



American Osteopathic College
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Save the Date! Registration Opens Soon.

The 2026 OMED conference will take place **Oct. 22-25, 2026**, in the entertainment capital of the world: **Las Vegas, Nevada!** Join AOCOPM at its Annual Educational Conference held in conjunction with OMED26 at Caesars Palace for three days full of education and networking.

While you are there, you can obtain DOT Certification training at the [OPAM Workshop: Department of Transportation, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners' Course](#), October 22, 2026.

[AOCOPM 2026 Annual Educational Conference](#)



Did you miss OMED25? On Demand is Now Available.

Experience the **Occupational and Preventive Medicine** program with a fresh lineup of high-impact, practice-focused presentations delivered by frontline clinicians. Designed for flexibility, this self-study course lets you watch or listen on your schedule while staying current on the clinical topics that matter most to your everyday practice.

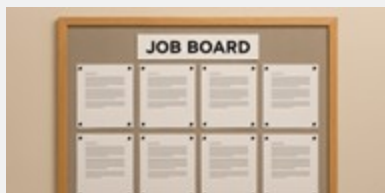
<https://aoa.coursehost.net/course/omed2025/occupational-and-preventive-medicine>



Voices on the Hill: 2026 DO Day

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Participating in AOA DO Day in Washington, D.C., was a rewarding opportunity to represent osteopathic medicine and to help reinforce the important role of physician advocacy in shaping the future of healthcare. The event brought together osteopathic leaders, practicing physicians, residents, students, and state and specialty college representatives in a spirit of unity, professionalism, and shared purpose. [Continue reading.](#)



Job Postings

As a member benefit, AOCOPM maintains a message board for job postings. All members may view and post job openings in the [forums](#) section of the website. Logging in is required, since this is for members only.

Nonmembers may [submit job postings](#) through the AOCOPM office for a fee of \$195. A job listing will remain on the message board for six months or until the office is notified that it has been filled.



Make Mentorship Connections

The Emerging DO Platform is a digital hub designed to connect, support, and empower osteopathic medical students, residents, and early-career physicians. this platform offers:

- **Residency Program Insights** – Access key details about programs, read alumni experiences, and participate in discussions with current and former residents.
- **Mentorship Network** – Connect with experienced DOs for guidance and career support through our mentorship program. As part of your participation, join the Digital Health Innovation (DHI) Special Interest Group that we lead.

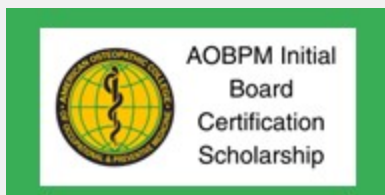
Sign up today: <https://app.mentorloop.com/signup/7MC6fbrgpX4z9iLLR>

AOCOPM also maintains a list of members who have volunteered to be mentors. You may [sign up](#) to be a mentor or mentee. You may also search the [mentor directory](#).

Board Scholarships Available

AOCOPM now offers full scholarships for first-time takers of the initial AOBPM certification exams.

Learn more: <https://www.aocopm.org/aobpm-scholarship>



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