

MAOFP Committee's

Professional Affairs/ Business Affairs Committee

- Works with staff to advertise and publish the annual MAOFP Awards that are given, such as: Family Physician of the Year, Distinguished Service, Resident Paper Competition and Resident of the Year Award Competition.
- The Committee also deals with Public Relations issues for the association to promote political advocacy action by the board (website, print material, etc).
- Works with the Secretary/Treasurer on issues involving association spending, association investments, banking and other concerns involving the financial needs of the association.

Government Affairs

- Works with the board and MAOFP members to encourage political advocacy.
- Keeps the members informed on the actions/outcomes of important state and national legislation that affects Osteopathic Medicine.

Education Committee

- Develop and implement meaningful quality osteopathic primary care education programs for MAOFP conferences.
- Advance the knowledge and clinical effectiveness of OMM and OPP through our programs.
- Create targeted programs for residents and young physicians, as well as practicing physicians in a changing work environment.
- Investigate and recommend future sites for our annual scientific conferences.

Membership Committee

- To encourage and enhance membership of qualified Osteopathic family physicians to the MAOFP via recruitment and retention.
- Resident/Young Physician subcommittee: Seek ways to serve the needs of resident members and young physicians, and involve them in MAOFP initiatives and activities.
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**Committees meet on an as needed basis (approximately 2 or 3 times per year) and meet either in person or by conference call.