Request for Recognition Committee Public Member Nominees
Osteopathic Principles Committee

The goals for including a public member for each Review and Recognition Committee include introducing the perspective of the public, fostering accountability to the needs of the public, enriching the work of the Committees through outside expertise, and creating transparency to the work of the Committees.

The Osteopathic Principles Committee is currently soliciting nominees for a public member. The Osteopathic Principles Committee will select the nominee based on the Committee’s current needs, professional qualifications, geographic distribution, and diversity in gender and race, and then send its recommendation for confirmation by the ACGME Board of Directors. In making its selection, the Committee will assess each nominee’s qualifications according to the following criteria:

1. Nominees should have evidence of a distinguished and advanced career.
2. Nominees should have experience working in a committee structure and be willing and able to commit to the goals and objectives of the Recognition Committee.
3. Nominees should have demonstrated a history of leadership and membership in public organizations.
4. Nominees must not be a physician; nurses and affiliated health care providers are permitted.
5. Nominees must not be a member or employee of an organization that has a vested interest in the outcome of the work of the Recognition Committee.
6. Nominees must be able to maintain the confidentiality of the work of the Recognition Committee.
7. Due to the current Committee membership, individuals must not be nominated from the following states:
   - Florida
   - Texas
8. Nominees must be skilled in the use of computers and electronic systems.
9. Nominees must be able and willing to devote sufficient time to the Recognition Committee’s work.

The public member participates as a full voting member in all Recognition Committee activities, including program review and policy discussion. The public member is subject to compliance with the same confidentiality, conflict of interest, duality of interest, and fiduciary responsibility policies of the other members.

The Osteopathic Principles Committee meets at least three times per year for program review. The duration of meetings is two to three days for program review and business agenda items. Preparation for the meetings is undertaken over a period of one to two months preceding the meetings. Committee members must devote sufficient time to Committee work in addition to the
meetings. Committee members must attend all Committee meetings.

The selected candidate will be required to participate in a New Member Orientation and an observational Osteopathic Principles Committee meeting. The term of the appointment is six years.

If interested in submitting a nomination (self-nominations are encouraged), e-mail the Executive Director Tiffany Moss (OPC@acgme.org).

Direct any questions about the application process or about the Osteopathic Principles Committee public member role to Executive Director Tiffany Moss: opc@acgme.org.