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# NEWSLETTER



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## Another Successful ROC! Join us to Make ROC 2027 Even Better!

NYSOMS Regional Osteopathic Convention (ROC) on Long Island was momentous, headlined by excellent speakers, including AOA President-Elect Dr. Richard Thacker DO and celebrity family physician Dr. Mike Varshavski DO!

From fascinating and talented speakers to camaraderie of osteopathic physicians and colleagues, the joy of engaging medical students and residents, and the excitement of swearing in new NYSOMS Board Members, ROC 2026 was truly meaningful!

We look forward to ROC 2027 led by NYSOMS Secretary Dr. Michael Foti DO!

**Please join the ROC Committee to help make the next Convention the best ever by emailing: [mfoti@touro.edu](mailto:mfoti@touro.edu)**

## NYSOMS Advocates for New York DOs!

**AOA House of Delegates (HOD)** - NYSOMS members will represent New York at the annual HOD July 17-19 at the Chicago Marriott Downtown Magnificent Mile. NYSOMS will bring New York DO perspectives to national legislative and policy issues!

**NYS License Plates Campaign** - NYSOMS has engaged New York State legislators to advance a bill that would create DO license plates with the equivalent authority and privileges of their MD counterparts!

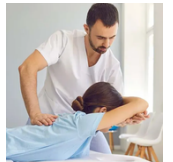


## NYSOMS Member Updates!

Email your updates for the NYSOMS Newsletter: [nysoms01@gmail.com](mailto:nysoms01@gmail.com)!

Let us know what's new in your practice, your professional career, your life, and your world!  
The New York Osteopathic Community wants to know and be inspired!

- Jordan Keys DO joined D'Youville University College of Osteopathic Medicine (DYUCOM) as Associate Dean of Osteopathic Integration and OMM Chair
- Gerard Baltazar DO launched a new, concierge OMT practice called "Westchester Osteopathic" serving Westchester County, New York City and surrounding counties
- Nicholas Camposeo DO was named Dean of DYU's College of Osteopathic Medicine – the first DYUCOM class starts Fall 2026!
- NYSOMS Executive Director Colleen Juliano's daughter recently won the Most Valued Player Award for Cheerleading



## Outreach & Community Building

### Osteopathic Physician Advancement, Transition & Health (OPATH)

**Young Osteopathic Physicians in residency, fellowship, and early years of training need our support!** NYSOMS and Young Physician Committee Chair Dr. Nick Camposeo DO have created a **series of lectures & meetings to educate & connect DOs stepping into practice.** Topics include "Understanding Contracts & Compensation," "Malpractice Insurance & Benefits Explained," and "Building Your CV & Brand as a DO!"

### Physician Shadowing & Mentoring

Each year, dozens of premedical and medical students reach out to NYSOMS looking for attending DO contacts! NYSOMS is creating a **database of osteopathic physicians open to shadowing and mentoring!**

To join the NYSOMS Young Physicians Committee, email Dr. Nick Camposeo: [camposeo@dyc.edu](mailto:camposeo@dyc.edu)

To join the Shadowing & Mentoring Program, email: [nysoms01@gmail.com](mailto:nysoms01@gmail.com)



Keep a Lookout for 2026  
NYSOMS Social Events!

## Upcoming CME Events!

"NYSOMS Presents" is a Monthly CME Series Dedicated to Osteopathic Physicians and Their Colleagues:

**June 23 6PM CME** - Clinical Approach to Preventing Suicide: An Introduction by Dr. Michael Foti DO, NYSOMS Secretary

**July 21 6PM CME** - Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment for the Perioperative Patient by Dr. Gerard Baltazar DO, NYSOMS President

...and MORE TO COME!

**NEW PROGRAM!** NYSOMS will host an **8-Hour Osteopathic Manipulative Treatment Course in Fall 2026**, providing hands-on experience to strengthen your practice and CME support for your board certification!

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**20% Discount on**  
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