

State of Florida Department of Health

Board of Osteopathic Medicine Application for Licensure



Board of Osteopathic Medicine
4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256
(850) 488-0595

***** **ATTENTION** *****

- Please refrain from making any commitments or accepting positions to practice osteopathic medicine in Florida prior to becoming licensed.
- You must retain the application instructions for your records. You may be referred back to the instructions during the application process.
- Make a copy of everything you send to the Board Office. You may need to refer to previously submitted documents during the application process.

Federation’s Credential Verification Service (FCVS)

The FCVS is a primary source verification service available through the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB). Participation in the FCVS is not required for licensure, but recommended. FCVS obtains primary source verification of medical education, postgraduate training, licensure examination history, board action history and identity. For information on how to establish a permanent lifetime portfolio of primary source verified information, please visit the FCVS web site at www.fsmb.org or call the FCVS at (888) 275-3287.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the following in its entirety before completing the application.

APPEARANCES: Certain applicants may be required to appear before the Board to discuss his or her application before a determination of licensure can be made. An appearance may be required for a variety of reasons, such as:

- Criminal or disciplinary history
- Education or post-graduate training history
- Impairment
- Other reasons as deemed necessary by the Board

Appearances are determined on a case by case basis. Board office staff does not determine the necessity of an appearance. Should your appearance be required, you will be notified of the exact date, time and location of the meeting at which your appearance is necessary.

If you believe you may be required to appear before the Board it is recommended you submit your application several months in advance of the meeting for which you wish to appear. You may view the Board’s meeting dates and locations on its website at: www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/osteopath/index.html.

FEE SCHEDULE: All fees must be made payable to the Department of Health and must be by cashiers check or money order. All fees must be encompassed in one check. The fees required for initial licensure are listed below.

Application processing fee:	\$200.00 (NON-REFUNDABLE)
Initial licensure fee:	*\$405.00 , if license is issued in the first year of the biennial period or *\$205.00 , if license is issued in the second year of the biennial period
NICA assessment fee:	\$250.00/\$5,000 (some exemptions apply- see enclosed information)
Dispensing Practitioner fee:	\$100.00 , optional (this fee is to sell pharmaceuticals in the office)

* - All licenses expire March 31, every even numbered year. The above fees are contingent upon completion date of the application. Please note that it takes several months (on average) to complete the application process therefore, keep this in mind when calculating your fees.

ADDRESS CHANGES: When you receive any correspondence from the Board Office, please make sure that all information regarding your name and address is correct. Please notify the Board Office in writing of any changes that need to be made.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: If you are unsure as to your eligibility for licensure in Florida, please refer to section 459.0055, Florida Statutes.

Where to send the APPLICATION: The original application with fees attached and any documentation should be mailed in the same envelope to:

Department of Health
Board of Osteopathic Medicine
PO Box 6330
Tallahassee, FL 32314-6330

The initial process of receiving the application and logging in your payment usually takes about 5 to 7 days. Once your application is logged in it is then forwarded to the Board Office.

Where to send all SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION: Any additional documents submitted without fees, including all supplemental forms, mailed separately from the application should be mailed to:

Department of Health
Board of Osteopathic Medicine
4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin #C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256

Please be sure to list your name on all supporting documentation submitted to the Board office to ensure appropriate and timely processing.

REQUIRED AOA APPROVED INTERNSHIP: Florida Statutes require that you have completed an American Osteopathic Association (AOA) approved one-year internship. If you have not completed an internship approved by the AOA, you will fall into one of the 2 categories listed below:

1. **You have completed your ENTIRE residency program** - You are eligible to petition the Board for approval of your "good cause" for not completing an AOA approved internship year. A list of what the Board considers possible "good cause" reasons may be found in 64B15-16, F.A.C. You will need to include a written explanation with your application documenting your good cause.
2. **You have not completed your entire residency program** - You must FIRST contact the AOA (**1-800-621-1773**) and request approval of your training. If the AOA approves your educational equivalency but denies your "good cause" justification your file will be submitted to the Board to have the "good cause" justification considered for approval.

REQUIRED EXAMINATION: Anyone applying for licensure must have passed all three parts of the examination conducted by the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners (NBOME). If you have not taken and passed all three parts of the examination offered by the NBOME, you must demonstrate to the Board that the examination that you passed is substantially similar to all three parts of the NBOME.

Please note that the board does not consider the FLEX or USMLE exams to be substantially similar to the NBOME exam as neither of these exams has an osteopathic component or osteopathic philosophies generally incorporated into the questions.

If you were licensed in another state on the basis of that state's examination you may request the Board endorse those examination scores. It is the applicant's responsibility to demonstrate to the Board that the state licensing examination is substantially similar to all three parts of the NBOME examination. You will need to request the state Board which administered the examination to send an official copy of your scores and a letter verifying that your license in that state was issued on the basis of the state examination. At the very least, the following information **MUST** be provided:

1. The number of questions the examination contained;
2. The subjects the examination tested;
3. Who or what entity created the examination;
4. Whether there was an osteopathic component and emphasis;
5. When was the examination administered and endorsed;
6. Other information the applicant deems important

REQUIRED BACKGROUND CHECK: All applicants for initial licensure must undergo a state and national criminal history background check. All fingerprinting is done through a LiveScan provider and all fingerprints are retained by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement. Please refer to the information in the Supplemental Forms section of this application for complete instructions on obtaining and submitting your fingerprints.

REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

The following is a list of supporting documentation that is REQUIRED in order to complete your application for licensure in Florida. Many of these documents take several weeks to arrive in the Board Office, so please do not panic should we inform you initially that they have not arrived.

The following documents must be no more than 6 months old in order to be accepted with your application. Documents dated more than 6 months prior to the submission of your application will be rejected.

TRAINING EVALUATION FORM (internship, residency & fellowship): Please fill out the top portion of the form and mail it to your training facility. The form needs to be returned to the Board Office directly from the facility.

STAFF PRIVILEGE VERIFICATION: Submitted to this office directly from the hospital

AOA PROFILE: Contact the American Osteopathic Association – (800) 621-1773 or Profile Services, 142 East Ontario Street, Chicago, IL 60611.

FSMB DATA CHECK: Please visit the FSMB website at http://www.fsmb.org/fpdc_data_inquiry.html to obtain the Board Action Data Inquiry Form.

NATIONAL PRACTITIONERS DATA BANK INQUIRY (NPDB): This is a “self query”. Please contact the NPDB at (800) 767-6732 or <http://www.npdb-hipdb.com/npdb.html>. You must then send that notarized form to the NPDB. They will in return, send you a “Response to self query”.

VERIFICATION OF OTHER STATE LICENSES: You must request that verification of any state license that you now hold or have ever held be mailed directly from the other state licensing entity to the Board Office. A copy of your license is not considered verification. Some states are using www.Veridoc.org for verification. Please check to see if the state you are licensed in utilizes Veridoc.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY FORM

FLORIDA BIRTH RELATED NEUROLOGICAL INJURY COMPENSATION ASSOCIATION FORM (NICA)

EXHIBIT 1 – REPORT ON PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY CLAIMS AND ACTIONS

COMPLETED FINGERPRINT CARD: Go to www.fldoh.sofn.net

The following documents may be over 6 months old:

EXAMINATION SCORES: This must be an original transcript submitted directly from the NBOME or a certified copy of the scores directly from the state board if applying by other state exam.

MEDICAL SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT: Official transcript mailed directly from your medical school to the Board office.

BOARD CERTIFICATION: If applicable, submit a copy of your current board certification or a letter verifying board certification.

MILITARY DISCHARGE FORM OR PROOF OF CURRENT ENLISTMENT: If applicable a copy of your DD214 or current orders.

COMPLETING THE APPLICATION

The following instructions are numbered to correspond with the numbered questions on the application. If a question does not pertain to you, indicate "N/A" in that question. All questions with "YES/NO" answers must have either "YES" or "NO" marked.

- 1. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AND HEALTH HISTORY QUESTIONS:** List your social security number and answer the questions related to health history. Note- the additional documentation required based on affirmative answers is listed on the application page.

- 2. NAME:** List your FULL name. Name changes: If you have ever had your name changed due to marriage, divorce or any other court action, this constitutes a name change.
- 3. MAILING ADDRESS:** This is the address where you receive mail.
- 4. PRIMARY PRACTICE / PHYSICAL ADDRESS:** This should be the address where you are currently practicing. No PO boxes.
- 5. TELEPHONE NUMBERS:** Please list both your primary and business numbers.
- 6. EMAIL ADDRESS: List your e-mail address. Staff may utilize e-mail to contact you about your application.**
 - 6a.** Please answer yes or no - Additional notices regarding Board appearances or licensure decisions will be provided through the regular USPS mail system.
- 7.** Please answer yes or no.
- 8.** Sections 456.38 and 381.0303, Florida Statutes, require that we ask all applicants if they would be willing to assist in the event of a disaster. Please answer yes or no.
- 9. PERSONAL DATA:** Please provide the information requested; responses to the questions regarding your race and sex are voluntary.
- 10. CITIZENSHIP:** Provide the country where you hold citizenship and your date/place of birth.
- 11. MILITARY HISTORY:**
 - a) You must answer yes or no and provide documentation if answered yes.
 - b) You must answer Yes or No. If yes, please attach a letter of explanation as well as all documentation pertaining to the charge.
- 12. OTHER STATE LICENSES:** You must answer yes or no. If yes, please list any license you hold or have ever held regardless of current status. Be sure to include the state, territory or foreign country, license number, original issue date, expiration date and license type. You must request that every state, territory or foreign country where you have ever held a full or training license send the Board official license verification. Some states may require a fee for this service.
- 13.** List the year you legally began to practice.
- 14. EXAM:** Please indicate if you have passed all 3 parts of the NBOME. If you have taken any other licensure exams, please list those as well.
- 15. EDUCATION HISTORY:** List all undergraduate and graduate schools, colleges and universities you attended even if a degree was not awarded in chronological order. Attach additional sheets if necessary including the address and the date your degree was awarded. Request your osteopathic school send an official transcript to the Board Office.
- 16. POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:** - Please list your entire postgraduate training sequence (internship, residency and fellowship). You must indicate whether that program was approved by the **AOA** or the **AMA**. Please list all programs, and send a copy of the "Training Evaluation Form" to all training programs you attended regardless of completion. The form may be duplicated as needed.
- 17.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide a letter of explanation in your own words regarding the incident. You must also direct the school/program to send a letter of explanation.
- 18.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation in your own words. You must also direct the school/program to send a letter of explanation.
- 19.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation in your own words. You must also direct the school/program to send a letter of explanation.

- 20. PRACTICE / EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:** – List in chronological order from the date of graduation to the present, all practice employment, non-employment and/or unaccounted period of time. Attach additional sheets if necessary.
- 21.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list. Attach additional sheets if necessary.
- 22.** Answer yes or no.
- 23. STAFF PRIVILEGES:** – You must answer yes or no. If yes, list your privileges in the space provided. You must send a copy of the enclosed "Staff Privileges Verification Form" to verify your standing with each institution (hospital, clinic etc.) listed; the form may be duplicated as needed.
- 24.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list the action in the space provided on the application AS WELL AS attach additional sheets, if necessary, to describe the action. Please direct the facility to send a letter of explanation regarding the incident.
- 25.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list the action in the space provided on the application AS WELL AS attach additional sheets, if necessary, to describe the action. Please direct the facility to send a letter of explanation regarding the incident.
- 26.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list the action in the space provided on the application AS WELL AS attach additional sheets, if necessary, to describe the action. Please direct the facility to send a letter of explanation regarding the incident.
- 27. SPECIALTY BOARD CERTIFICATION:** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and submit a copy of your board certification or letter verifying board certification.
- 28.** Answer yes or no. If yes, explain on a separate sheet.
- 29.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and direct the organization to submit a letter of explanation.
- 30.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and direct the organization to submit a letter of explanation.
- 31.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and explain in detail on a separate sheet.
- 32.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and explain in detail on a separate sheet.
- 33.** Answer yes or no. If yes, list in the space provided and explain in detail on a separate sheet.
- 34. **MEDICAL MALPRACTICE JUDGMENTS OCCURRING AFTER NOVEMBER 2, 2004:** Answer yes or no. If yes, you must provide the following documentation for each case:
- A detailed explanation, in your own words, listing your involvement in the case.
 - Complete the Exhibit 1 form located under Supplemental Forms.
 - The entire case record must be submitted in electronic format (either PDF or TIFF), preferably on a DVD mailed to our office. Please be advised that the Board office will NOT maintain this documentation permanently, so it is your responsibility to maintain a copy of these records for any future use.
 - The record must include:
 - Initial and/or amended complaint
 - Trial transcripts
 - Evidentiary exhibits
 - Final judgment
- 35. MALPRACTICE/LIABILITY CLAIMS:** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide the following:
- A statement indicating how many malpractice case(s) you have been named in.
 - A detailed explanation, in your own words, listing your involvement in each case.
 - A copy of the complaint for each case.
 - A copy of the disposition for each case.
 - Complete the Exhibit 1 form located under Section II, Supplemental Forms.
- 36.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. Also direct the licensing agency to submit, directly to the Board office, copies of all pertinent information, including final orders, complaints, current disposition, etc.

- 37.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. Also direct the licensing agency to submit, directly to the Board office, copies of all pertinent information, including final orders, complaints, current disposition, etc.
- 38.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. Also direct the licensing agency to submit, directly to the Board office, copies of all pertinent information, including final orders, complaints, current disposition, etc.
- 39.** Answer yes or no. Provide an explanation on a separate sheet.
- 40.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation regarding the charges on a separate sheet. You must also submit CERTIFIED copies of all pertinent court/arrest documents, including arrest report, official charges, and current disposition.
- 41.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. You must also direct the DEA to submit, directly to the Board office, all pertinent documentation.
- 42.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. You must also direct the DEA to submit, directly to the Board office, all pertinent documentation.
- 43.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet, giving accurate details. You must also direct the DEA to submit, directly to the Board office, all pertinent documentation.
- 44.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also direct the Medicaid program to submit all pertinent documentation directly to the Board office.
- 45.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also submit all pertinent documentation directly to the Board office.
- 46.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also submit copies of all court/arrest documents, including arrest report, official charges, and disposition.
- 47.** Answer yes or no. If yes, please provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also submit copies of all court/arrest documents, including arrest report, official charges, and disposition.
- 48.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also direct the Medicaid program to submit all pertinent documentation directly to the Board office.
- 49.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also direct the state Medicaid program or the federal Medicare program to submit all pertinent documentation directly to the Board office.
- 50.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet. You must also direct the US HHS office to submit all pertinent documentation directly to the Board office.
- 51.** Answer yes or no. If yes, provide an explanation on a separate sheet.
- 52.** Answer yes or no. If you have not completed the course at the time you submit this application, you must submit a copy of the certificate once completed.
- 53. STATEMENT OF APPLICANT:** – Please read this section CAREFULLY then sign and date the application. This section gives the Florida Board of Osteopathic Medicine permission to obtain any information regarding licensure from reported entities.

SUPPLEMENTAL FORMS

- Read the instructions carefully for each form.
- Training Evaluation Forms, Staff Privilege Verification Form, and Exhibit 1 Report on Professional Liability Claims and Actions may need to be duplicated.

Electronic Fingerprinting

Take this form with you to the Live Scan service provider. Please check the service provider's requirements to see if you need to bring any additional items.

- Background screening results are obtained from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and the Federal Bureau of Investigation by submitting to a fingerprint scan using the livescan method;
- You can find a Livescan service provider at: <http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa/background.html>;
- Failure to submit background screening will delay your application;
- Applicants may use any Livescan service provider approved by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to submit their background screening to the department;
- If you do not provide the correct Originating Agency Identification (ORI) number to the livescan service provider the Board office will not receive your background screening results;
- You must provide accurate demographic information to the livescan service provider at the time your fingerprints are taken, **including your Social Security number (SSN)**;
- The ORI number for the Board of Osteopathic Medicine is **EDOH2015Z**;
- Typically background screening results submitted through a Livescan service provider are received by the Board within 24-72 hours of being processed.
- If you obtain your livescan from a service provider who does not capture your photo you may be required to be reprinted by another agency in the future.

Name: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Aliases: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Citizenship: _____ Race: _____ (W-White/Latino(a); B-Black; A-Asian;
NA-Native American; U-Unknown)

Sex: _____ Weight: _____ Height: _____
(M=Male; F=Female)

Eye Color: _____ Hair Color: _____

Address: _____ Apt. Number: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Transaction Control Number (TCN#): _____
(This will be provided to you by the Live Scan Service provider.)

Keep this form for your records.

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT

NOTICE FOR APPLICANTS SUBMITTING FINGERPRINTS WHERE CRIMINAL RECORD RESULTS WILL BECOME PART OF THE CARE PROVIDER BACKGROUND SCREENING CLEARINGHOUSE

NOTICE OF:

- **SHARING OF CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION WITH SPECIFIED AGENCIES,**
- **RETENTION OF FINGERPRINTS,**
- **PRIVACY POLICY, AND**
- **RIGHT TO CHALLENGE AN INCORRECT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD**

This notice is to inform you that when you submit a set of fingerprints to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) for the purpose of conducting a search for any Florida and national criminal history records that may pertain to you, the results of that search will be returned to the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse. By submitting fingerprints, you are authorizing the dissemination of any state and national criminal history record that may pertain to you to the Specified Agency or Agencies from which you are seeking approval to be employed, licensed, work under contract, or to serve as a volunteer, pursuant to the National Child Protection Act of 1993, as amended, and Section 943.0542, Florida Statutes. "Specified agency" means the Department of Health, the Department of Children and Family Services, the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation within the Department of Education, the Agency for Health Care Administration, the Department of Elder Affairs, the Department of Juvenile Justice, and the Agency for Persons with Disabilities when these agencies are conducting state and national criminal history background screening on persons who provide care for children or persons who are elderly or disabled. The fingerprints submitted will be retained by FDLE and the Clearinghouse will be notified if FDLE receives Florida arrest information on you.

Your Social Security Number (SSN) is needed to keep records accurate because other people may have the same name and birth date. Disclosure of your SSN is imperative for the performance of the Clearinghouse agencies' duties in distinguishing your identity from that of other persons whose identification information may be the same as or similar to yours.

Licensing and employing agencies are allowed to release a copy of the state and national criminal record information to a person who requests a copy of his or her own record if the identification of the record was based on submission of the person's fingerprints. Therefore, if you wish to review your record, you may request that the agency that is screening the record provide you with a copy. After you have reviewed the criminal history record, if you believe it is incomplete or inaccurate, you may conduct a personal review as provided in s. 943.056, F.S., and Rule 11C8.001, F.A.C. If national information is believed to be in error, the FBI should be contacted at 304-625-2000. You can receive any national criminal history record that may pertain to you directly from the FBI, pursuant to 28 CFR Sections 16.30-16.34. You have the right to obtain a prompt determination as to the validity of your challenge before a final decision is made about your status as an employee, volunteer, contractor, or subcontractor.

Until the criminal history background check is completed, you may be denied unsupervised access to children, the elderly, or persons with disabilities.

The FBI's Privacy Statement follows on a separate page and contains additional information.

**US Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Criminal Justice Information Services Division**

Privacy Statement

Authority: The FBI's acquisition, preservation and exchange of information requested by this form is generally authorized under 28 U.S.C. 534. Depending on the nature of your application, supplemental authorities include numerous Federal statutes, hundreds of State statutes pursuant to Pub.L.92-544, Presidential executive orders, regulations and/or orders of the Attorney General of the United States, or other authorized authorities. Examples include, but are not limited to: 5 U.S.C. 9101; Pub.L.94-29; Pub.L.101-604; and Executive Orders 10450 and 12968. Providing the requested information is voluntary; however, failure to furnish the information may affect timely completion of approval of your application.

Social Security Account Number (SSAN): Your SSAN is needed to keep records accurate because other people may have the same name and birth date. Pursuant to the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 USC 552a), the requesting agency is responsible for informing you whether disclosure is mandatory or voluntary, by what statutory or other authority your SSAN is solicited, and what uses will be made of it. Executive Order 9397 also asks Federal Agencies to use this number to help identify individuals in agency records.

Principal Purpose: Certain determinations, such as employment, security, licensing and adoption, may be predicated on fingerprint based checks. Your fingerprints and other information contained on (and along with) this form may be submitted to the requesting agency, the agency conducting the application investigation, and/or FBI for the purpose of comparing the submitted information to available records in order to identify other information that may be pertinent to the application. During the processing of this application, and for as long hereafter as may be relevant to the activity for which this application is being submitted, the FBI(may disclose any potentially pertinent information to the requesting agency and/or to the agency conducting the investigation. The FBI may also retain the submitted information in the FBI's permanent collection of fingerprints and related information, where it will be subject to comparisons against other submissions received by the FBI. Depending on the nature of your application, the requesting agency and/or the agency conducting the application investigation may also retain the fingerprints and other submitted information for other authorized purposes of such agency(ies).

Routine Uses: The fingerprints and information reported on this form may be disclosed pursuant to your consent, and may also be disclosed by the FBI without your consent as permitted by the Federal Privacy Act of 1974 (5 USC 552a(b)) and all applicable routine uses as many be published at any time in the Federal Register, including the routine uses for the FBI Fingerprint Identification Records System (Justice, FBI-009) and the FBI's Blanket Routine Uses (Justice/FBI-BRU). Routine uses include, but are not limited to, disclosures to: appropriate governmental authorities responsible for civil or criminal law enforcement counterintelligence, national security or public safety matters to which the information may be relevant; to State and local governmental agencies and nongovernmental entities for application processing as authorized by Federal and State legislation, executive order, or regulation, including employment, security, licensing, and adoption checks; and as otherwise authorized by law , treaty, executive order, regulation, or other lawful authority. If other agencies are involved in processing the application, they may have additional routine uses.

Additional Information: The requesting agency and/or the agency conducting the application investigation will provide you additional information pertinent to the specific circumstances of this application, which may include identification of other authorities, purposes, uses, and consequences of not providing requested information. In addition, any such agency in the Federal Executive Branch has also published notice.

Confirmation of Receipt of:

- **SHARING OF CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION WITH SPECIFIED AGENCIES,**
- **RETENTION OF FINGERPRINTS,**
- **PRIVACY POLICY, AND**
- **RIGHT TO CHALLENGE AN INCORRECT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD**

Name: _____ File # (if known) _____

Profession: _____ Date of Birth: _____
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Other last names: _____

I have been provided and read the statement from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement regarding the sharing, retention, privacy and right to challenge incorrect criminal history records and the "Privacy Statement" document from the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Yes No

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(MM/DD/YYYY)

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P.O. Box 6330
Tallahassee, FL 32314-6330

If you send this form separate from your application please mail it to:

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**FLORIDA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
INTERNSHIP TRAINING EVALUATION**

TO: _____ INSTITUTION: _____

The doctor named below has applied for licensure in the State of Florida. Please complete the entire form and affix the hospital seal. If your hospital has no seal, please indicate such on this form.

NAME: _____

PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY

	Poor	Fair	Good	Superior	Don't Know
a. Basic Medical Knowledge	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Diagnostic/Clinical Ability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Fitness for Clinical Practice	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PERSONAL CHARACTER

a. Motivation	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Responsibility	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Integrity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
e. Appearance	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
f. Knowledge of English	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
g. Emotional Stability/Attitude	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

a. Teaching Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Colleagues	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Nursing Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Patients	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PLEASE VERIFY:

- Dates attended (start and end): _____
- The levels completed under your purview: INT/PGY I _____
- Has the physician named above completed an AOA approved, 12 month, Rotating Internship? YES ___ NO ___
- The specialty area of training was _____
- Did this individual ever take a leave of absence or break from training? YES ___ NO ___
- Was this individual ever placed on probation? YES ___ NO ___
- Was this individual ever disciplined or placed under investigation? YES ___ NO ___
- Did an instructor ever file any negative reports? YES ___ NO ___
- Were any limitations or special requirements placed upon this individual because of questions of academic incompetence, disciplinary problems or any other reason? YES ___ NO ___

(If "YES" is marked for 5 - 9 above, please provide details on a separate sheet.)

OVERALL EVALUATION: If 3 or 4 is checked, please explain on a separate sheet.

1. ___ Outstanding 2. ___ Qualified/Competent 3. ___ Less than Satisfactory (if 3 is checked, provide an explanation on a separate sheet).

Name of Evaluator

Signature

Position Title

Phone Number

Date

**AFFIX
HOSPITAL
SEAL**

**Board of Osteopathic Medicine
 4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06
 Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256**

**FLORIDA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
RESIDENCY TRAINING EVALUATION**

TO: _____ INSTITUTION: _____

The doctor named below has applied for licensure in the State of Florida. Please complete the entire form and affix the hospital seal. If your hospital has no seal, please indicate such on this form.

NAME: _____

PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY

	Poor	Fair	Good	Superior	Don't Know
a. Basic Medical Knowledge	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Diagnostic/Clinical Ability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Fitness for Clinical Practice	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PERSONAL CHARACTER

a. Motivation	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Responsibility	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Integrity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
e. Appearance	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
f. Knowledge of English	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
g. Emotional Stability/Attitude	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

a. Teaching Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Colleagues	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Nursing Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Patients	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PLEASE VERIFY:

- Dates attended (start and end): _____
- The levels completed under your purview: PGY I _____ PGY II _____ PGY III _____ PGY IV _____ PGY V _____
- The specialty area of training was _____
- Did this individual ever take a leave of absence or break from training? **YES** _____ **NO** _____
- Was this individual ever placed on probation? **YES** _____ **NO** _____
- Was this individual ever disciplined or placed under investigation? **YES** _____ **NO** _____
- Did an instructor ever file any negative reports? **YES** _____ **NO** _____
- Were any limitations or special requirements placed upon this individual because of questions of academic incompetence, disciplinary problems or any other reason? **YES** _____ **NO** _____

(If "YES" is marked for 4 – 8 above, please provide details on a separate sheet.)

OVERALL EVALUATION: If 3 or 4 is checked, please explain on a separate sheet.

1. ___ Outstanding 2. ___ Qualified/Competent 3. ___ Less than Satisfactory_(if 3 is checked, provide an explanation on a separate sheet).

Name of Evaluator

Signature

Position Title

Phone Number

Date

**AFFIX
HOSPITAL
SEAL**

**Board of Osteopathic Medicine
4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256**

**FLORIDA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
FELLOWSHIP TRAINING EVALUATION**

TO: _____ INSTITUTION: _____

The doctor named below has applied for licensure in the State of Florida. Please complete the entire form and affix the hospital seal. If your hospital has no seal, please indicate such on this form.

NAME: _____

PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY

	Poor	Fair	Good	Superior	Don't Know
a. Basic Medical Knowledge	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Diagnostic/Clinical Ability	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Fitness for Clinical Practice	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PERSONAL CHARACTER

a. Motivation	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Responsibility	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Integrity	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
e. Appearance	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
f. Knowledge of English	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
g. Emotional Stability/Attitude	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

a. Teaching Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
b. Colleagues	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
c. Nursing Staff	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
d. Patients	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PLEASE VERIFY:

- Dates attended (start and end): _____
- The levels completed under your purview: PGY I _____ PGY II _____ PGY III _____ PGY IV _____ PGY V _____
- The specialty area of training was _____
- Did this individual ever take a leave of absence or break from training? **YES** ___ **NO** ___
- Was this individual ever placed on probation? **YES** ___ **NO** ___
- Was this individual ever disciplined or placed under investigation? **YES** ___ **NO** ___
- Did an instructor ever file any negative reports? **YES** ___ **NO** ___
- Were any limitations or special requirements placed upon this individual because of questions of academic incompetence, disciplinary problems or any other reason? **YES** ___ **NO** ___
(If "YES" is marked for 4 – 8 above, please provide details on a separate sheet.)

OVERALL EVALUATION: If 3 or 4 is checked, please explain on a separate sheet.

1. ___ Outstanding 2. ___ Qualified/Competent 3. ___ Less than Satisfactory (if 3 is checked, provide an explanation on a separate sheet).

Name of Evaluator

Signature

Position Title

Phone Number

Date

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**Board of Osteopathic Medicine
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Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256**

**FLORIDA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
STAFF PRIVILEGES VERIFICATION**

TO: _____

DATE: _____

INSTITUTION: _____

The doctor named below has applied for licensure in the State of Florida. Please complete this form and affix the hospital seal where indicated. If your hospital has no seal, please indicate that directly on the form.

NAME: _____

1. Does/did the doctor have full staff privileges in his/her specialty? **YES __ NO __**

If no, please explain: _____

2. What is/was the doctor's specialty? _____

3. Does/did he/she perform competently? **YES __ NO __**

If no, please explain: _____

4. How would you rate the doctors professional attitude: **Poor** ____ **Fair** ____ **Good** ____ **Superior** ____

5. Have any restrictions ever been placed on him/her beyond the original period of probation? **YES __ NO __**

If yes, please explain: _____

6. Please list the doctor's **dates of service**: _____

Name of Person Providing Information

Signature

Date Signed

Position/Title

Phone Number

**AFFIX
HOSPITAL
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**Board of Osteopathic Medicine
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Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256**

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY FILING FORM

The Financial Responsibility options are divided into two categories: coverage and exemptions. Check only **one** of the ten options provided as required by s. 459.0085, Florida Statutes.

CATEGORY I: Financial Responsibility Coverage for Florida Practice Only

1. I do not have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain professional liability coverage in an amount not less than \$100,000 per claim, with a minimum annual aggregate of not less than \$300,000, from an authorized insurer as defined under s. 624.09 FS, from a surplus lines insurer as defined under s. 626.914(2) FS, from a risk retention group as defined under s. 627.942 FS, from the Joint Underwriting Association established under s. 627.351(4) FS, or through a plan of self-insurance as provided in s. 627.357 FS.
2. I have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain professional liability coverage in an amount not less than \$250,000 per claim, with a minimum annual aggregate of not less than \$750,000, from an authorized insurer as defined under s. 624.09 FS, from a surplus lines insurer as defined under s. 626.914(2) FS, from a risk retention group as defined under s. 627.942 FS, from the Joint Underwriting Association established under s. 627.351(4) FS, or through a plan of self-insurance as provided in s. 627.357 FS, or through a plan of self-insurance which meets the conditions specified for satisfying financial responsibility in s. 766.110 FS.
3. I do not have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain an unexpired, irrevocable letter of credit, established pursuant to chapter 675 FS, in an amount of not less than \$100,000 per claim with a minimum aggregate availability of credit of not less than \$300,000. The letter of credit shall be payable to the osteopathic physician as beneficiary upon presentment of a final judgment indicating liability and awarding damages to be paid by the osteopathic physician or upon presentment of a settlement agreement signed by all parties to such agreement when such final judgment or settlement is a result of a claim arising out of the rendering of, or the failure to render, medical care and services. Such letter of credit shall be nonassignable and nontransferable. Such letter of credit shall be issued by any bank or savings association organized and existing under the laws of this state or any bank or savings association organized under the laws of the United States that has its principal place of business in this state or has a branch office which is authorized under the laws of this state or of the United States to receive deposits in this state. **OR** I do not have hospital staff privileges and I have established and maintain an escrow account consisting of cash or assets eligible for deposit in accordance with s. 625.52 FS in the per-claim amounts specified above.
4. I have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain an unexpired, irrevocable letter of credit, established pursuant to chapter 675 FS, in an amount not less than \$250,000 per claim, with a minimum aggregate availability of credit of not less than \$750,000. The letter of credit shall be payable to the osteopathic physician as beneficiary upon presentment of a final judgment indicating liability and awarding damages to be paid by the osteopathic physician or upon presentment of a settlement agreement signed by all parties to such agreement when such final judgment or settlement is a result of a claim arising out of the rendering of, or the failure to render, medical care and services. Such letter of credit shall be nonassignable and nontransferable. Such letter of credit shall be issued by any bank or savings association organized and existing under the laws of this state or any bank or savings association organized under the laws of the United States that has its principal place of business in this state or has a branch office which is authorized under the laws of this state or of the United States to receive deposits in this state **OR** I have hospital staff privileges and I have established and maintain an escrow account consisting of cash or assets eligible for deposit in accordance with s. 625.52 FS in the per-claim amounts specified above.
5. I have decided not to carry malpractice insurance or otherwise demonstrate financial responsibility; however, I agree to satisfy any adverse judgments pursuant to the terms and conditions contained in s. 459.0085(5)(g), FS. I understand that I shall be required to either post notice in the form of a sign prominently displayed in the reception area and clearly noticeable by all patients or provide a written statement to any person to whom medical services are being provided. Such sign and statement shall state that: Under Florida law, osteopathic physicians are generally required to carry medical malpractice insurance or otherwise demonstrate financial responsibility to cover potential claims for medical malpractice. **YOUR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN HAS DECIDED NOT TO CARRY MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE.** This is permitted under Florida law subject to certain conditions. Florida law imposes strict penalties against noninsured osteopathic physicians who fail to satisfy adverse judgments arising from claims of medical malpractice. This notice is provided pursuant to Florida law.

CATEGORY II: Financial Responsibility Exemptions

- 6. [] I practice medicine exclusively as an officer, employee, or agent of the federal government, or of the state or its agencies or its subdivisions.
- 7. [] I hold a limited license issued pursuant to s. 459.0075, F.S., and practice only under the scope of such limited license.
- 8. [] I practice only in conjunction with my teaching duties at an college of osteopathic medicine. (Residents do not qualify for this exemption.)
- 9. [] I do not practice osteopathic medicine in the State of Florida. I will notify the department immediately before commencing practice in the state.
- 10. [] I am exempt from demonstrating financial responsibility due to meeting all of the following criteria** **See note below:**
 - (a) I have held an active license to practice in this state or another state or some combination thereof for more than 15 years.
 - (b) I am retired or maintain part-time practice of no more than 1,000 patient contact hours per year.
 - (c) I have had no more than 2 claims resulting in an indemnity exceeding \$25,000 within the previous 5 year period.
 - (d) I have not been convicted of, or pled nolo contendere to any criminal violation specified in s. 459, F.S., or the practice act of any other state.
 - (e) I have not been subject, within the last 10 years of practice, to license revocation or suspension for any period of time, probation for a period of 3 years or longer, or a fine of \$500 or more for a violation of s. 459, F.S., or the medical practice act of another jurisdiction. The regulatory agency's acceptance of an osteopathic physician's relinquishment of a license, stipulation, consent order, or other settlement, offered in response to or in anticipation of the filing of administrative charges against the osteopathic physician's license, shall be construed as action against the physician's license for the purposes of this section. I understand that I shall be required either to post notice in the form of a sign prominently displayed in the reception area and clearly noticeable by all patients or to provide a written statement to any person to whom medical services are being provided. Such sign or statement shall state that: Under Florida law, osteopathic physicians are generally required to carry medical malpractice insurance or otherwise demonstrate financial responsibility to cover potential claims for medical malpractice. However, certain part-time osteopathic physicians who meet state requirements are exempt from the financial responsibility law. YOUR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN MEETS THESE REQUIREMENTS AND HAS DECIDED NOT TO CARRY MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE. This notice is provided pursuant to Florida law.

**** If you select an exemption based on based on #10, you must also complete the affidavit on the following page.**

Signature

Printed Name

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
Financial Responsibility Affidavit of Exemption**

This affidavit is only required if you are claiming an exemption based on #10 on the preceding page.

I, _____, do hereby certify and attest that I meet all of the following criteria:

- (a) I have held an active license to practice in this state or another state or some combination thereof for more than 15 years;
- (b) I am retired or maintain part time practice of no more than 1000 patient contact hours per year;
- (c) I have had no more than two claims resulting in an indemnity exceeding \$25,000 within the previous five-year period;
- (d) I have not been convicted of or pled guilty or nolo contendere to any criminal violation specified in Chapter 459, F. S. or the medical practice act in any other state; and
- (e) I have not been subject, within the past ten years of practice, to license revocation, suspension, or probation for a period of three years or longer, or a fine of \$500 or more for a violation of Chapter 459, F. S., or the medical practice act of another jurisdiction. A regulatory agency's acceptance of a relinquishment of license, stipulation, consent order, or other settlement offered in response to or in anticipation of filing of administrative charges against a license is construed as action against a license. I understand if I am claiming an exception under this section that I must either post notice in a sign prominently displayed in my reception area or provide a written statement to any person to whom medical services are being provided that I have decided not to carry medical malpractice insurance. See Section 459.0085(5) (f), F.S., for specific notice requirements.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF _____

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, by

(Signature of Notary Public - State of Florida)

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

Personally Known _____ OR Produced Identification _____

Type of Identification Produced _____

FLORIDA BIRTH RELATED NEUROLOGICAL INJURY COMPENSATION ASSOCIATION

You must choose one of the three options described below. Please be sure to view the information about each exemption at www.nica.com. Check only one.

\$5,000
Participating

\$250
Non-participating

\$0
Exempt

\$ _____
Amount enclosed

If you choose "\$0 Exempt" provide proof of qualification for claimed exemption to NICA and to the Board of Osteopathic Medicine.

I have read the information at www.NICA.com and I choose the option above.

_____	_____	_____
Signature	Date	Name

		Street Address

		City, State, Zip

If you are a participating or non-participating physician, you must complete, sign and date this form and return it with your payment to this address:

**Department of Health
Board of Osteopathic Medicine
4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256**

If you are a physician claiming exemption, you must send a copy of your completed, signed, and dated form with proof of your exemption to:

**Department of Health
Board of Osteopathic Medicine
4052 Bald Cypress Way, #C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256**

and to

**NICA
2360 Christopher Place
Tallahassee, FL 32308**

If you have any questions about NICA or this form, please contact NICA at www.nica.com or (850) 488-8191.

DISPENSING PRACTITIONER

This is optional and should be completed only if the \$100.00 fee is enclosed.

Section 465.0276, F.S., requires that licensees of the Board of Osteopathic Medicine who dispense medicinal drugs for a fee or remuneration of any kind, whether direct or indirect, shall be required to register with the Board and pay a fee of \$100.00 at the time of such registration and upon each renewal of the practitioner's license. Practitioners who limit their activities to the dispensing of complimentary packages of medicinal drugs to their own patients in the regular course of their practice shall not be required to register. Please note that upon registration, your practice will be inspected annually by the Department's Investigative Services for compliance with Florida law relevant to the dispensing of medicinal drugs.

YES, I plan to dispense medicinal drugs for a fee or other remuneration and hereby register pursuant to ss. 465.0276, F. S. I understand that the fee for registration is \$100.00 over and above the amount required for licensure.

YES [] _____
Signature

NO [] No signature required

**Board of Osteopathic Medicine
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Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256**

Practitioner's Name _____

EXHIBIT 1 – REPORT ON PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY CLAIMS AND ACTIONS

Include information relating to liability actions occurring within the previous 10 years. The actions are required to be reported under section 456.039(1)(b) F.S. You must submit a completed form for each occurrence. For Allopathic, Osteopathic, and Podiatric physicians, copies of reports previously submitted under the requirements of s. 456.0391, F.S., may be submitted in lieu of this exhibit to satisfy this reporting requirement.

Date of occurrence: ___/___/___ Date reported to licensee: ___/___/___ Date claim reported to insurer or self-insurer ___/___/___

Injured person's name: (last, first, middle initial) _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Age: _____ Sex: _____

Date of suit, if filed: ___/___/___

List all defendants with their healthcare provider license number involved in this claim:

1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____

Date of final claim disposition: ___/___/___

Date and amount of judgment or settlement, if any: _____

Was there an itemized verdict? Yes No (If "YES", attach copy of settlement verdict)

Indemnity paid on behalf of this defendant: \$ _____

Loss adjustment expense paid to defense counsel: \$ _____

All other loss adjustment expense paid: \$ _____

Date and reason for final disposition, if no judgment or settlement: _____

Name of institution at which the injury occurred: _____

Location of injury occurrence:

___ Patient's Room ___ Physical Therapy Dept. ___ Radiology ___ Labor & Delivery Room
___ Operating Suite ___ Nursery ___ Emergency Room ___ Special Procedure Room
___ Recovery Room ___ Critical Care Unit ___ Other _____

Final diagnosis for which treatment was sought or rendered. _____

Describe misdiagnosis made, if any, of the patient's actual condition. _____

Describe the operation, diagnostic or treatment procedure causing the injury. Use nomenclature and/or descriptions of the procedures used. Include method of anesthesia, or name of drug used for treatment, with detail of administration.

Describe the principal injury giving rise to the claim. Use nomenclature and/or descriptions of the injury. Include type of adverse effect from drugs where applicable. _____

Safety management steps taken by the licensee to make similar occurrences less likely. _____

I represent that these statements are true and correct pursuant to s. 837.06, Florida Statutes. I recognize that knowingly making a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duty is a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 and 775.083, Florida Statutes.

Signature of Physician: _____

Date: _____

APPLICATION

- Read ALL instructions thoroughly before completing the application.
- Mail the completed ORIGINAL application and fees to the Department at the address noted in the instructions.
- Keep a copy of the completed application, including all forms, for your records.
- Read the entire application package. Most questions can be answered by reading the enclosed instructions, application, and supplemental forms.

1. Social Security Number and Health History Questions:

CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC RECORDS DISCLOSURE*

**Florida Department of Health
Board of Osteopathic Medicine
Application for Licensure**

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

Social Security Number: _____

<p>If questions A-F are answered YES, explain in full on a separate sheet of paper. Your statement must include, but is not limited to, the date(s), location(s), specific circumstances, practitioners and/or treatment involved. If you have been under treatment for emotional/mental illness, chemical dependency, etc., you must request that each practitioner, hospital, and program involved in your treatment submit a full, detailed report of such to the Board office, to include: treatment received, medications, and dates of treatment and, if applicable, all DSM III R/DSM IV/DSM IV-TR Axis I and II diagnosis(es) code(s), and admission and discharge summary(s).</p>	
<p>A. In the last five years, have you been enrolled in, required to enter into, or participated in any drug or alcohol recovery program or impaired practitioner program for treatment of drug or alcohol abuse that occurred within the past five years?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>
<p>B. In the last five years, have you been admitted or referred to a hospital, facility or impaired practitioner program for treatment of a diagnosed mental disorder or impairment?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>
<p>C. During the last five years, have you been treated for or had a recurrence of a diagnosed mental disorder that has impaired your ability to practice medicine within the past five years?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>
<p>D. During the last five years, have you been treated for or had a recurrence of a diagnosed physical disorder that has impaired your ability to practice medicine?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>
<p>E. In the last five years, were you admitted or directed into a program for the treatment of a diagnosed substance-related (alcohol/drug) disorder or, if you were previously in such a program, did you suffer a relapse within the last five years?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>
<p>F. During the last five years, have you been treated for or had a recurrence of a diagnosed substance-related (alcohol/drug) disorder that has impaired your ability to practice medicine within the last five years?</p>	<p>Yes___ No___</p>

*** This page is exempt from public records disclosure. The Department of Health is required and authorized to collect Social Security Numbers relating to applications for professional licensure pursuant to Title 42 USCA § 666 (a)(13). For all professions regulated under chapter 456, Florida Statutes, the collection of Social Security Numbers is required by section 456.013 (1)(a), Florida Statutes.**

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 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3256
 Phone: (850) 245-4161

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE**
4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin # C-06
Tallahassee, FL 32399-3256

APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE: CLIENT 1901

Please TYPE or print in black ink

2. **NAME:** _____
(last) (first) (middle)

a. Have you ever changed your name through marriage, naturalization or through action of a court or have you ever been known by any other names? [] YES [] NO

If "yes", list: Name(s) above

3. **MAILING ADDRESS** (where you receive mail): _____
(Street and number or PO Box)

(City, State/Province, Zip/Postal Code, Country)

4. **PRIMARY PRACTICE/PHYSICAL ADDRESS:** _____
(Street and number) **NO PO BOX**

(City, State/Province, Zip/Postal Code, Country)

5. **TELEPHONE:** (_____) _____ (_____) _____
Primary Business

6. **E-MAIL ADDRESS:** _____

a. **E-Mail Notification:** If you want to receive notices regarding your application deficiencies by **e-mail only**, please check the "yes" box. If you chose this form of notification, you will receive deficiency notices regarding your application through **e-mail only**. You will be responsible for checking your e-mail regularly and updating your e-mail address with the Board. [] YES [] NO

7. Are you using the Federation Credentials Verification Service to verify your core credentials? [] YES [] NO

8. Would you be able to provide healthcare services in special needs shelters or to help staff disaster medical assistance teams during times of emergency or major disaster? [] YES [] NO

9. PERSONAL DATA:

We are required to ask that you furnish the following information as part of your voluntary compliance with Section 2, Uniformed Guidelines on Employee Selection Procedure (1978) 43 FR38295 August 25, 1978. This information is gathered for statistical and reporting purposes only and does not in any way affect your candidacy for licensure.

RACE: White [] Black [] Hispanic [] Asian/Pacific Islander [] Native American [] Other []

SEX: Male [] Female []

10. CITIZENSHIP:

a. List the country where you hold citizenship: _____

b. Birth Date: _____ Birth Place: _____
(Month/Day/Year) (City/State/Province/Country)

11. MILITARY HISTORY:

a. Have you ever been in the United States Military or Public Health Service? YES NO

 If "yes", please indicate if you are active or discharged.

b. Have charges ever been brought against you by any branch of the United States Military or Public Health Service? YES NO
 If "yes" see instructions for required documentation.

12. OTHER STATE LICENSES:

Do you hold or have you ever held a license to practice Osteopathic Medicine or any other profession in any US State or territory, or foreign country? YES NO
 If "yes" list below (attach additional sheets if necessary).

State or Country	License Number	Original Issue Date	Expiration Date	License Type

13. List the year you legally began to practice medicine: _____

14. Have you passed all three parts of the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examination? YES NO

a. If "no", list the dates and exams you HAVE passed: _____

15. UNDERGRADUATE / GRADUATE / MEDICAL EDUCATION: Starting with undergraduate degree, list ALL schools, colleges and universities attended, whether completed or not, in chronological order:

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME	COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ADDRESS	ATTENDANCE DATES (MONTH/YEAR)		TYPE OF DEGREE DATE RECEIVED
		FROM	TO	

16. POSTGRADUATE TRAINING: List in chronological order from date of graduation from Osteopathic Medical School to the present all postgraduate training (Internship/Residency/Fellowship).

NAME OF TRAINING PROGRAM	CITY & STATE	PROGRAM TYPE (internship, residency, fellowship)	SPECIALTY AREA	AOA OR ACGME APPROVED	DATES OF ATTENDANCE		CREDIT RECEIVED Y OR N
					Began	Ended	

- 17.** Have you ever been dropped, suspended, placed on probation, expelled, requested to resign from, or otherwise acted against by any school, college, university, internship, residency or other training program?
(If "yes" explain on a separate sheet, providing accurate details. See instructions for required documentation) YES NO
- 18.** Was your attendance in Osteopathic Medical school or any postgraduate training program for a period of time other than the normal curriculum or established timeframe?
(If "yes" explain on a separate sheet, providing accurate details. See instructions for required documentation) YES NO
- 19.** Were you required to repeat any part of your Osteopathic Medical education, internship, residency or other training program?
(If "yes" explain on a separate sheet, providing accurate details. See instructions for required documentation) YES NO

20. PRACTICE / EMPLOYMENT HISTORY: List in chronological order from date of graduation to present, all practice employment, non-employment and/or any unaccounted for period of time. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

(Name and mailing address of employment)	(Type of Employment)	From: MM/YY To: MM/YY
(Name and mailing address of employment)	(Type of Employment)	From: MM/YY To: MM/YY
(Name and mailing address of employment)	(Type of Employment)	From: MM/YY To: MM/YY
(Name and mailing address of employment)	(Type of Employment)	From: MM/YY To: MM/YY

- 21.** Do you currently hold a faculty appointment at a medical school?
(If "yes", list below.) YES NO

(School name and city/state)	(Title of Appointment)
(School name and city/state)	(Title of Appointment)

- 22.** Have you had responsibility for graduate medical education within the last 10 years? YES NO

23. STAFF PRIVILEGES: Do you currently hold staff privileges in any hospital, health institution, clinic or medical facility? (If "yes" list below.) DO NOT LIST TRAINING PRIVILEGES. YES NO
 Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name of Facility	City & State	Type of Privileges	Dates of Service	
			From	To

For questions 24-26 below a FACILITY is defined as a licensed hospital, health maintenance organization, pre-paid health clinic, ambulatory surgical center, or nursing home.

24. Have you ever had any staff privileges denied, suspended, revoked, modified, restricted, or placed on probation, or have you been asked to resign or take a temporary leave of absence or otherwise acted against by any facility? YES NO
 (If "yes", list below and see instructions for required documentation.)

 (Name/Address of Facility) (Action Date: MM/DD/YY) (Final Action) (Under Appeal? Y/N)

 (Name/Address of Facility) (Action Date: MM/DD/YY) (Final Action) (Under Appeal? Y/N)

25. Have you ever had any staff privileges restricted or not renewed by any facility instead of disciplinary action? YES NO
 (If "yes", list below and see instructions for required documentation.)

 (Name/Address of Facility) (Action Date: MM/DD/YY) (Final Action) (Under Appeal? Y/N)

26. Have you ever been asked, or allowed to resign, from any facility instead of disciplinary action or during any pending investigations into your practice? YES NO
 (If "yes", list below and see instructions for required documentation.)

 (Name/Address of Facility) (Action Date: MM/DD/YY) (Final Action) (Under Appeal? Y/N)

27. SPECIALTY BOARD CERTIFICATION: Are you certified by any Specialty Board recognized by the AOA, ABMS, ABPS, or AAPS? YES NO
 (If "yes", list below and enclose a copy of each certification or letter of verification. Do not list abbreviations)

 (Board Name) (Certification/Specialty/Subspecialty) (Date of Certification)

 (Board Name) (Certification/Specialty/Subspecialty) (Date of Certification)

28. Have you ever applied for, taken an examination for, or failed to receive specialty board certification or recertification for any reason? YES NO
 (If "yes", explain on a separate sheet, providing accurate details.)

29. Have you ever had any final disciplinary action taken against you by a specialty board recognized by the Department? [] YES [] NO
If "yes" list below.

(Board Name) (Date of Action) (Final Action) (Under Appeal? Y/N)

30. Have you ever had any sanctions taken against you by a specialty board recognized by the AOA or other similar national organization? [] YES [] NO
(If "yes", list below and see instructions for required documentation.)

(Name of Specialty Board) (Date: MM/DD/YY) (Circumstances) (Final Action) (Under Appeal?)

31. Have you ever had an application for membership denied by an Osteopathic/Professional Society or Organization? [] YES [] NO

32. Have you ever had an Osteopathic/Professional Society or Association membership suspended? [] YES [] NO

33. Have you ever been notified to appear before an Osteopathic/Professional Society or Association in regard to charges/complaints filed against you? [] YES [] NO
(If "yes" to 31-33, list below.)

(Name of Society/Association) (Address) (Date of Action: MM/DD/YY)

LIABILITY / MALPRACTICE CLAIMS:

34. Have you had a judgment entered against you for medical malpractice where the incident(s) of malpractice occurred after **November 2, 2004**? [] YES [] NO
(If yes, complete Exhibit 1 sheet located in Section II, Supplemental Forms and see instructions for additional information required.)

35. Within the last 10 years have you had any liability claims or actions for damages for personal injury settled or finally adjudicated in an amount that exceeds \$100,000? [] YES [] NO
(If yes, complete Exhibit 1 sheet located in Section II, Supplemental Forms and see instructions for additional information required.)

GENERAL HISTORY:

36. Have you had any application for a license to practice any profession, including Osteopathic Medicine, denied by any state board or the licensing authority of any state territory or country? [] YES [] NO

37. Have you ever been notified to appear before any licensing agency for a hearing on a complaint of any nature including, but not limited to, a charge or violation of the Osteopathic Medicine practice act, unprofessional or unethical conduct? [] YES [] NO

38. Have you ever had any professional license or license to practice Osteopathic Medicine revoked, suspended, placed on probation, received a citation, or other disciplinary action taken in any state, territory or country? [] YES [] NO

39. Have you ever had employment terminated for cause? [] YES [] NO

40. Have you ever been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty, nolo contendere, or no contest to a crime in any jurisdiction other than a minor traffic offense? [] YES [] NO
You must include all misdemeanors and felonies, even if adjudication was withheld by the court so that you would not have a record of conviction. Driving under the influence or driving while impaired is not considered a minor traffic offense for purposes of this question.

41. Have you ever received a letter of admonition or notice of administrative hearing from the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)? [] YES [] NO

42. Have you ever been made an offer to compromise or entered into any other arrangement or other plea or agreement in lieu of a Federal prosecution for a drug violation regulated by the DEA? [] YES [] NO
43. Have you ever been denied, or surrendered a DEA Registration? [] YES [] NO
44. Have you ever been sanctioned by any state Medicaid program? [] YES [] NO
45. Have you ever defaulted on any health education loan or scholarship obligation? [] YES [] NO

APPLICANT HISTORY – 456.0635(2), F.S.:	
Applicants for licensure, certification or registration and candidates for examination may be excluded from licensure, certification or registration if their felony conviction falls into certain timeframes as established in Section 456.0635(2), Florida Statutes. If you answer YES to any of the following questions, please provide a written explanation for each question including the county and state of each termination or conviction, date of each termination or conviction, and copies of supporting documentation to the address below. Supporting documentation includes court dispositions or agency orders where applicable.	
46. Have you been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, regardless of adjudication, a felony under Chapter 409, F.S. (relating to social and economic assistance), Chapter 817, F.S. (relating to fraudulent practices), Chapter 893, F.S. (relating to drug abuse prevention and control) or a similar felony offense(s) in another state or jurisdiction? (If you responded “no”, skip to #47.)	[] YES [] NO
a. If “yes” to 1, for the felonies of the first or second degree, has it been more than 15 years from the date of the plea, sentence and completion of any subsequent probation?	[] YES [] NO
b. If “yes” to 1, for the felonies of the third degree, has it been more than 10 years from the date of the plea, sentence and completion of any subsequent probation? (This question does not apply to felonies of the third degree under Section 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes).	[] YES [] NO
c. If “yes” to 1, for the felonies of the third degree under Section 893.13(6)(a), Florida Statutes, has it been more than 5 years from the date of the plea, sentence and completion of any subsequent probation?	[] YES [] NO
d. If “yes” to 1, have you successfully completed a drug court program that resulted in the plea for the felony offense being withdrawn or the charges dismissed? (If “yes”, please provide supporting documentation).	[] YES [] NO
47. Have you been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, regardless of adjudication, a felony under 21 U.S.C. ss. 801-970 (relating to controlled substances) or 42 U.S.C. ss. 1395-1396 (relating to public health, welfare, Medicare and Medicaid issues)?	[] YES [] NO
a. If “yes” to 2, has it been more than 15 years before the date of application since the sentence and any subsequent period of probation for such conviction or plea ended?	[] YES [] NO
48. Have you ever been terminated for cause from the Florida Medicaid Program pursuant to Section 409.913, Florida Statutes? (If “No”, do not answer 48a.)	[] YES [] NO
a. If you have been terminated but reinstated, have you been in good standing with the Florida Medicaid Program for the most recent five years?	[] YES [] NO
49. Have you ever been terminated for cause, pursuant to the appeals procedures established by the state, from any other state Medicaid program?	[] YES [] NO
a. Have you been in good standing with a state Medicaid program for the most recent five years?	[] YES [] NO
b. Did the termination occur at least 20 years before the date of this application?	[] YES [] NO
50. Are you currently listed on the United States Department of Health and Human Services Office of Inspector General's List of Excluded Individuals and Entities?	[] YES [] NO
51. If “yes” to any of the questions 46 through 50 above, on or before July 1, 2009, were you enrolled in an educational or training program in the profession in which you are seeking licensure that was recognized by this profession's licensing board or the Department of Health? (If “yes”, please provide official documentation verifying your enrollment status.)	[] YES [] NO

52. PROOF OF COMPLETION OF PREVENTION OF MEDICAL ERRORS COURSE:

[] YES [] NO

I hereby state that I have completed the required course entitled PREVENTION OF MEDICAL ERRORS in accordance with s. 456.013(7), Florida Statutes and that this course was a minimum of two (2) hours and included a study of root-cause analysis, error reduction and prevention and patient safety as well as information related to the 5 most misdiagnosed conditions of osteopathic physicians during the preceding biennium.

53. STATEMENT OF APPLICANT:

These statements are true and correct and I recognize that providing false information may result in disciplinary action against my license or criminal penalties pursuant to 456.067, 775.083 and 775.084, Florida Statutes.

I hereby authorize all hospitals, institutions or organizations, my references, personal physicians, employers, (past and present), and all governmental agencies and instrumentalities (local, state, federal or foreign) to release to the Florida Board of Osteopathic Medicine any information which is material to my application for licensure.

I have carefully read the questions in the foregoing application and have answered them completely, without reservations of any kind, and I declare that my answers and all statements made by me herein are true and correct. Should I furnish any false information in this application, I hereby agree that such act shall constitute cause for denial, suspension or revocation of my license to practice Osteopathic Medicine in the State of Florida.

I understand that my records are protected under the Federal and State Regulations governing Confidentiality of Mental Health Patient Records and cannot be disclosed without my written consent unless otherwise provided in the regulations. I understand that my records are protected under the Federal and State Regulations governing Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records, 42 CFR Part 2, and cannot be disclosed without my written consent unless otherwise provided in the regulations. I also understand that I may revoke this consent at any time except to the extent that action has been taken in reliance on it.

(Signature of Applicant)

(Date)