OEFOOM Endowed Scholarship

Applications due March 1, 2021

Criteria

1. A completed application form and a typed letter detailing qualifications for the scholarship award.

2. A typed letter indicating any specific financial criteria or factors that you believe will impede your commitment to osteopathic education without scholarship support, along with your anticipated postgraduate practice plans.

3. Letters of support from one osteopathic medical college faculty member, one osteopathic physician and one community leader. These letters will assist the selection committee in affirming standing with the college, professional demeanor, character, and ability and willingness to participate in community activities.

4. A transcript indicating cumulative GPA and class ranking.

Scholarship applicants must be lawful residents of the United States and meet one of the following requirements:

1. **Non-independent students** must have at least one parent, step parent or court-appointed guardian who is an Oklahoma resident and who has claimed the applicant as a dependent on his/her federal income tax return for the previous year.

2. **Independent students** must have lived in Oklahoma in some capacity other than as a full-time student at a post-secondary institution for a period of at least 12 consecutive months prior to matriculation to medical school.

Candidates must be able to demonstrate good standing at their college regarding academics, finances and conduct.

1. Preference will be shown to applicants who have completed two years of osteopathic medical education and who indicate a desire to practice in Oklahoma.

2. Class standing and cumulative grade point averages will be a major determining factor in granting scholarship awards.

Finalists may be interviewed by a designated Scholarship Committee comprised of members of the OEFOM and/or their designees.

Scholarship awards will be deposited with the Office of the Bursar of the College and credited for tuition, books, fees and other applicable educational expenses. Funds will not be payable directly to the student.

Scholarship awards may be “stacked” with other scholarship awards or financial aid. However, the total of these awards, excluding loans, may not exceed the educational costs for the scholarship year.

OEFOM will make available the minimum amount of scholarship funds allocated by September 1, annually.

Applications are due by March 1, 2021, and awards will be announced at the OOA’s 121st Annual Convention.

Certain “named” scholarship funds may place additional restrictions on awards.

Candidates will be formally informed of amount and source of awarded scholarships.
Please Complete the Following:

Name:  _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Permanent Address:  ___________________________________________________________________________________________
City:  ___________________________  State:  ___________________  Zip:  ___________________

Present Address:  ______________________________________________________________________________________________
City:  ___________________________  State:  ___________________  Zip:  ___________________

Phone Number:  ___________________________  Email:  ________________________________________________________________________

Date of Birth:  ___________________________  Hometown:  ________________________________________________________________________
  month  day  year

Marital Status:  Married  Single  Divorced  Widowed  (circle one)

Parent's Name:  __________________________________________________________________________________________________

Parent's Address:  _______________________________________________________________________________________________
City:  ___________________________  State:  ___________________  Zip:  ________________

How long have you lived in Oklahoma?:  _____________________________________________________________________________

High School, Community, Year of Graduation:  ________________________________________________________________________

Pre-Med College(s):
_____________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Name of Osteopathic Medical College:  ______________________________________________________________________________
(Attach transcript indicating cumulative GPA and class rank)

Classification:  __________OMS-I  __________ OMS-II  __________OMS-III

Letters of Support
Each application must be accompanied by three letters of support, please indicate that information below:

Name (faculty member)  _____________________________________________________________________________________________

Name (osteopathic physician)  __________________________________________________________________________________________

Name (community leader)  _____________________________________________________________________________________________

Please send applications to:

OEFOM     4848 North Lincoln Boulevard     Oklahoma City, OK 73105-3335
or email: audrey@okosteo.org

For more information:
(405) 528-4848     (800) 522-8379 toll free     (405) 528-6102 fax
email: audrey@okosteo.org

CHECK LIST
☐ Application
☐ Typed Letter of Qualification
☐ Typed Letter of Financial Factors and Practice Plans
☐ Three Letters of Support
☐ Transcript
☐ Send to OEFOM

due March 1, 2021