CONSENT AGENDA – FOR COLLECTIVE ACTION BY THE FULL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Mr. President, I present the following Consent Agenda, and the Committee recommends that it be APPROVED:

B-5 CONTINUOUS MEDICAL EDUCATION GUIDE 2019-2021

B-6 NOMINATIONS TO MEMBERSHIP ON SPECIALTY BOARDS

B-7 OSTEOPATHIC BOARD CERTIFICATION

H-201 GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION – INCREASING OPPORTUNITIES (H201-A/14)

H-202 OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL EDUCATION (H203-A/14)

H-203 ASSURE GME RESIDENCY POSITIONS TO GRADUATES OF U.S. MEDICAL SCHOOLS H205-A/14) (Editorial line 7 LACME)

H-204 UNIFORMED SERVICES PHYSICIANS REQUIRING AND ASSIGNED TO CIVILIAN RESIDENCY PROGRAMS – AOA SUPPORT OF ALL OSTEOPATHICALLY TRAINED (H208-A/14)

H-205 GRADUATES OF LCME-ACCREDITED COLLEGES OF MEDICINE - ADMISSION TO OSTEOPATHIC RESIDENCY PROGRAM (H207-A/14)

H-206 CLINICAL ROTATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL STUDENTS (H209-A/14)

H-207 INHALATION OF VOLATILE SUBSTANCES (H210-A14)
H-208  INTEGRITY AND MISSION OF COMS UHSC GRANTING THE DO – MAINTAINING THE (H211-A/14)

H-209  PSYCHIATRY CURRICULUM AND STAFFING (H212-A/14)

H-210  TEENAGE ALCOHOL ABUSE (H213-A/14)

H-211  MANDATORY CME COURSE REQUIREMENTS (H214-A/14)

H-212  COMMUNITY-BASED TEACHING HEALTH CENTERS RESIDENCY SUPPORT (H217-A/14)

H-213  PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE – TRAINEE (H219-A/14)

H-214  INFLUENZA VACCINATION PROGRAMS FOR MEDICAL SCHOOLS (H308-A/14)

H-215  SINGLE GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION ACCREDITATION SYSTEM (H800-A/14)

H-216  STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FOR THE AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC BOARD OF NEUROLOGY AND PSYCHIATRY

H-222  H204-A/13 UNIFIED GME ACCREDITATION SYSTEM UNDER THE ACGME – PROPOSED AND H209-A/13 OSTEOPATHIC FOCUSED TRAINING PROGRAMS

H-223  EDUCATION OF STUDENTS AND FACULTY ON OBTAINING PERMISSION BEFORE ALL STUDENT AND PATIENT ENCOUNTERS

H-228  PARENTAL LEAVE POLICIES FOR ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION RESIDENCY

H-230  CLASSIFICATION OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL GRADUATES AS US MEDICAL GRADUATES IN ELECTRON RESIDENCY APPLICATION SERVICE

H-231  RECOGNITION OF COMLEX AND USMLE AS EQUAL LICENSING EXAMINATIONS AMONG RESIDENCY PROGRAMS

And I so move, **APPROVED**
Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-200, and the Committee recommends that it be APPROVED with the following AMENDMENTS:

Line 5...rural Federally Qualified Health Centers AND OTHER ELIGIBLE ENTITIES,...

And I so move. APPROVED

H-217 BOARD CERTIFICATION TEST RESULTS

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-217, and the Committee recommends that it be APPROVED with the following AMENDMENTS:

Line 7...eight weeks of taking the test, WHENEVER POSSIBLE, of their score.

Explanatory Statement:
The AOBNNM board certification and recertification results under the auspice of the AOA completed in October 2018 took 16 weeks or longer to notify physicians of their results. SITUATIONS MAY ARISE THAT QUESTION THE VALIDITY AND SECURITY OF THE EXAM PROCESS AND MAY DELAY REPORTING OF SCORES. THE CURRENT BOS POLICY IS THAT SCORES ARE REPORTED WITHIN 90 DAYS.

And I so move. APPROVED

H-220 AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION SPECIALTY BOARD CERTIFICATION

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-220 and the Committee recommends that it be APPROVED with the following AMENDMENTS:

Page 1, Lines 11-13 WHEREAS, one of the recommendations of the Boston Group is to remove all osteopathic principles and practices (OPP) material from the core certification and recertification examinations and to place this material in separate, optional modules; and

Page 1, Lines 22-23 WHEREAS, implementing this recommendation of the Boston Group would prohibit the AOA from fulfilling its stated mission; now, therefore be it

Page 1, Line 27 and, be it further

Page 2, Lines 28-51, RESOLVED, the AOA shall collaborate in an open, transparent, and inclusive manner with its specialty colleges, its specialty certifying boards, its state societies, and other interested members to ensure that the redesigned specialty board certification/recertification processes it implements:

1. Continues the opportunity for inclusion of osteopathic content that assesses osteopathic principles and practices (OPP) in osteopathic certification examinations relevant to that specialty.
2. Continues the opportunity for osteopathic certifying boards to develop and administer OMM practical examinations which are specific and appropriate for their specialty.

3. Continues a requirement for specialty specific content in CME for recertification/continuing certification.

4. Continues the requirement of osteopathic CME relevant to that specialty to maintain osteopathic board certification.

5. Includes as a component of the re-certification process a longitudinal learning program developed and operated by an organization with nationally recognized expertise in osteopathic learning and testing, and be it further,

RESOLVED, that the AOA shall:

1. Continue to encourage the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education to include an osteopathic educational component in Osteopathic Recognized residencies.

2. Continue to support the inclusion of osteopathic content in residency In-Service Exams.

3. Continue a requirement for osteopathic content in osteopathic CME programs.

Explanatory Statement:

According to the BOS Handbook, each specialty certifying board has the right to determine what amount and category of specialty CME is appropriate for its diplomates.

And I so move. APPROVED

H-232 ADDICTION MEDICINE CAQ

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-232, and the Committee recommends that it be APPROVED with the following AMENDMENTS:

Page 2, Line 4… RESOLVED, that a clinical practice pathway previously TO BE DEVELOPED AND approved by the AOA CONJOINT EXAMINATION COMMITTEE in Addiction Medicine be reopened for three (3) years AFTER THE INITIAL EXAM ADMINISTRATION for all DOs who wish to become certified in the subspecialty of Addiction Medicine…

And I so move. APPROVED
H-218  CERTIFICATION COMPONENT DEVELOPMENT

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-218, and the Committee recommends that it be REFERRED to the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians for review and comment.

Explanatory Statement:
The clear distinction between specialty college and certifying board as written in the resolution was blurred and sets a potential conflict of interest. In addition, some of the whereas statements are inaccurate.

And I so move. **APPROVED (for referral to ACOFP)**

H-219  OSTEOPATHIC MANIPULATIVE TREATMENT BOOT CAMP

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-219, and the Committee recommends that it be REFERRED to the Bureau of Osteopathic Specialists (BOS) for review and comment.

Explanatory Statement:
The BOS has jurisdiction over the components for OCC.

And I so move. **APPROVED (for referral to BOS)**

H-224  AOA BOARD CERTIFICATION TERMINOLOGY

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-224, and the Committee recommends that it be REFERRED to the Bureau of Osteopathic Specialists (BOS) for review and comment.

Explanatory Statement:
Specific terminology on certificates should be determined by the BOS.

And I so move. **APPROVED (for referral to BOS)**

H-221  AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION SPECIALTY BOARD CERTIFICATION TERMINOLOGY

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-221 and the Committee recommends that it be DISAPPROVED. To begin discussion, I move that it be approved.

Explanatory Statement:
The Committee believes this resolution is too limited in its scope and is better spoken to in H-224.

And I so move. **DISAPPROVED**
H-225  OSTEOPATHIC CERTIFICATION

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-225, and the Committee recommends that it be DISAPPROVED. To begin discussion, I move that it be approved.

Explanatory Statement:
The Committee believes this resolution is better spoken to in H-220 as amended by the Reference Committee.

And I so move, DISAPPROVED.

H-226  OSTEOPATHIC CONTENT AND CERTIFICATION STANDARDS

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-226, and the Committee recommends that it be DISAPPROVED. To begin discussion, I move that it be approved.

Explanatory Statement:
The Committee believes this resolution is better spoken to in H-220 as amended by the Reference Committee.

And I so move, DISAPPROVED.

H-227  OSTEOPATHIC SPECIALTY COLLEGES AND CERTIFICATION

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-227, and the Committee recommends that it be DISAPPROVED. To begin discussion, I move that it be approved.

Explanatory Statement:
Exams must be developed and administered by the certifying boards and not the specialty colleges.

And I so move, DISAPPROVED.

H-229  COMMENDATION OF AMA POLICY (AMA 955) ON EQUAL ACCEPTANCE OF COMLEX-USA FOR DO STUDENTS IN ALL US RESIDENCY PROGRAMS

Mr. President, I present for consideration Resolution No. H-229, and the Committee recommends that it be DISAPPROVED. To begin discussion, I move that it be approved.

Explanatory Statement:
The Committee believes this resolution is better spoken to in H-231.

And I so move, DISAPPROVED.
Mr. President, this concludes the Committee’s report. I would like to thank the members of the Committee.

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