AOCOPM News

Fourth episode of "Meet the AOCOPM"

Your host, Corey James Morris, DO, interviews Kris Belland, DO, MPH, MBA, MSS, CPE, FAsHFA, FAsMA, current AOCOPM Treasurer.

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AOCOPM 2022 Midyear Educational Course Now Available at AOA Online Learning

If you were unable to attend AOCOPM’s 2022 Midyear Educational Conference in June, it is now available at AOA Online Learning. AOCOPM members may use a code, available by emailing ronda@aocopm.org, to receive $100 discount off the price of the course.

Agenda and link to course registration: https://www.aocopm.org/my22-agenda-online
2022 House of Delegates, Impressions From Your Delegates

The AOA House of Delegates met July 14-16 in Chicago. At the July 21st Board of Trustees meeting, Dr. Hanley and Dr. Wriston shared insights gained from the meeting.

Dr. Hanley described the differences between her experience as a medical student at HOD in the early 1990s and today. The students were very involved and well organized in the HOD. The students are struggling with high medical school debt, costs of audition rotations and their perceived need to take both COMLEX and USMLE.

Dr. Wriston reported that she came away from the AOA with a renewed pride in the profession. She was impressed with the AOA’s inclusion of the students. The AOA revoked the charter of the American Osteopathic Society of Rheumatic Diseases.

2022 HOD Resolutions and Reports can be viewed here: https://osteopathic.org/about/aoa-events/annual-business-meeting/2022-hod-resolutions-reports/

AOCOPM 2022 Annual Educational Conference

Save the Date: October 27, 2022 - October 30, 2022

AOCOPM’s Annual Educational Conference will be a Hybrid held virtually and in Boston in conjunction with OMED 2022. AOCOPM members can receive $100 off the full paid rate with the discount code, DOPROUD22.

https://omed.osteopathic.org/register-for-omed/
MRO Quarterly Newsletter

The MRO Quarterly Newsletter is the official bulletin of the Medical Review Office Certification Council (MROCC). This Newsletter is an excellent source of knowledge for anyone involved in monitoring drug testing programs and/or the treatment of substance use disorders. The newsletter will be published on a quarterly basis. Articles are written by some of the most well-known and experienced experts in the field of drug testing and will cover topics such as drug testing rules and regulations, laboratory testing and toxicology, case studies, and legal issues.

You can subscribe to the Newsletter at https://mrocc.org/news-reg.cfm. The cost of the Newsletter subscription is $80/year. The fee for 2022 is prorated to $60 as there will only be 3 issues. Each edition is approved for 1 AAFP Prescribed credit for physicians who subscribe.

Those who are currently certified by MROCC have free online access to the Newsletter and can view it by logging into the Newsletter. Once logged in, an option to register and pay for AAFP Prescribed credits (max 4 per year) will also be available for MROs interested in the CME.

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