



OMED[®]24

Osteopathic Medical Education Conference

Sept. 20-22 • San Antonio, TX

Exhibitor and Sponsorship Prospectus

The Premier Osteopathic Medical Event of the Year!







THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE AN IMPACT ON THE OSTEOPATHIC COMMUNITY IS HERE

You are invited to join the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) as an exhibitor at the 2024 Osteopathic Medical Education Conference (OMED24), taking place September 20-22, 2024 (Exhibits: September 20-21) at the Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center in San Antonio. Presented annually, OMED is AOA's premier educational event showcasing osteopathic medicine across multiple specialties and is planned in conjunction with AOA specialty college affiliates. In addition, the annual meeting allows AOA to continue to strengthen its relationship and partnership with osteopathic affiliated organizations, including colleges of osteopathic medicine.

The osteopathic community will gather in San Antonio to obtain high quality education, discuss clinical science, network with one another, and learn about your latest technology and services. Become an OMED24 exhibitor and reach osteopathic physicians (DOs) in primary care specialties such as family medicine, internal medicine, and pediatrics as well as those who provide care in specialties like emergency medicine, obstetrics & gynecology, surgery, and more.

OMED[®]24 IS HEADED TO TEXAS!

AOA is excited about attendance in 2024 as Texas ranks sixth in the country among states having more than 5,000 DOs in practice.

TOP CME TOPICS OF INTEREST:

- Cardiovascular Disease
- Musculoskeletal Health
- Infectious Diseases
- Physician Wellness
- Diabetes Mellitus

As guardians of wellness, OMED24 attendees will be actively searching for the latest advances. Your technology and services, combined with their whole-person approach, will empower them to provide their patients with the most comprehensive care.

SHOWCASE YOUR DEDICATION TO CHANGING LIVES – BODY, MIND, AND SPIRIT

Share your latest innovations and solutions that support the osteopathic industry in their facilities and beyond. Whether your organization provides tools for advancing patient care or helps improve everyday activities outside of the workplace, this is the conference to reach an energetic audience.

Be where your customers will be! Attendees will visit the Exhibit Hall in search of your products and services related to:

Addiction

Allergy

Anti-inflammatory Asthma/COPD Cardiovascular

CME/Board Prep Course

Dermatology Diabetes

Documentation/EMR/ HIT

Education/Educational Institution

Gastrointestinal Government

Hospital/Healthcare Institution

Insurance

Medical Devices Medical Equipment

Mental Health Neurology Non-Profit

Nutraceutical

Osteopathic Affiliate

Osteopathic Medical School

Osteopathic Specialty Pain Management

Personal Care

Pharmaceutical

Physical Therapy

Practice Management

Professional Practice

Psychiatrics Publisher Recruiting Scientific

Software

Sports Medicine

Technology Weight Loss

Women's Health

Wound Care

57%
OF DOS
PRACTICE IN
PRIMARY



43%
OF DOS
PRACTICE
IN OTHER
SPECIALTIES

AOA IS LOOKING FORWARD TO OVER 3,000 PARTICIPANTS!

GET IN FRONT OF THE LARGEST GATHERING OF OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS IN THE WORLD!

WHO ATTENDS?

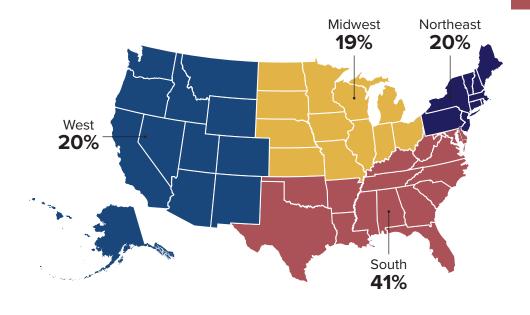
- DOs
- MDs
- PhDs
- Allied Health Professionals

TOP AREAS OF PRACTICE

- Family Medicine
- Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Family Medicine/ OMT
- Emergency Medicine
- Physical Medicine & Rehab
- Psychiatry
- Surgery
- Obstetrics & Gynecology
- Neurology

TOP AREAS OF INTEREST IN THE EXHIBIT HALL

- Cardiology
- Dermatology
- Education
- Hospital/Health Care Institution
- Medical Devices
- Pain Management
- Practice Management



TOP THREE REASONS TO EXHIBIT

You can't reach this audience anyplace else!

OMED offers practical education focused on issues DOs and their patients care about with programming on more than ten specialties in 2024.

The osteopathic profession is a critical component of the nation's health care system and OMED allows you to position your company as an industry leader.



POSITION YOUR ORGANIZATION FRONT AND CENTER AMONG THIS THRIVING MEDICAL PROFESSION

Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine, or DOs, make up one of the fastest-growing segments of the healthcare profession. DOs are fully licensed physicians who practice in all areas of medicine, but they practice health care differently, emphasizing a whole-person approach to care. They practice using the latest science and technology, but also consider options to complement pharmaceuticals and surgery.

There are currently more than 140,000 DOs in the U.S., with more than half that number practicing in primary care. What began as a small profession with a distinctive philosophy has grown to become a critical component of the nation's health care system.

GROWTH IN THE PROFESSION

The osteopathic medical profession is positioned to continue growing exponentially. Over the past three decades, the total number of DOs and osteopathic medical students has more than quadrupled to reach 186,871 in 2023.

7,800+

New osteopathic physicians joined the health care workforce in Spring 2023.

148,829

Osteopathic physicians in the U.S.

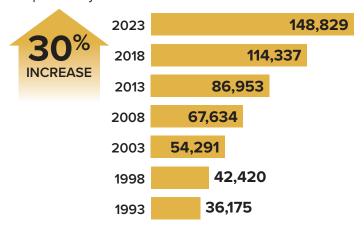
38,042

Osteopathic medical students in the U.S.



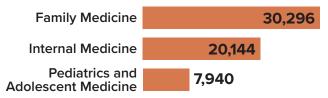
TOTAL DOS IN THE U.S.

In 2023, the total number of osteopathic physicians in the U.S. reached almost 149,000—a 30% increase over the past five years.



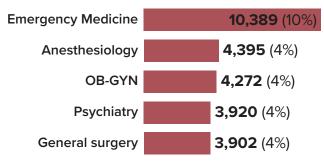
DOs IN PRIMARY CARE SPECIALTIES

Though DOs bring their distinctive approach to every field and specialty across the landscape of medicine, the osteopathic profession plays a major role in meeting the nation's primary care workforce needs.



TOP 5 NON-PRIMARY CARE SPECIALTIES

Over the past two decades, the number of DOs choosing to pursue non-primary care specialties has increased significantly, leading to the expansion of osteopathic principles and practice across the full range of medicine.



Today, more than ever before, 25% of all U.S. medical students are pursuing careers in osteopathic medicine. The number of osteopathic medical schools have more than doubled over the past two decades. During the 2023-24 academic year, the AOA's Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation (COCA) will accredit 40 colleges of osteopathic medicine offering instruction at 65 locations to more than 38,000 medical students.

40
Colleges in 65 locations



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ABOUT AOA

Advancing the distinctive philosophy and practice of osteopathic medicine, AOA represents more than 186,000 osteopathic physicians and medical students across the U.S. As the primary certifying body for DOs and the accrediting agency for all osteopathic medical schools, the AOA works to accentuate the distinctiveness of osteopathic principles and the diversity of the profession. In addition to promoting public health and encouraging scientific research, the AOA advocates at the state and federal levels on issues that affect DOs, osteopathic medical students, and patients.

Connect with us on and off the show floor!









EXHIBITOR INFORMATON

VENUE

Henry B. Gonzalez **Convention Center** 900 E Market Street San Antonio, TX 78205

EXHIBITS OPEN

Friday, September 20, 2024 9:30 am - 3 pm Saturday, September 21, 2024 9:30 am - 3 pm

Schedule subject to change

EXHIBIT SPACE RATES

Standard Rate \$40.00 per square foot **Premium Rate** \$43.00 per square foot Corner Rate \$250.00 per corner Non-Profit / AOA Affiliate Rate \$25.00 per square foot **COM Rate** \$2,850 per first 10'x10'

All exhibit space includes the following:

- Post Show Registration Mailing List
- Basic Exhibitor Listing (Upgrade available for a fee)
- Six Exhibit Hall Staff Badges per 10'x10'
 - Two Exhibit Hall Staff Badges per Additional 10'x10'
- 8' High Backwall Drape
- 3' High Sidewall Drape
- 7" x 44" Identification Sign (Inline booths only)



WHAT ARE EXHIBITORS SAYING?

"We experienced a very positive reception – Great venue, great participation of the attendees."

"We had good conversations for recruitment to our COM and our residency programs and fellowships. We also enjoyed having Med School Central where all of the COMs were grouped together."

"We have had more successful leads and sales at this conference than any other event we have

FLOOR PLAN RESERVE A BOOTH WEBSITE **EXHIBITOR LIST**

THINK BEYOND THE BOOTH—STAND OUT AMONG THE COMPETITION THROUGH ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AND SPONSORSHIPS



Product Theater

Product Theaters provide a forum to gather and discuss issues on patient education, specific products, services or new clinical science. Lasting 45-minutes in the Exhibit Hall, each Product Theater slot includes food and beverage provided by AOA. Due to popular demand, we are pleased to offer two morning slots and two afternoon slots. The afternoon slots are unopposed to CME sessions.

The AOA recognizes that Product Theaters are promotional and may concentrate on a specific product or drug. These sessions do NOT receive CME credit.

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WHAT IS INCLUDED?

- Theater-style seating for up to 180 attendees
- Food and beverage
- Listing in the digital program
- Listing on the event mobile app
- (2) lead retrieval units and (2) temporary staff to scan attendee badges as they enter the theater
- Onsite signage/recognition
- Logo on OMED 2024 website
- Riser and lectern with wired microphone
- Audio visual equipment (wired microphone, presentation laptop computer, remote slide advancer/ laser pointer, projector, screen, AV technician)
- Attendee list prior to the meeting

Featured Exhibitor Listings

Gain increased exposure on the OMED24 Exposition website by securing a Featured Exhibitor Listing! Attendees will be drawn to Featured Exhibitor Listings with logos, longer company descriptions, product photos with descriptions, videos, press releases, and more.

LEARN MORE

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON PRODUCT THEATERS OR FEATURED EXHIBITOR LISTINGS CONTACT:

1-703-631-6200 | 1-800-564-4220 | omedexhibits@spargoinc.com

SPONSORSHIP OPPPORTUNITIES

PRESENTATION OPPORTUNITIES:

- General Session Entertainment: Align your organization with thought leaders in the osteopathic industry. Don't miss out on sponsoring this main attraction. The Sponsor will receive recognition during the session, as well as on the event platform, mobile app, and onsite signage. (Exhibitor: \$15,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$19,000)
- **Student Track:** The Sponsor will be provided with recognition on the website, platform, and onsite signage and able to provide a 2-minute welcome greeting on the first day of the meeting. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Lunch & Learn: Sponsor this hot ticket and hot topic item! The Lunch and Learn allows for a 45-minute presentation with a 5-minute Q&A session for a maximum of 125 in-person participants (Food provided by the AOA). As an added bonus, pre-recording of the presentation provides additional virtual exposure on the event platform and on-demand access until the end of 2024. Sponsors can optionally send gift cards to the virtual audience to purchase lunch. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$35,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$39,000)
- CME/Non-CME Symposia: CME Symposia are a valued educational component of the OMED Annual Meeting. OMED offers several opportunities to hold these dynamic sessions, supported by educational grants and certified for AOA CME credit and AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ by the AOA. (Exhibitor: \$25,000 (60-minutes) | \$37,000 (90-minutes) | Non-Exhibitor: \$29,000 (60 minutes) | \$41,000 (90-minutes))

SOCIAL & NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

■ Puppy Cuddle Station: Sponsor the exhibit hall's most-loved four-legged attraction. Back by popular demand, this sponsorship opportunity is a great way to include your branding in a highly visited stop inside the exhibit hall. Sponsor receives recognition on the website, platform, and signage. The sponsor is allowed to have one representative at the cuddle station to interact with attendees. (Exhibitor: \$20,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$24,000)



- Registration Welcome-Food & Entertainment: Help make every moment an experience at OMED 2024 starting at Registration. Welcome attendees with music and light refreshments as they check into the conference. Sponsor will receive recognition on signage and logo on the website. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Welcome Reception: Fully sponsor this highly celebrated networking reception, the official celebration of OMED 2024. Attendees will enjoy an hour of entertainment, networking, and fun! Sponsor will receive recognition on the website, platform, and signage. (Exhibitor: \$45,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$49,000)
- Welcome Reception Drink Sponsor: Pick your signature drink to be served in logo-laden cups along with custom-designed branded napkins with your organization's logo. Event signage will acknowledge your sponsorship at this highlighted event. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Welcome Reception Entertainment Sponsor: As the entertainment sponsor, your organization will be acknowledged by the band along with recognition on event signage and promotion in daily email. (Exhibitor: \$8,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$12,000)
- General Session Coffee Break: Fuel conference attendees with some much-needed caffeine! Take advantage of this social activity that brings together attendees during a quick break and much-needed coffee fix. The opportunity allows for company representatives to engage with attendees as they grab a cup. Branding opportunities include signage, napkins, and event platform. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$20,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$24,000)
- General Session Coffee & Continental Breakfast: Nourish conference attendees before a busy day of learning and networking! Take advantage of this social activity that brings together attendees during a quick continental breakfast. The opportunity allows for company representatives to engage with attendees as they grab a bite. Branding opportunities include signage, napkins, and event platform. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$35,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$39,000)

SOCIAL & NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES, continued

- Main Stage Entertainment Sponsor: Enjoy recognition from the featured entertainment, event sponsorship signage, and promotion in a daily event email for this session of fun and connection. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$8,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$12,000)
- Saturday Networking Event Entertainment Sponsor: As the entertainment sponsor, your organization will be acknowledged by the band along with recognition on event signage and promotion in daily email. (Exhibitor: \$8,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$12,000)
- Saturday Networking Event Drink Sponsor: Pick your signature drink to be served in logo-laden cups along with custom-designed branded napkins with your organization's logo. Event signage will acknowledge your sponsorship at this highlighted event.

 (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Restroom Sponsor: Your company logo, displayed in a highly visible window corner, will be viewed by all within one set of session hall restrooms. Small bottles of branded hand sanitizers, along with custom-designed paper hand towels featuring your company's logo, will be available for all attendees. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000 for two sets of restrooms)
- All Day Coffee Break-One Day of Event: Fuel conference attendees with some much-needed caffeine! Take advantage of this social activity that brings together attendees during a quick break and much-needed coffee fix. The opportunity allows for company representatives to engage with attendees as they grab a cup. Branding opportunities include signage, napkins, and mobile app. Cost is per day. (Exhibitor: \$40,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$44,000)
- Morning Coffee with Exhibitors: Increase your marketplace visibility by sponsoring the 'Coffee with Exhibitors' hour. Signage will include company name, logo, and location in the Exhibit Hall; inclusion as a sponsor of the 'Coffee with Exhibitors' hour in the conference program and sponsorship recognition. Cost is per day. Friday 9 a.m.-10 a.m. or Saturday 9 a.m.-10 a.m. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Lunch in Exhibit Hall: Sponsorship opportunity provides companies with direct access to attendees, allowing the company to distribute daily lunch vouchers to drive booth traffic. Opportunity provides maximum exposure in the restaurant pavilion, including branding on banners, floor clings, website, and event platform! Opportunity is available either on Friday or Saturday. Cost is per day.

(Exhibitor: \$50,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$54,000)



- Student Mentor Boxed Lunch: Sponsor this unique opportunity for students to connect with their mentors while enjoying a meal together. The Sponsor will receive recognition during the event, in the program, mobile app, and onsite signage. Sponsor to have one representative available to greet attendees. (Exhibitor: \$8,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$12,000)
- Exhibition Booth Enhancement: Encourage attendees to visit your booth with a food or drink item served during a two-hour period on either Friday or Saturday of the conference. Signage included. Please call for further information. (Exhibitor: \$5,000)

BRANDING/ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES

- Lanyards: Lanyards are considered one of the best options for brand visibility. Stay on attendees' minds by having your company's logo on all conference lanyards. (Exhibitor: \$15,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$19,000)
- Exhibit Hall Carpet Overlays (Floor Clings): Place your branding on one or multiple 6' x 6' carpet overlays throughout the Exhibit Hall and capture attendees' attention while traveling through the hall. (Exhibitor: \$3,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$6,000).
- Hotel Key Cards and Sleeves: Customized hotel key cards with your personalized design will be distributed to meeting attendees upon check-in to their OMED 2024 hotels. (rights only). The sponsor will collaborate with the card and sleeve developer company independently for design and payment. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Half-Meter Boards: Attendees won't miss your branding and message on these boards placed in high-traffic areas of the convention center. Opportunity includes the production, installation, and removal of all boards. Sponsor will design all art files to provided specifications. (Exhibitor: \$600 | Non-Exhibitor: \$1,000 per board)



BRANDING/ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES, continued

- Exhibit Hall Aisle Signs: Attendees will take notice of your corporate logo on all aisle signs throughout the Exhibit Hall. Opportunity includes the production, installation, and removal of all signs. (Exhibitor: \$10,000)
- Water Stations and Reusable Water Bottles: Attendees are always on the lookout for water. Stand out with your branding on the water stations and reusable water bottles that will be handed out at registration to all attendees. (Exhibitor: \$19,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$23,000)
- Personalized Do Not Disturb Signs: Help the attendees get some privacy with a personalized Do Not Disturb sign. This is a great way to get your company name out to the attendees and anyone staying in the hotel. The sponsoring company will work directly with the hotel on the Do Not Disturb sign design, production, disbursement, and payment of related expenses. (Exhibitor: \$2,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$6,000 per hotel)
- Convention Center Wi-Fi Partial Sponsor: Help in sponsoring complimentary Wi-Fi access for all attendees throughout the duration of the event. Sponsorship includes customized sponsorship recognition & log-in when accessing Wi-Fi, sponsorship recognition on the event website, and sponsorship recognition through general on-site signage. (Exhibitor: \$15,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$19,000)
- Door Drops: Deliver your message directly to conference attendees in their rooms with a door drop, featuring marketing materials from your organization. (Exhibitor: \$25,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$29,000)
- Roaming Photo Booth: A popular aspect for OMED, our roaming photo booth in the Exhibit Hall will feature your company's logo and/or image as part of the background, so each attendee has a keepsake and reminder of the event and your company. (Exhibitor: \$5,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$9,000)

DIGITAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Conference Mobile App Main Sponsor: Be the Official Conference Mobile App Sponsor, with guaranteed exposure throughout this amazing event. The conference app is the central hub for attendees, designed to assist them in building schedules, locating exhibitors in the Exhibit Hall, and staying current on conference items throughout the weekend. Your organization will be branded as the official sponsor of the app, with several opportunities for logo and ad placements within the app and event signage. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)
- Mobile App Newsfeed Banner: Mobile App Newsfeed Banners are displayed as a slideshow above the conference feed messages and rotate every seven seconds. Ads can be configured to open a sponsor details page within the app or link out to external web pages. Image files should be in .png or .jpg format with 2400 x 600 px dimensions and up to 2 MB in size. (Exhibitor: \$3,500 | Non-Exhibitor: \$7,500)
- Daily Event Emails: This is your chance to brand the meeting's Know Before You Go and daily emails. These emails will be sent to all registered attendees containing key information and meeting highlights. Include your hyperlinked ad in these emails and gain visibility before and during the meeting. (4 emails cost is per email) (Exhibitor: \$3,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$7,000 each)
- Conference Push Notifications: Alerts can be sent through the mobile app designed to promote your booth, new product, service, or even a giveaway. This opportunity provides one message to all in-person and virtual attendees (Exhibitor: \$5,000)
- Bumper Video: Promote your company with our housekeeping video/slide show, displayed on the Main Stage during the General Session. As one of the optimal times in which nearly all attendees are present, your company can reach the maximum number of viewers. (Exhibitor: \$5,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$9,000)
- Headshot Lounge: Located in the Exhibit Hall, attendees will get high-quality professional photos/ headshots with instant delivery. (Exhibitor: \$10,000 | Non-Exhibitor: \$14,000)

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

Take advantage of increased exposure by becoming a leveled sponsor. Sponsorship levels will be awarded based on total spend for OMED24, including exhibit space.

	Platinum	Gold	Silver
	\$60,000+	\$50,000 - \$59,999	\$40,000 - \$49,999
Priority Points	30	20	10
Featured Exhibitor Listing		•	•
In-Booth Sponsor Acknowledgement	•	•	•
Leveled Recognition on OMED24 Website, Digitial Final Program, and Onsite Signage	٠	•	•
Leveled Icon Recognition on Online Exhibitor List and Company Profile	٠		•
Recognition with Company Logo on Session Walk-In Slides	٠	•	
Mobile App Push Alert	2	1	
Digital Final Program Advertisement	Full page	Half page	
Recognition with Company Logo on Registration and Housing Confirmation Emails			

MEETING ROOMS

Exhibit Hall Meeting Rooms offer convenient meeting space to hold staff meetings, meet privately with potential clients, host hospitality events, and more. Meeting Rooms are available in 10'x10' increments and include furniture. (Exhibitor: \$5,000 per room | Non-Exhibitor: \$9,000 per room)

Elevate Your Exposure!

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