowed during legislative session, but will continue five days after Sine Die (as permitted by law).
Since 1977, 2,932 osteopathic physicians have graduated from OSU. More than half of the graduates remain in Oklahoma to practice medicine, and approximately one in four are in Oklahoma communities with fewer than 25,000 people.

- Alumni practice in 48 of the 50 states in the U.S.
- Three alumni are practicing or serving in the military overseas
- More than 2,296 are in active practice
- 306 are currently in GME programs
- 54 percent are in primary care practice
- 1,165 or 54 percent practice in Oklahoma
- 57 percent of Oklahoma graduates are in active primary care practice

A.R. and Marylouise Tandy Medical Academic Building

OSU-CHS officially broke ground on its new four-story, 84,000-square-foot A.R. and Marylouise Tandy Medical Academic Building in October. The state-of-the-art facility will provide training for the OSU College of Osteopathic Medicine. The A.R. and Marylouise Tandy Foundation donated $8 million, the largest gift ever received by OSU-CHS, to support the construction of the new medical academic building. The 84,000-square-foot building will include a hospital simulation center with an emergency room, operating room, intensive care unit, birthing suite and ambulance bay that will enable students to simulate procedures and practice skills commonly utilized in hospitals across the country.

TSET Grant

OSU-CHS received a six-year, $3.8 million grant in August to support the launch of medical residency programs to place doctors in rural and medically underserved areas of the state. TSET’s grant will fund up to 118 osteopathic physician residents in six hospitals across the state, through a combination of TSET and matching federal funds via the Oklahoma Health Care Authority.

A Stately Affair in Tulsa

OSU-CHS and OSU-Tulsa raised more than $600,000 in May to support student scholarships at the biennial black-tie gala fundraiser, “A Stately Affair in Tulsa.” Jack Allen, chairman of HUB International CFR, and David Kollmann, division president for Flintco, served as co-chairs for the event, with Oklahoma Gov. Mary Fallin serving as the honorary chair. The event honored the 2015 Icons for OSU in Tulsa: Bob E. Jones, CAE, former executive director of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association; Bishop Edward J. Slattery of the Catholic Dioceses of Tulsa; Bryan Close, president of CloseBend, Inc.; and Peggy Helmerich, community volunteer.

Primary Care Ranking

OSU College of Osteopathic Medicine was ranked as one of the best medical schools for primary care training in the country by USCollegeRanking.org. OSU-COM placed 77th among all medical schools in the nation based on 10 indicators that use data and information from groups such as the National Center for Education Statistics.
Health Care Administration Rankings

The online OSU-CHS Health Care Administration program was ranked among the best in the nation in 2015. It was ranked fourth in the country by Public Health Online and SuccessfulStudent.org. It was also ranked third most affordable by Healthcare-Administration-Degree.net and 12th best value in America by TheBestSchools.org.

Kern-Headington Scholarship Challenge

Senior U.S. District Judge Terence Kern, his wife Jeanette Kern, and Jeanette’s brother Tim Headington donated $750,000 to establish the Kern-Headington Scholarship Challenge. The scholarship challenge’s goal is to significantly increase the number of scholarships available to OSU medical students who plan to practice in rural Oklahoma.

Athletic Training

OSU-CHS began offering a master’s degree in athletic training in June, the first program of its kind to be associated with an osteopathic medical school and the first graduate program in the new School of Allied Health. The first cohort of seven students are finishing the first year of the program this spring.

Addiction Medicine Focus Course

OSU-COM launched a new focus course in addiction medicine for second-year medical school students in March. The new curriculum is part of an effort to train primary care physicians to identify and treat patients battling with addiction.

First International Medical Rotation in Uganda

Eight OSU-COM students traveled to Uganda in September on the first international medical rotation in the war-torn nation. The rotation was launched in partnership with Sister Rosemary Nyirumbe and the Saint Monica’s Girls Vocational School.

Drug-Impaired Drivers

Jarrad Wagner, PhD, associate professor of forensic sciences, partnered with the Oklahoma Highway Safety Office and the Governor’s Impaired Driving Prevention Advisory Council in August to test new devices that could detect drug-impaired drivers. As part of a study, Oklahoma state troopers collected samples from suspected impaired drivers and provided samples to OSU-CHS for evaluation.

Operation Orange

More than 400 Oklahoma high school students experienced a day in the life of an OSU medical student in June as part of OSU-CHS’ Operation Orange summer camps. The camps were hosted at Northeastern A&M College in Miami, Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, East Central State University in Ada, Sequoyah High School in Tahlequah and Oklahoma State University in Stillwater.

Med-Xtravaganza

OSU-COM hosted events for high school students and undergraduate college students to learn more about medical school. Participants toured the campus and learned about the application process.

National Rural Health Day

OSU-CHS hosted National Rural Health Day in November, an annual event that helps increase awareness of the Americans who live in rural areas and small towns with limited access to primary health care.

Rural Health Care Focus Fair

Second-year medical students participated in mini speed conferences during the Rural Health Focus Week in November. The fair spotlighted many rural health organizations and residencies, which provided students with information about each program.
Research Day at OSU-CHS
Students, faculty and staff showcased research happening at OSU-CHS and OSU-Tulsa during the Fifth Annual OSU in Tulsa Research Day in February. The event included 65 research posters and seven oral presentations—the most entries since OSU in Tulsa Research Day was launched in 2011.

Rural Healthcare Innovation Weekend
OSU Center for Health System Innovation hosted the inaugural Rural Healthcare Innovation Weekend in November in Downtown Tulsa. This event was designed to cultivate new products and services in the rural healthcare industry. Participants brainstormed ideas and presented their findings to a panel of judges. Entrepreneurs, technology developers and health care providers discussed nine ideas to improve rural primary health care during the event.

DO Day on Capitol Hill
About 30 OSU-COM medical students traveled to Washington, D.C. to join students, osteopathic medical students and physicians from across the nation for DO Day on Capitol Hill in March. The event, hosted by the American Osteopathic Association, offered students the opportunity to discuss medical school and health policy issues with members of Congress and their staff.

Center Around Health Fair
Second-year medical students offered free health screenings such as blood pressure and cholesterol screenings, oral health and stress management education in November at the Center for Individuals with Physical Challenges in Tulsa.

Summer Golf Classic
The 2015 Summer Golf Classic was hosted by the OSU-CHS Alumni Association at the Cherokee Hills Golf Club in May. Proceeds from the event support student scholarships, student senate activities, alumni activities and aid medical school programs.

Pete’s Pet Posse Tulsa
Pete’s Pet Posse expanded its pet therapy program to OSU-CHS and OSU-Tulsa in October. Therapy dogs are available for students, faculty and staff who need a furry friend to aid them in stress relief efforts, wellness or grievances. P3T is part of OSU’s America’s Healthiest Campus initiative.

Visiting Iranian Researchers
Iranian graduate students Aghdas Dehghani and Shadan Saberi conducted a six-month renal physiology research project at OSU-CHS last fall. The researchers focused on men and women’s blood pressure regulation as well as the influence of hormones on blood pressure to determine the influence of estrogen and testosterone on how kidneys process sodium and correlated those results with changes in blood pressure.

Dr. Pete’s Big Event
First-year medical students spent their first day of orientation giving back to the community during Dr. Pete’s Big Event in August. The students volunteered at 10 locations across Tulsa, including St. Simeon’s Senior Community, LIFE Senior Services, Hospitality House of Tulsa, Center for Individuals with Physical Challenges, Clarehouse Hospice and Global Gardens. This charity event is aimed at giving back to the community and helping others in need.

OKstars and Native OKstars
Twenty Oklahoma high school students presented their research projects to peers, faculty and graduate students as part of their six-week summer internship at Oklahoma Science and Training and Research Students program or OKstars and Native OKstars. Each student paired with a faculty member and research team to conduct scientific studies in biology, anatomy, forensics and other areas.

Partner in Education
Throughout the year, students, faculty and staff supported Eugene Field Elementary School as part of the Partner in Education program. Volunteers donated snacks during the school’s annual testing period, hosted a Halloween trick-or-treat event, arranged
Thanksgiving baskets for students and their families, collected holiday gifts for the students and stocked the Eugene Field food pantry with non-perishable items.

**United Way**
OSU-CHS and OSU-Tulsa students, faculty and staff participated in the United Way's annual campaign and raised $61,422.18 all together to support Tulsa Area United Way, surpassing their joint goal of $60,000.

**Family Fun Day**
OSU-CHS and OSU Medical Center hosted a Family Fun Day at OSU-CHS in July. The free event provided relaxation and festivities for students, residents, faculty and staff and their families. It featured live music, a dunk tank, face painting and a Teddy Bear Clinic.

**Osteopathic Scrub Run**
The annual Osteopathic Scrub Run in April raised funds to support St. Baldrick's Foundation, an organization that supports childhood cancer research. The annual 5K run is organized by OSU-COM students.

**Mini-Medical Schools**
OSU-COM hosted a Mini-Medical School for Kids to spark children's interest in science. The children participated in four interactive stations including anatomy, nutrition, science experiment and an outdoor station. The children learned about human anatomy, made healthy snacks, conducted a science experiment and participated in various fitness activities. This event was sponsored by the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians Club.

**St. Baldrick’s**
Twenty-four OSU-COM faculty and staff members shaved their heads or beards to raise awareness for St. Baldrick’s Foundation, a national charity dedicated to raising money for children’s cancer research. Many people shaved their heads in honor of a loved one who passed away from the disease. The event was hosted by OSU students and featured live music, food, a silent auction fundraiser, shaving cream and 150 people who raised about $5,000 to support childhood cancer research.

**Tulsa Women’s Living Expo**
OSU Physicians Obstetrics and Gynecology Department offered health consultations and free 3D ultrasound demonstrations at the annual Tulsa Women’s Living Expo in February. OSU physicians answered questions and provided health care information for women and expectant mothers.

**White Coat Society**
The White Coat Society was established to honor those who have contributed to scholarships, programs and initiatives at OSU-CHS. The White Coat Society members are recognized at three levels based on their giving—Leaders, Champions or Physicians.

**SHIP Grants**
OSU Center for Rural Health awarded nearly $500,000 in federal Small Hospital Improvement Program (SHIP) grants to 57 rural hospitals in Oklahoma. Each hospital was awarded $7,956 for implementing value-based purchasing and measures to reduce hospital readmissions and medical quality.

**SOMA Foundation Scholarships**
Micah Wright, OMS-IV, and Reagan Gill, OMS-IV, were awarded Student Osteopathic Medical Association Foundation Diversity in Medicine scholarships in March. Wright and Gill were recognized for their multiculturalism and diversity, which impacts medical education.

**AOCR Awards Ceremony**
George E. Erbacher, DO, adjunct clinical assistant professor of radiology, received the 2015 Dr. Floyd J. Treenery memorial Medal
at the American Osteopathic College of Radiology awards ceremony in April. Dr. Erbacher was awarded for his outstanding service to the AOCR didactic program.

**Graduate College Fellowship**

Biomedical sciences doctoral student Robert Lewis was selected for a 2015 OSU Graduate College Summer Dissertation Fellowship in April. He was awarded $6,000 along with a tuition waiver for three summer credit hours. Lewis researched the cardiovascular effects of social bonding.

**AOA CME Grant**

The American Osteopathic Association awarded a $5,000 grant in April to the Office of Continuing Medical Education for a Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy program that was offered at the 32nd Annual Primary Care Update. The training addressed the growing problem of prescription and drug abuse and misuse.

**Partner in Education Award**

OSU-CHS was honored with the Partner in Education Award in May for its work with students at Eugene Field Elementary School. As part of Tulsa's Partner in Education program, OSU-CHS students, faculty and staff collect holiday gifts, classroom snacks and other items as well as conduct many after-school activities for the elementary students throughout the year.

**Patrick Murray Award**

Joshua S. Burke, DO, surgical ophthalmology resident with OSU Physicians, was honored with the Patrick Murray Award in May for attaining the highest score in the nation on the Ophthalmic Assessment Program examination.

**Colorful Choices Challenge**

OSU Center for Rural Health employees won the first-ever Colorful Choices Challenge at OSU in May. The online competition documented healthy eating and more than 530 employees across all five OSU campuses, four A&M affiliates and 77 county extension offices participated in the six-week event.

**OSU SAC Awards**

The OSU Staff Advisory Council in Tulsa honored Linda Lawrence, clinical education program coordinator, and Ashley Adkins, director of university affairs, with Awards of Excellence in June. The awards are presented annually to recognize employees who go above and beyond to support the university.

**Research Intern Awards**

OSU-CHS summer interns Eric Bates and Bishr Swar won awards for their work at a recent statewide research conference in Oklahoma City in July. Bates, a Tulsa Community College student, and Swar, a Northeastern State University student, were part of the Oklahoma IDEA Network of Biomedical Research Excellence (INBRE) program.

**OCPRA Awards**

OSU Marketing and Communications Services in Tulsa received 11 awards overall and placed first in the print advertising and multimedia categories at the annual Oklahoma College Public Relations Association Conference in July. The team also earned five second-place awards for digital advertising campaign, newsletters, video, radio spot and social media, and two third-place awards for direct mail and logo design.

**National Science Foundation grants**

Paul Gignac, PhD, assistant professor of anatomy, was awarded three grants from the National Science Foundation. He received a $300,000 grant to fund research on methods for visualizing soft-tissue anatomy in micro-CT images. He was awarded a $520,000 grant to study the emergence of the “flight-ready” brain of birds as they evolved from dinosaurs. He and a colleague from the University of Washington received a $15,000 grant to bring American Indian college students to the annual meeting of the Society for Integrative and Comparative Biology.
AACOM Scholarship

Shcarry Chatmon, OMS-III, was awarded the prestigious 2015 American Association of Colleges of Osteopathic Medicine’s Sherry R. Arnstein Student Scholarship in August. Chatmon was selected out of nine recipients nationwide for her outstanding credentials in osteopathic medicine.

OSU-CHSI Awards

OSU-CHSI presented awards to two alumni, Ipe Paramel and Vedika Dengada, for outstanding achievements in care delivery and data analytics in August. Paramel received the Patterson Foundation Outstanding Innovator in Care Delivery Award and Dengada was presented the Patterson Outstanding Innovator in Data Analytics Award. OSU-CHSI also presented the Patterson Foundation Outstanding Rural Physician Partner Award to Tracy S. Sanford, DO, and Tim H. Sanford, DO, during National Rural Health Day in November. Both physicians are graduates of OSU-COM and practice primary care medicine in Okmulgee.

AOF Physician of the Year

OSU-COM alumnus Craig A. Dietz, DO, was selected as the 2015 Physician of the Year by the American Osteopathic Foundation in September. The award honors his integrity, commitment to service, community involvement and dedication to the osteopathic profession.

50 Making a Difference

*The Journal Record* honored OSU-CHS President Kayse M. Shrum, DO, and OSU/A&M Regent Trudy J. Milner, DO, both OSU-COM alumnae, among 50 women who are making a difference in Oklahoma. They were recognized in October at the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum in Oklahoma City.

Project AAIMS grant

The U.S. Department of Education awarded a $1.4 million grant to an Oklahoma consortium for efforts to increase STEM educational opportunities for American Indian students. The OSU-CHS Office for the Advancement of American Indians in Medicine and Science is a partner in the consortium.

Raymond M. Alf Museum of Paleontology Award

Kent Smith, PhD, associate dean for the Office for the Advancement of American Indians in Medicine and Science and professor of anatomy, was presented the Raymond M. Alf Museum of Paleontology Award for Excellence in October. He is the first recipient of this award and is recognized for his efforts in paleontological research and education.

Graduate Student Honored for Research Presentation

OSU-CHS doctoral student Allison McDonald was awarded the Superior Presentation in Cell Biology and Biochemistry Award at the 2015 Sigma Xi Annual Meeting and Student Research Conference in Kansas City, Missouri, in November.

Rural Hospital Awards

The Oklahoma Office for Rural Health honored three hospitals for reporting outpatient measures to the Medicare Beneficiary Quality Improvement Project during National Rural Health Day in November. The three institutions include St. John Sapulpa Hospital, AllianceHealth in Madill and Arbuckle Memorial Hospital in Sulphur.

Cancer Sucks, Inc. Donation

Cancer Sucks donated $15,000 to Rashmi Kaul, PhD, to help fund liver and uterine cancer research at OSU-CHS. Since 2006, Cancer Sucks has donated more than $165,000 to support Kaul’s research.

Student Doctor of the Year
Fourth-year medical student Matthew Smith was named the OSU-COM 2015 Student Doctor of the Year by fellow medical students and faculty members in December. He was honored for his outstanding leadership, community service and dedication to the osteopathic profession.

**TSET Board of Directors**

Bruce Benjamin, PhD, vice provost for graduate programs, was appointed to the Tobacco Settlement Endowment Trust Board of Directors in October. He represents the communities that make up the 2nd Congressional District in northeastern Oklahoma.

**National SOMA Board President**

OSU medical student Alex Smith, OMS-III, was elected president of the national Student Osteopathic Medical Association at the organization’s annual meeting in Orlando, Florida, in October. His term began April 2016.

**National Student Executive Board of ACOFP**

Third-year medical student Sherrita Polk was elected secretary of the National Student Executive Board of the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians in March. Her duties include maintaining the roster of all local Student Association of ACOFP chapters, present quarterly summaries of activities and oversee the performance of all local chapter officers and committees.

**Anesthesiology Club**

Daniel Watkins, vice president of the Class of 2018, created a new student organization designed for people interested in pursuing a career in anesthesiology. The Anesthesiology Student Interest Group promotes the osteopathic principles of anesthesiology in relation to disease and offers a forum for discussion between students and anesthesiologists.

**OMED Poster Competition**

Sepideh Darbandi, OMS-III, was selected to participate in the Student Prize Competition at the Osteopathic Medical Conference (OMED) in October in Orlando, Florida. Darbandi presented her research project on how antibiotic-resistant strains of bacteria can lead to chronic urinary tract infections.
Department of Professional Affairs
Chief: Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, President-Elect

Bureau on Awards
Members: Scott S. Cyrus, DO, chair; LeRoy E. Young, DO, vice chair; Layne E. Subera, DO; Bret S. Langerman, DO; Michael K. Cooper, DO; Marie Kadavy, staff

This bureau is comprised of the five immediate past presidents and meets annually to select recipients to receive recognition awards during the Annual Convention. Award categories include: Rookie Physicians of the Year; Awards of Appreciation; Outstanding and Distinguished Service Award; A.T. Still Award of Excellence; and Doctor of the Year.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau on Membership
Members: Timothy J. Moser, chair; Clayton H. Royder, DO, vice chair; Marie Kadavy, staff

The Bureau on Membership has held 10 meetings since May 2015. The bureau made the following recommendations: 42 new members; one waiver or reduction in dues; zero reinstatements; 15 life memberships; and zero honorary life memberships. The OOA Board of Trustees approved all recommendations.

To date, OOA membership is 2,078, including 1,105 paid members.

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Bureau on Physician Grievance

The Bureau on Physician Grievance provides peer review for osteopathic physician members of the OOA. Membership on this Bureau is a position of the highest trust. The integrity and judgment of these responsible physicians must always remain impeachable.

Cases can be referred by a third party carrier, patient or other agency to this bureau, and conversely, a doctor may make an appeal to the bureau about a carrier’s decision on a specific case.

The Bureau on Physician Grievance was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and has not met over the past year. Until April 26, 1992, the Bureau on Physician Grievance was known as the Bureau on Ethics and Peer Review.

Physicians Health & Recovery Committee

The Physicians Health & Recovery Committee was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and has not met over the past year.
Bureau on Continuing Medical Education

Members: Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, chair; Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, vice chair; C. Michael Ogle, DO; Michael K. Cooper, DO; Melinda R. Allen, DO; Duane G. Koehler, DO; H. Zane DeLaughter, DO; John L. Owens, DO; Dale Derby, DO; Joseph R. Johnson, DO; Kayse M. Shrum, DO; Jeffrey A. Gastorf, DO; Nicholas J. Bentley, DO; Ronald S. Stevens, DO; Ryan W. Schafer, DO; Scott S. Cyrus, DO; Timothy J. Moser, DO; George E. Ebner, DO; David H. Good, DO; Lana G. Ivy, MBA, executive director; Marie Kadavy, staff; Audrey K. Hendricks, staff

The Bureau on Continuing Medical Education continues to bring quality educational CME programs to OOA members. This bureau meets during the summer and winter CME seminars and selects the chairs and topics for future seminars. Tammie L. Koehler, DO, chaired the 2015 Summer CME Seminar held at the Chateau on the Lake in Branson, Missouri. The American Osteopathic Association granted this program “Blast from the Past” 17 AOA Category 1-A credits. Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, chaired the 2016 Winter CME Seminar held at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Catoosa, Oklahoma. The American Osteopathic Association granted this program “The Future is Now” 17 AOA Category 1-A credits.

This report is informative in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau on Constitution & Bylaws

Members: Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, chair; Christopher A. Shearer, DO, vice chair; LeRoy E. Young, DO; Gabriel M. Pitman, DO; Timothy J. Moser, DO; C. Michael Ogle, DO; Kayse M. Shrum, DO; Matt Harney, MBA, staff

The bureau acts upon any changes to the Constitution & Bylaws as well as the Administrative Guide before board action is taken. The bureau met in December 2015. The bureau did not recommend any changes to be discussed during the 2016 annual business meeting.

Bureau on Postgraduate Education

Members: Kayse M. Shrum, DO, chair; Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO, vice chair; Melissa A. Gastorf, DO; James P. McClay, DO; Mark A. Keuchel, DO; Damien W. Kinzler, DO; David W. Behm, DO; Kevin C. Hoos, DO; Marie Kadavy, staff

The Bureau on Postgraduate Education met on two occasions to discuss ways to assist interns and residents in Oklahoma. The bureau supported the Seventh Annual Research Poster Symposium, chaired by James P. McClay, DO, for osteopathic physicians in postgraduate training programs as well as osteopathic medical students, who were invited to participate for the first time this year. Once again, the bureau is utilizing a digital display for the Poster Symposium with the winners presenting during the 116th Annual Convention. Grants were available to promote ongoing research among osteopathic physicians in training; however, no grants were awarded.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau of New Physicians, Residents & Students

Members: Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, chair; Ronald S. Stevens, DO, vice chair; Marie Kadavy, staff

The bureau identifies ways to welcome students, residents and new physicians to the association and encourage involvement in the OOA. The bureau has not met over the past year.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.
Department of Public Affairs
Chief: Kayse M. Shrum, DO, Vice President

Bureau on Information Technology

Members: Timothy J. Moser, DO, chair; Ronald S. Stevens, DO, vice chair; Annie G. Cacy, DO; Robert J. Gunderson, DO; Joseph R. Johnson, DO; Raj K. Motwani, DO; Gabriel M. Pitman, DO; Richard W. Schafer, DO; Marie Kadavy, staff

The Bureau on Information Technology deals with all matters relating to information technology whether it be in the OOA Central Office or members’ practices. The bureau has not met over the past year.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau on Legislation

Members: LeRoy E. Young, DO, chair; Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, vice chair; C. Michael Ogle, DO; Brent W. Davis, DO; Timothy J. Moser, DO; Clayton H. Royder, DO; Melissa A. Gastorf, DO; Michael K. Cooper, DO; Thomas J. Carlile, DO; Jonathan B. Stone, DO; Joseph R. Johnson, DO; Arlen K. Foulks, DO; David F. Hitzeman, DO; Heath A. VanDeLinder, DO; Laura J. Holsey, DO; Layne E. Subera, DO; Gregory H. Gray, DO; Duane G. Koehler, DO; M. Shane Hull, DO; Terry L. Nickels, DO; Ryan K. Hakimi, DO; Christopher A. Shearer, DO; Gerald D. Rana Jr., DO; Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO; Kayse M. Shrum, DO; Trudy J. Milner, DO; Bryan K. Ledbetter, DO; M. Sean O’Brien, DO; Sandra S. Spruiell, DO; Robert J. Gunderson, DO; H. Dwight Hardy III, DO; Gary K. Auger, DO; Mark Keuchel, DO; Jonathan K. Bushman, DO; Regina M. Lewis, DO; Sheila J. Stanek, DO; Bret S. Langerman, DO; Michael F. Stratton, DO; Scott S. Cyrus, DO; Bobby N. Daniel, DO; Justin S. Sparks, DO; Gordon P. Laird, DO; Ronald S. Stevens, DO; Patrice A. Aston, DO; Carl B. Pettigrew, DO; Dale Derby, DO; Janice Bratzler, ex officio; Sherri Wise, CPA, ex officio; Gary Bastin, lobbyist; Mark Snyder, lobbyist; Lana G. Ivy, MBA, executive director; Matt Harney, MBA, staff

The Bureau on Legislation has met four times since the last OOA Annual Convention. The OOA is tracking approximately 200 bills for the 2016 legislative session.

Several motions were passed by the Bureau on Legislation for the 2016 legislative session:

**SB 1540-OPPOSE**
SB 1540, authored by Sen. A.J. Griffin, R-Guthrie, would consolidate the staff of 17 medical licensure boards. It leaves the actual boards themselves intact. The director of the new entity shall be appointed by the governor. The bill would generate no new revenue. Additionally, the Oklahoma State Board of Osteopathic Examiners (OSBOE) currently saves unused funds for lawsuits, antitrust suits, anti-tort claims, etc. This bill pools these funds from all the affected agencies.

**HB 2841-OPPOSE**

**SJR 56-SUPPORT**
SJR 56, authored by Sen. Rob Standridge, R-Norman, is a resolution requiring the Oklahoma Health Care Authority to cease all activities, contracts, promulgated rules, and similar functions relating to the implementation of care coordination models for aged, blind, and disabled persons as provided by House Bill 1566, which passed in 2015.

**SB 1526-OPPOSE**
SB 1526, authored by Sen. Ervin Yen, MD, R-Oklahoma City, would transition the Physician Manpower Training Commission (PMTC) to the Department of Commerce.
SB 1403-OPPOSE
SB 1403, authored by Sen. Anthony Sykes, R-Moore, creates the Physician Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (POLST) Act. The bill requires the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision to create a one-hour training on the responsibilities of health care providers concerning POLST. The bill mandates additional requirements regarding end-of-life treatment.

SB 1286-SUPPORT
SB 1286, authored by Sen. Rob Standridge, R-Norman, prohibits insurers from excluding certain providers and entities. The bill states insurers shall be willing to enter into care provider service agreements with a health care provider of the category or categories that are necessary to provide the health care services covered by the insurer if the health care provider is qualified under the laws of this state, desires to become a participant provider of the insurer, meets the requirements of the insurer and practices within the general area served by the insurer.

SB 1363-SUPPORT
SB 1363, authored by Sen. Kim David, R-Porter, relates to compensation for medical practitioners and the liability of subscribers for health maintenance organization’s debts. It establishes a compensation scheme for certain providers and defines out-of-network practitioners. The bill states compensation will be based upon costs that are usual, customary and common to the specific geographic area where the provider is located and will be limited for reimbursement at a level no greater than that of an in-network service amount. Providers that choose to not contract with an HMO are deemed “out of network.” Any out-of-network provider who provides emergency services to an HMO enrollee may not charge the enrollee for amounts other than applicable copayments or deductibles.

Administrative Rules Modification-SUPPORT
Following the North Carolina ruling relating to regulatory boards, there are legislative attempts underway to have more non-licensees than licensees serving on these boards. State agencies are required to follow Administrative Procedures that must be followed in addition to specific information in the respective practice acts. This proposed modification is in addition to that. The new language creates a three-judge administrative panel to ensure the action by the board is based in statute. If they see there’s an issue or appeal as deemed by the panel, they can send it back to the licensure board. This proposed arrangement would also be of legal benefit to the licensing boards.

There are additional programs and events benefitting our efforts at the capitol, including Doctor of the Day and Osteopathic Medicine Day at the Capitol. The Doctor of the Day program at the State Capitol was a tremendous success. This was the 42nd year of osteopathic service to our legislature. Osteopathic Medicine Day at the Capitol was held March 30, 2016. Nearly 50 members of the osteopathic family advocated for the profession at the capitol.

Bureau on Public Awareness
The bureau deals with all matters relating to public relations, promoting and maintaining the proper relationship between the profession and the public. The Bureau on Public Awareness was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and has not met over the past year.

Health Policy Task Force
The Health Policy Task Force consists of osteopathic physician members who have completed the Health Policy Fellowship and are interested in helping shape policy relating to health care, especially osteopathic medicine. The Health Policy Task Force was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and did not formally meet in the past year but was consulted multiple times on a case-by-case basis.
Department of Business Affairs  
Chief: Michael K. Cooper, DO, Past President

Bureau on Finance  
Members: Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, chair; Kayse M. Shrum, DO, vice chair; C. Michael Ogle, DO; Michael K. Cooper, DO; Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO; Lana G. Ivy, MBA, executive director

This bureau met each month. The association's certified public accountant, Peter Terranova, discussed fiscal and accounting matters. The audit report begins on page 11 of this Annual Report.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau on Member Services  
Members: Christopher A. Shearer, DO, chair; Dale Derby, DO, vice chair; Melissa A. Gastorf, DO; C. Michael Ogle, DO; Michael K. Cooper, DO; Marie Kadavy, staff

The Bureau on Member Services met once to discuss potential OOA Recommended Companies and member benefits, as well as guidelines for Recommended Companies. The bureau recommended that the Board of Trustees consider Voice Products Inc. as a Recommended Company. The OOA Board of Trustees approved the recommendation. On behalf of the bureau, Christopher A. Shearer, bureau chair, also recommended the OOA Board of Trustees approve a survey of the membership. The board approved the membership survey recommendation.

This report is informational in nature, and no resolutions are presented.

Bureau on Convention  
Members: Gabriel M. Pitman, DO, general convention chair; Kayse M. Shrum, DO, professional program chair; Lana G. Ivy, MBA, executive director; Marie Kadavy, staff

This bureau met periodically to ensure the OOA’s 116th Annual Convention “Medicine’s New Frontier” April 28-May 1, 2016, at the Embassy Suites Norman Hotel and Conference Center in Norman, Oklahoma, would attract members from all specialties and across the state by providing quality education and social events for networking and reconnecting. The 2016 professional program is offering six specialty tracks and has been approved for 27.5 AOA Category 1-A credits.

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Bureau on Professional Liability Insurance  
The Bureau on Professional Liability Insurance was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and has not met over the past year.

Bureau on Managed Care & Physician Reimbursement  
The Bureau on Managed Care & Physician Reimbursement was transitioned to ad hoc status following the last annual meeting and has not met over the past year.

District Presidents’ Council  
Members: Melissa A. Gastorf, DO, chair (Southeastern); Dennis J. Carter, DO, vice chair (Eastern); Jennifer R. Ferrell, DO (North
Central); John S. Grigsby, DO (Northeastern); R. Kelly McMurry, DO (Panhandle); Timothy J. Moser, DO (South Central); Ryan W. Schafer, DO (Southern); Melvin L. Robison, DO (Southwestern); Candy Ting, DO (Tulsa); Kenan L. Kirkendall, DO (Western); S. Lynn Phillips, DO (Northwest); Matt Harney, MBA, staff

The District Presidents’ Council met jointly with the Past Presidents’ Council at the 2016 Winter CME Seminar in Catoosa.

Since the last annual meeting, OOA Director of Advocacy & Legislation Matt Harney, MBA, personally visited nine of the 11 districts. He delivered a legislative update at each meeting, which was sponsored by Johnson & Johnson Health Care Systems. Each district meeting included an election or reaffirmation of officers, which keeps the districts in compliance with OOA Bylaws. The districts visited were:

Southeastern District-Durant
Northeastern District-Catoosa
Eastern District-Krebs
Southern District-Ardmore
Tulsa Osteopathic Medical Society-Tulsa
Western District
Northwest District-Enid
North Central District-Stillwater
Southwestern District-Lawton

This report is informational in nature and no resolutions are presented.

Past Presidents’ Council

Members: Bret S. Langerman, DO, chair; Michael K. Cooper, DO, vice chair; Gordon P. Laird, DO; Ray E. Stowers, DO; Layne E. Subera, DO; LeRoy E. Young, DO; John F. Rice, DO; Dennis Carter, DO; James W. Hogin, DO; Thomas J. Carlile, DO; Scott S. Cyrus, DO; Trudy J. Milner, DO; William J. Pettit, DO; Duane G. Koehler, DO; David F. Hitzeman, DO; Geron W. Meeks, DO; Rudolph J. Wolf, DO; Robert D. McCullough II, DO; Ralph B. Coffman, DO; Terry L. Nickels, DO; Ebb W. Reeves, DO; Thomas R. Pickard, DO; Stanley E. Grogg, DO; B. Frank Shaw Jr., DO; Paul F. Benien Jr., DO; Terence E. Grewe, DO; Ronnie B. Martin, DO; Joseph R. Schlecht, DO; Sheila G. Simpson, DO; Jeffrey R. Jones, DO; Steven D. Hinshaw, DO; Gilbert M. Rogers, DO; Matt Harney, MBA, staff

The Past Presidents’ Council met jointly with the District Presidents’ Council at the 2016 Winter CME Seminar in Catoosa. The Council discussed the previous and upcoming legislation, state budget issues, the AOA House of Delegates, and the 2016 Annual Convention.

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2016 Nominating Committee

Members from the OOA Nominating Committee and district representatives met Saturday, Jan. 23, 2016, at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Catoosa, Oklahoma, to make nominations to fill vacancies for the OOA Board of Trustees and Delegates and Alternate Delegates of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) House of Delegates.

Members in attendance were: Dennis J. Carter, DO (Eastern); Michael D. David, DO (Northeastern); Monica M. Woodall, DO (Southeastern); Jennifer R. Ferrell, DO (North Central); C. Michael Ogle, DO (Northwest); Ryan W. Schafer, DO (Southern); Timothy J. Moser, DO (South Central); Candy Ting, DO (Tulsa); LeRoy E. Young, DO (2011-2012 OOA President); Layne E. Subera, DO (2012-2013 OOA President); Bret S. Langerman, DO (2013-2014 OOA President); and Michael K. Cooper, DO (2014-2015 OOA President).

2016 Vacancies To Be Filled:

President-Elect (Becomes President): Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO
Vice President (One-Year Term): Kayse M. Shrum, DO
Trustee (One-Year Term ending 2017): Jonathan K. Buschman DO
Trustee (One-Year Term ending 2017): Jason L. Hill, DO
Trustee (Three-Year Term ending 2019): Clayton H. Royder, DO
Trustee (Three-Year Term ending 2019): Dale Derby, DO
Trustee (Three-Year Term ending 2017)*: Richard W. Schafer, DO

2016 Delegates to the AOA House of Delegates:
1. Gabriel M. Pitman, DO
2. C. Michael Ogle, DO
3. David F. Hitzeman, DO
4. Layne E. Subera, DO
5. Bret S. Langerman, DO
6. Joseph R. Schlecht, DO
7. Michael K. Cooper, DO
8. Dennis J. Carter, DO
9. LeRoy E. Young, DO
10. Duane G. Koehler, DO
11. Kayse M. Shrum, DO
12. Kenneth E. Calabrese, DO
13. Melissa A. Gastorf, DO
14. Timothy J. Moser, DO
15. Christopher A. Shearer, DO
16. Trudy J. Milner, DO
17. Student Delegate

2016 Alternates to the AOA House of Delegates:
1. Richard W. Schafer, DO
2. Clayton H. Royder, DO
3. Dale Derby, DO
4. Jonathan K. Bushman, DO
5. Jason L. Hill, DO
6. Scott S. Cyrus, DO
7. Thomas J. Carlile, DO
8. William J. Pettit, DO
9. Tammie L. Koehler, DO
10. H. Zane DeLaughter, DO
11. John F. Rice, DO
12. Gordon P. Laird, DO
13. Ray E. Stowers, DO
14. Stanley E. Grogg, DO
15. Vacant
16. Vacant
17. Alternate Student Delegate

*Fills Dr. Calabrese’s unexpired three-year term
2016-2017 CALENDAR

May Proper Prescribing
OOA Central Office
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
May 17, 2016
3 p.m.

June Proper Prescribing
OOA Central Office
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
June 17, 2016
3 p.m.

2016 Summer CME Seminar
Embassy Suites Downtown/Medical Center
Oklahoma City, OK

2017 Winter CME Seminar
Hard Rock Hotel & Casino
Catoosa, Oklahoma
Jan. 27-29, 2017

2017 Annual Convention
Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center
Norman, Oklahoma
April 27-30, 2017