Exploring the Role of OPP in Daily Patient Care
Half-Day Course • Saturday, October 20 • 1:00 - 5:00 pm • Limited Registration
Separate registration required. To register, please check appropriate box on Convention Registration page.
No registration fee required. Attendance limited to 24 participants

1:00-1:20 pm
Welcome, Introductions and Orientation to the Course
Robert A. Cain, DO, FACOI, Moderator
Objectives:
1. Recognize course faculty
2. Identify participant demographics
3. Provide overview of the mini-course

Addressing “Why”
Annette T. Carron, DO, FACOI, Moderator
Objectives:
1. Identify how course content aligns to ACOI vision, mission, and values
2. Review Dr. Still’s vision for osteopathic medicine within the context of 21st Century healthcare

1:20-2:00 pm
The Osteopathic Lexicon: What Do We Mean by OPP, OMM, and OMT?
Evelyn A. Schwalenberg, DO, FACOI
Objectives:
1. Understand how participants currently use select elements of the osteopathic lexicon.
2. Define elements of the osteopathic lexicon.

2:00-2:30 pm
Balancing Patient Care Influenced by OPP and Patient Care Guided by OPP
Stacey Pierce-Talsma, DO
Objectives:
1. Discuss patient care influenced by OPP (‘thinking osteopathically’) and patient care guided by OPP (‘treating osteopathically’).
2. Consider impact of missed opportunities to ‘treat osteopathically’ upon patient care outcomes.

2:30-2:45 pm
BREAK

2:45-4:00 pm
OMM
Participants will select one of three topics.

Framing Topics:
A. The ABCs of Osteopathic Medicine: Problem or Diagnosis: Directed Treatment vs Finding or Dysfunction-Directed Treatment
Stacey Pierce-Talsma, DO
Objectives:
1. Describe and discuss problem or diagnosis-directed treatment and finding or dysfunction-directed treatment.
2. Consider why and how problem or diagnosis-directed treatment limits our consideration for inclusion of OMM/OMT.

B. Searching for Literature Based upon Osteopathic Principles and Practice and Applying it to Patient Care
Natasha Bray, DO, FACOI
Objectives:
1. Identify resources for literature based upon osteopathic principles and practices.
2. Locate literature based upon osteopathic principles and practices.

C. Optimizing OMM Documentation, Coding and Reimbursement
Stephanie D. Bauerle, DO
Objectives:
1. Explain basic OMM documentation, coding, and reimbursement.
2. Apply OMM documentation and coding using a case example.

4:00-4:45 pm
A Model for Presenting Evidence-Based OMM Cases
Case: Optimizing COPD Outcomes Through the Lens of Osteopathic Medicine
Robert A. Cain, DO, FACOI
Objectives:
1. Identify, review, and analyze evidence related to COPD patient functional performance associated with pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic therapy.
2. Propose a practice change to integrate OMM into the care of your COPD patients

4:45-5:00 pm
Wrap up and discussion about future courses
Robert A. Cain, DO, FACOI and Annette T. Carron, DO, FACOI
Co-Moderators