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2018 ANNUAL CONFERENCE - LEWISBURG, WV  
NOVEMBER 2, 2018

# Expanding Our Presence

Over 30 years, the number of DOs practicing in the US has more than tripled

**145,000**

estimated DOs and osteopathic medical students in the US

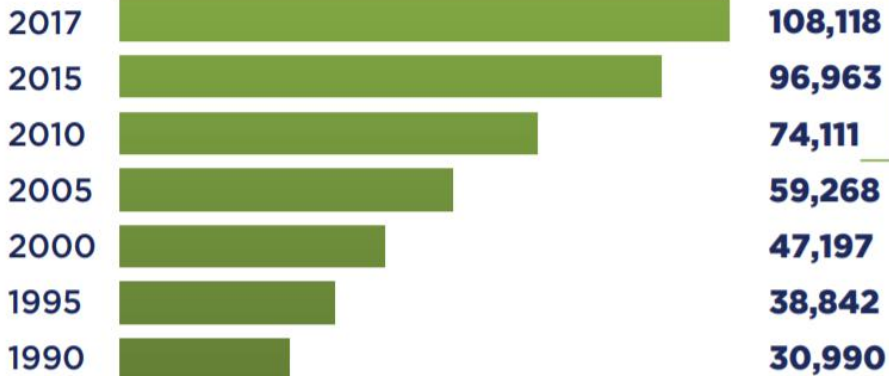
**115,000**

DOs in the US

**300%**

increase in 25 years

TOTAL DOS 1990-2017



# Strategic Focus – Phase I

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Building a foundation for AOA impact

Enhance Public  
Policy Impact

Increase  
Osteopathic  
Medical Research

Expand  
Osteopathic GME

Brand Awareness  
Campaign

Control Expenses

# GME: Single Accreditation System

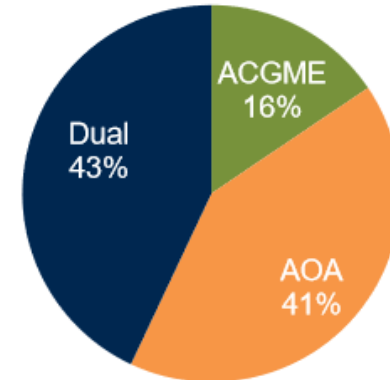
## Program Transition Dashboard (as of 10/22/18)

Programs Transitioned, Accredited or Submitted Application



72% of all programs (894/1244)

Osteopathic Recognition (OR)



193 programs have applied for or received OR

# Strategic Focus – Phase 2

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**Building on, and modernizing, the AOA house**

International  
Impact

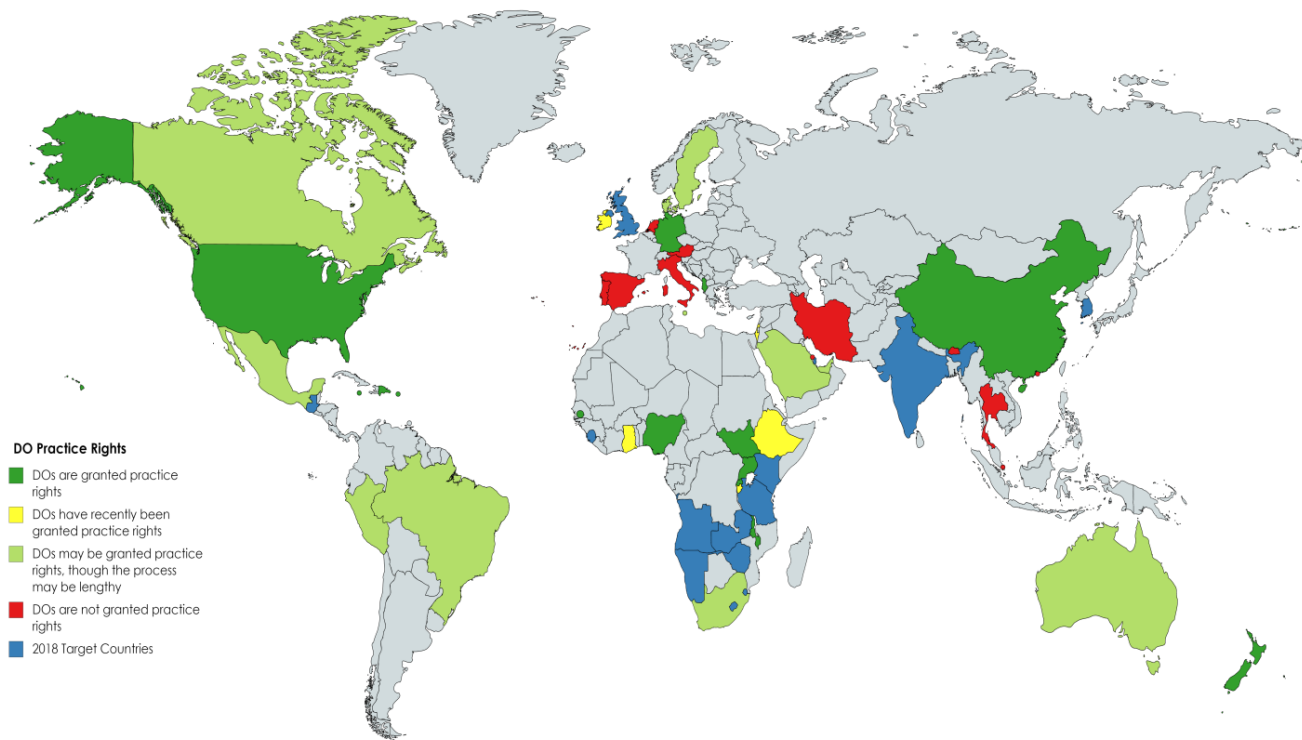
Member  
Value &  
Relevance

Affiliate  
Alignment

Governance  
Alignment

Board  
Certification

# International Impact



## Focus Areas:

- Practice Rights
- Mission/Global Health
- Affiliate Relation
- Research
- Medical School Accreditation

# Member Value Services

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Advancing the distinctive philosophy and practice of osteopathic medicine

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## AOA Member Value Services

Innovative solutions and partnerships to help advance your career.

The AOA's Member Value Services program provides tools, resources and discounts for all practice types and career stages.

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**EMPLOYED PHYSICIANS**

**SOLO AND GROUP PRACTICE PHYSICIANS**

**RESIDENTS**

**STUDENTS**

## AOA MEMBER VALUE SERVICES

The [AOA Member Value Services](#) brings you innovative solutions and discounts to meet your clinical, financial and lifestyle needs. To help with your MACRA requirements, we are pleased to introduce our two newest member benefit providers.

**PCIHIPAA** supports your HIPAA, PHI and PCI compliance needs. Member benefits include a free HIPAA Risk Assessment (a MACRA mandate) and a 30-minute review of your results, one month of complimentary services with subscription, and a 10% discount on monthly services thereafter.

[Start your complimentary risk assessment.](#)

**MPS Navigator™** makes it possible for physicians or practice administrators to maximize MIPS success and reimbursements. AOA members receive a 15% discount on this online tool which will allow you to efficiently produce a practice-specific MIPS Plan for each of the MIPS domains. Members also have access to a listserv for their MIPS questions.

[Start your 2017 MIPS plan.](#)

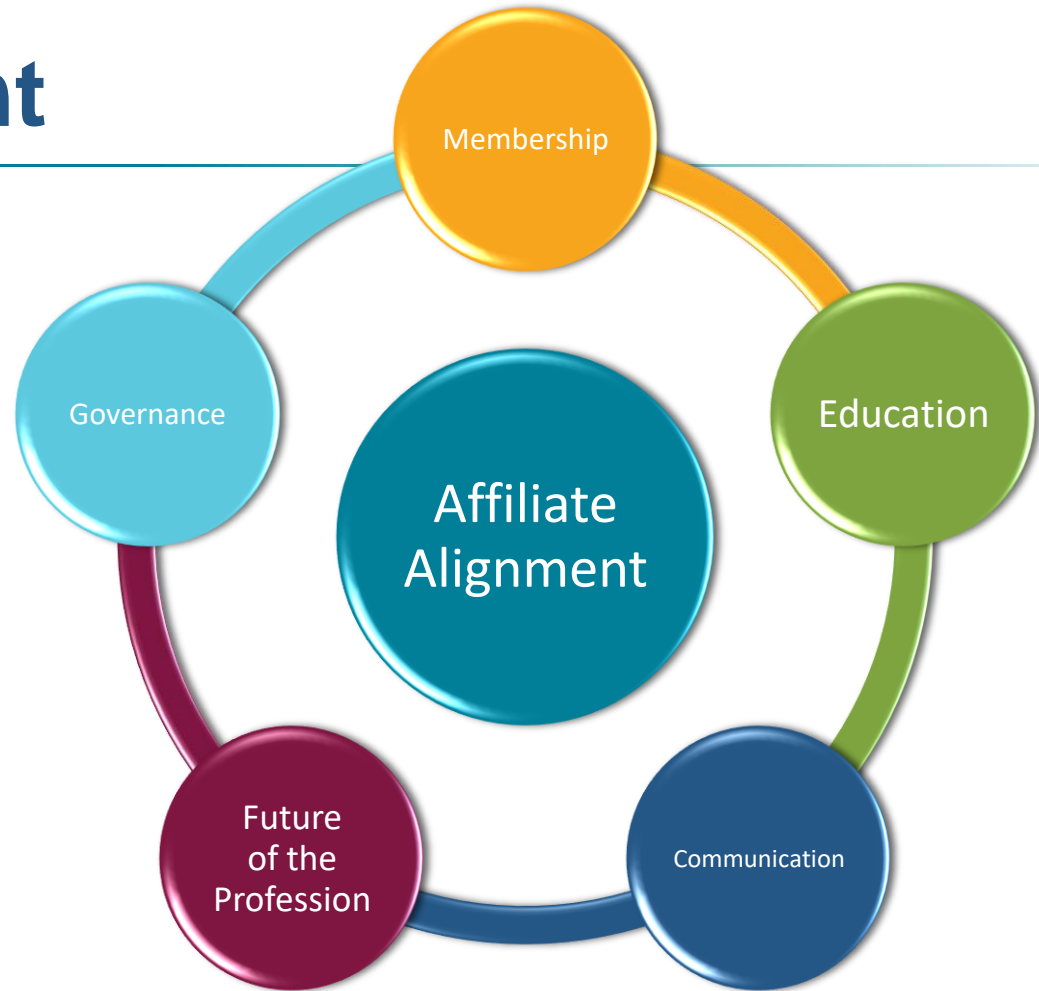
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# Affiliate Alignment

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## Five Focus Areas





# AOA Certification: A Unified Vision

Welcome to the American Osteopathic Board of  
**Surgery**

Affirm your commitment to ongoing evidence-based education resulting in high-quality whole person care.

[APPLY NOW](#)

**Information for Candidates**

Learn about the process to become AOA board certified in Surgery, including required exams and eligibility criteria.

[GET CERTIFIED](#)

**Why Choose AOA?**

Designed for physicians by physicians, AOA board certification is an important quality marker for patients and employers.

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**Maintaining Certification**

Demonstrate excellence in your specialty throughout your career by participating in Osteopathic Continuous Certification.

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**Important Dates** [VIEW ALL](#)

June 9, 2018 AOBS Written Exams	Oct. 17, 2018 AOBS Oral Exams	Oct. 18, 2018 AOBS Written Exams
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Demonstrate excellence in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

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**75**  
YEARS STRONG

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**18** SPECIALTIES | **77** SUBSPECIALTIES

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# Enhancing and Promoting Board Certification Services

- **Biggest Priority for this year and upcoming year**
- **Opportunity**
- **Need to modernize processes**
- **Ongoing Task Force**
- **Engaged Consulting Group**
- **Time is of Essence**

18 | 77  
SPECIALTIES | SUBSPECIALTIES

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Demonstrate excellence in your specialty.

**Choose AOA Board Certification.**

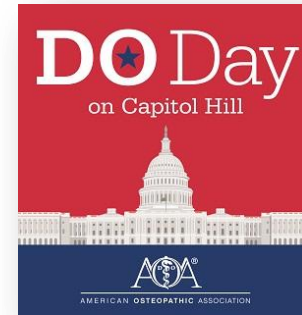
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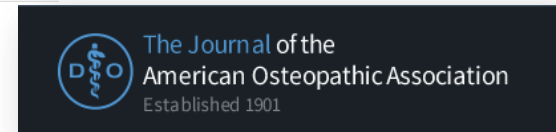
This advertisement shows two men in a professional setting. One is a younger man in a white lab coat, and the other is an older man in a suit. The text is overlaid on the image. At the bottom, there is a button 'LEARN MORE NOW' and the AOA logo.

# AOA: What We Do for YOU

- Board Certification, OCC & CME
- Advocacy
- Career & Practice Success
- Public Awareness
- Lifestyle



The DO



**Thank you for all you  
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