

OAO Website Terms and Conditions

1. ABOUT OAO

The Ontario Association of Osteopathic Manual Practitioners (OAO) is a professional membership organization representing approximately 500 osteopathic manual practitioners in Canada. The Ontario Association of Osteopathic Manual Practitioners (OAO) is a not-for-profit, voluntary, professional association representing Osteopathic Manual Practitioners who practice in Ontario. The OAO is governed and managed by a Board of Directors consisting of eleven Directors who must be Active or Inactive Members, at least eighteen years of age with power under law to contract. The Directors are elected by ballot by the members of the Association at annual meetings or appointed by the Directors.

The Ontario Association of Osteopathic Manual Practitioners has the objectives to:

1. To promote the practice of osteopathy in the Province of Ontario.
2. To develop, establish and maintain standards of practice for the safe, effective and ethical practice of osteopathy by members in Ontario, consistent with the public interest. To seek support in Ontario for the enactment of legislation. by government to regulate osteopathy by non-physician practitioners of osteopathy.
3. To make representation and submissions to the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, the Health Professions Regulatory Advisory Council, the Government of Ontario and others for the enactment of such legislation.
4. To represent and advocate the position of the members in Ontario, consistent with the public interest in safe, effective and ethical osteopathic health care, before administrative tribunals, health institutions, other professional organizations, the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, regulatory colleges, the provincial and federal governments and to the public.
5. To provide continuing educational programs in order to advance the knowledge of osteopathy in Ontario.
6. To promote the common interest and activities of the members in Ontario.
7. If you have a concern or complaint about an OAO member, please contact us.

2. YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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6. PRIVACY MATTERS

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7. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

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