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# OMED<sup>®</sup>26

Osteopathic Medical Education Conference

Oct. 22-25 • Las Vegas, NV

## Attendee Resource Guide

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## Viva Las Vegas! Caesars Palace! Come together to experience the distinctiveness of osteopathic education.

I am delighted to meet in person in Las Vegas, Nevada at Caesars Palace this October 22 through 25.

The Osteopathic Medical Education Conference (OMED) is the American Osteopathic Association's (AOA) premier educational event. Presented annually, it is a conference that showcases osteopathic medicine across multiple specialties and is planned in conjunction with AOA specialty college affiliates.

It brings together the osteopathic community and provides an opportunity for attendees to obtain high-quality education, discuss clinical science, and network with one another. In addition, this unique event affords the AOA the opportunity to continue to strengthen its relationship and partnership with osteopathic affiliated organizations, including colleges of osteopathic medicine.

Step into the spotlight with OMED, the only national osteopathic conference that underscores the crucial role of osteopathic physicians. By attending in person, you'll immerse yourself in an enriching environment that fosters fellowship and camaraderie. Dive into a broad spectrum of educational tracks and social networking events tailored to meet your professional needs. Regardless of whether you're a seasoned professional, an up-and-coming physician, or an ambitious osteopathic student or resident, OMED is your platform to shine and grow. Join us at OMED for an unmatched experience that will redefine your professional journey!

By attending in person, you'll receive exclusive access to the OMED 2026 virtual platform from the afternoon of October 25 through December 31. The OMED 2026 virtual platform will have much of in-person content in addition to bonus virtual sessions from seven additional specialties.

On behalf of the entire Council of OMED, we look forward to welcoming you to Las Vegas, Nevada!



Peter Ajluni, DO  
Chair, Council of OMED



The registration fees are listed below. Attending in-person provides access to the virtual platform for post-event viewing and continuing education.

\*AOA Members Exclusive Pricing Promotion! Register AND Reserve a Hotel Room at Caesars Palace now through July 31 at the special promotional price of only \$675! Added Bonus: The first 500 AOA members who take advantage of this exclusive promotion will receive an additional incentive.

\*\*New Physicians in Practice: Discounted promotional codes available. Email [meetings@osteopathic.org](mailto:meetings@osteopathic.org) for more information.

Category	Rates
AOA Member (AOA)	\$975*
AOA Non-Member (NM)	\$1,175
Associate Members/Practice Managers (ASM)	\$326
Non-DOs (MDs, PhDs) (NDO)	\$1,175
Retired AOA Members (RET)	\$300
Military	\$625
Allied Health Professionals (RNs, NPs, PAs, etc.)	\$1,175
Advocates of the American Osteopathic Association	\$150
Affiliate Executive Directors/CEOs	\$0
New Physicians in Practice	\$975**
Residents (R)	\$75
Students (S)	\$50
Pre-Medical Students	\$50
Guests/children 13 and over	\$150
Children 12 and under	\$0

The official housing provider for the AOA OMED conference is Maritz. The AOA OMED conference does not have influence over or responsibility for any reservations made through a housing company or group other than the AOA OMED conference official housing partner, Maritz. In recent years, several attendees have informed the AOA OMED conference of housing solicitations (often fraudulent) from groups with no affiliation with the AOA OMED conference. It is encouraged to book hotel reservations through the AOA OMED conference provider, Maritz, and avoid providing information to any other company, even if they claim to be affiliated with the event.

## Caesars Palace hotel rooms are available for \$368 per night (inclusive) (\$279 + \$45 resort fee + 13.38% tax).

Advantages of Booking within the AOA OMED Conference Hotel Room Block:

- **Location** — Stay on property. Reduce transportation time to/from Caesars Palace.
- **Deep discounts** — The AOA Group Rate provides the best pricing during the OMED conference.
- **Best rate package** — The OMED rates remain the lowest.
- **Hotel reward points** — Add your hotel rewards to your reservation to earn loyalty points and enhance your hotel stay.
- **Support the industry** — Booking within the OMED hotel room block allows the AOA to provide a convention experience at a lower price point.

Hotel reservations can be made online through Maritz when completing your in-person registration.

## Travel

Airline Discounts:

United Airlines, Southwest Airlines and Delta Air Lines are pleased to offer discounted flights to OMED attendees:

- **Book with United** (use discount code ZS3T490223)
- **Book with Southwest**
- **Book with Delta** (Attendees may also call Conferences and Events<sup>®</sup> at (800) 328-1111, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. ET and refer to meeting event code **NY4NR**. (Please note there is no service fee for reservations booked and ticketed via our reservation 800 number.)

## Getting Around Town

Taxi Cabs are the preferred way to get around Las Vegas. Rideshare service (Uber and Lyft) are available, however the pickup and drop off locations are alternative to the main entrances of Caesars Palace and other venues.

### To/From Las Vegas airport and Caesars Palace

Getting to and from Caesars Palace and the airport is approximately 20 minutes and an average cost of \$35 by Taxi Cab.



# Continuing Medical Education (CME) Information



OMED26 is supported by independent educational grants from commercial interests. Complete information will be provided to participants prior to the activity. Conflict of Interest Disclosures for individuals in control of content will also be provided prior to the start of the activity.

## Overall Education Objectives

- Highlight the evidence on new, revised, and standard treatment approaches for a variety of medical conditions as they relate to physicians
- Review revisions in clinical practice guidelines and evaluate clinical practice implications
- Describe updates in clinical decision tools for screening and differential diagnoses of diseases

## Designation

The American Osteopathic Association (AOA) designates this program for a maximum of 40 AOA Category 1-A Credits\* and 20 AOA Category 1-B Credits and will report CME credits commensurate with the physician's participation in this program. The AOA designates this blended activity for *60 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*.\* Physicians should only claim the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

\*In-person attendees are eligible for a maximum of 60 AOA Category 1 Credits (40 1-A, 20 1-B) or 60 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.

## Claim 2 AOA Category 2-B Credits by Viewing ePosters

Participants may claim up to two (2) AOA Category 2-B Credits by viewing ePosters at the link that will be provided closer to OMED. To claim this credit and receive a certificate, the participant must complete and submit a separate attestation form to [gdillard@osteopathic.org](mailto:gdillard@osteopathic.org). The AOA will email a certificate that includes the number of AOA Category 2-B Credits earned once the attestation form is received and the hours are verified.



The American Osteopathic Association (AOA) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

## CME/Certificate of Attendance

To claim your CME certificate or your certificate of attendance, you will need to complete an evaluation and CME credit hour attestation by January 31, 2027.

## Disclaimer

The information in this educational activity is provided for general medical education purposes only and is not meant to substitute for the independent medical judgment of a physician relative to diagnostic and treatment options of a specific patient's medical condition. The viewpoints expressed in this CME activity are those of the authors/faculty. They do not represent endorsement by the AOA. In no event will the AOA be liable for any decision made or action taken in reliance upon the information provided through this CME activity.

OMED26 will bring together osteopathic physicians and the healthcare team for one event this October 22 through October 25 at Caesars Palace Las Vegas, Nevada. Earn up to 40 Category 1-A Credits and up to 20 Category 1-B Credits.

CME sessions, exhibits, general sessions, student sessions, ancillary meetings, and registration will take place in the Music City Center.

More information coming soon!

## Thursday, October 22

*All times listed are Pacific Time*

<b>TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
9 a.m.- 7 p.m.	Registration Open
10 a.m.-5 pm	Specialty College CME Sessions
6:30-7:30pm	OPAC Reception (in-conjunction with the OMED Welcome Reception)
6:30-7:30pm	OMED Welcome Reception
7:30 pm	AOF LGBTQIA+ Event – <i>Tentative</i>

## Friday, October 23

*All times listed are Pacific Time*

<b>TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
8-9:15 a.m.	Main Stage: Keynote Speaker and Award Recognition <i>Breakfast Provided</i>
9:25-9:30 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Ribbon Cutting
9:30-10 a.m.	Exhibit Hall Exclusive Opening <i>Continental Breakfast Provided</i>
9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.	Exhibits Open
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Specialty College CME Sessions
10:30-11:15 a.m.	Product Theater
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Exclusive Hour
12:30-1:15 p.m.	Product Theaters
1:30-4:30 p.m.	Resident Track
1:30-5 pm	Specialty College CME Sessions
6-11:30 pm	AOF Honors Gala ( <i>Separate Registration Required</i> )

## Saturday, October 24

All times listed are Pacific Time

TIME	EVENT
8:30-9:30 a.m.	Exhibit Hall: Specialty and State Spotlight <i>Breakfast Provided</i>
8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open
8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Residency Fair
9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Specialty College CME Sessions
9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Student Track
9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	New Physician in Practice Track
10:30-11:15 a.m.	Product Theaters
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Exhibit Hall Exclusive Hour
12:30-1:15 p.m.	Product Theaters
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Mentor Café
1:30-4 p.m.	Specialty College CME Sessions
1:30-3:45 p.m.	Faculty Development Programming
1:30-3:45 p.m.	New Physician in Practice Track
4-5:30 p.m.	Main Stage: Keynote Presentation and Award Recognition
After 6 p.m.	Alumni Events
6-7 p.m.	Student/Resident/BEL Reception

## Sunday, October 25

All times listed are Pacific Time

TIME	EVENT
6:30-7:45 a.m.	AAOA Fun Run ( <i>Separate Registration Required</i> )
8:30-12 p.m.	Specialty College Collaborate Joint Session-Nutrition <i>Continental Breakfast Provided</i>
9 a.m.-12 p.m.	Student Track
After 12 p.m.	OMED26 On-Demand Begins

## OMED On-Demand

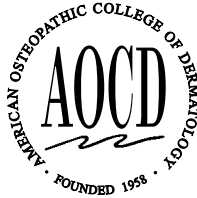
### October 25 (Afternoon) – December 31, 2026

Access most in-person CME content through the virtual platform. Content from specialties participating virtually will be available for viewing on October 25.

# OMED26 Specialty College Participation



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## **Resident Track**

More information coming soon!

## **New Physician in Practice Track**

More information coming soon!

## **Faculty Development**

More information coming soon!

## **Student Track**

More information coming soon!

## **OMED26 AOA Poster Session and Student Poster Competition**

More information coming soon!

## Product Theaters

More information coming soon!

## Symposium

More information coming soon!

## Exhibits

The OMED Exhibition provides the opportunity to learn more about the latest products and trends.

[View the list of current exhibitors.](#)

Exhibit Hours:

- Friday, October 23– 9:30 a.m.–3 p.m.
- Saturday, October 24 – 8:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

OMED is more than just a conference. It's a platform for connecting with like-minded professionals who share your passion for osteopathic medicine. Expand your network, forge meaningful connections, and collaborate with colleagues who are at the forefront of the field.

Whether you're a seasoned practitioner or a budding osteopathic physician, OMED is the event you don't want to miss. Join us for this unparalleled gathering of the osteopathic community, and experience the power of knowledge, collaboration, and innovation.

# LAS Vegas

Viva Las Vegas! Las Vegas offers entertainment, live music, and robust culinary scene. More information coming soon!



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## Main Stage Keynote Sessions

More information coming soon!

## OMED Welcome Reception

More information coming soon!

## AOF Honors Gala

More information coming soon!

## Residency Fair

More information coming soon!

## Student Mentor Café

More information coming soon!

## Ancillary Meetings

More information coming soon!

## Alumni Events

More information coming soon!

## AAOA Fun Run

**Saturday, Oct. 24 - 6:30-7:30am**

The Advocates for the [AOA \(AAOA\)](#) are excited to host the [A.T. Still Fit for Life Fun Run 2026](#) in Las Vegas, NV! The 5K walk/run will take place in Sunset Park, located at 2601 E. Sunset Rd. Transportation to the location will be provided for participants. Please consider being a [sponsor](#) for this event. All proceeds go towards the AAOA special projects grant fund. These grants allow osteopathic organizations and affiliates to apply for and receive money toward community projects across the country. Registration information will be coming soon! If you can't participate in this year's run, but would like to donate, please visit the [AAOA's donation webpage](#).

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