



# THE PROMISE

OSTEOPATHY'S PROMISE TO CHILDREN

Osteopathic Center San Diego  
3706 Ruffin Road, San Diego CA 92123

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOUNDATIONS OF OSTEOPATHIC CRANIAL MANIPULATIVE MEDICINE**

In 2023, **Osteopathy's Promise to Children (OPC)**, will offer **3 (three) full course tuition** scholarships towards Foundations of Osteopathic Cranial Manipulative Medicine (FOCMM) course to Medical students currently enrolled at a US AOA-approved college of osteopathic medicine. This scholarship is provided by the Board of OPC and the Viola M. Frymann Trust.

In addition, **1 (one) full scholarship will be offered to a Western student** in honor of Western University President Emeritus, Dr. Philip Pumerantz. Doctor Pumerantz was the Founding President of Western University, College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific (COMP), together with Dr. Frymann who was also the Founding Chair of the Department of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine at COMP. When the college was founded Dr. Pumerantz asked Dr. Frymann to develop a curriculum to teach the osteopathic principles and practice that she herself espoused and practiced for so many years. The resulting curriculum included a foundational course in Osteopathic Cranial Manipulative Medicine, otherwise called "The Expanding Osteopathic Concept," a course which is still taught at COMP today. Every year, students eligible for the scholarship are recommended by the Chair of the Department of Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine/Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine. This scholarship is provided by the Board of OPC and the Viola M. Frymann Trust in honor of Dr. Frymann.

### **Scholarship Conditions**

1. The scholarship is for a designated the Foundations of Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine (FOCMM) course taught at the Osteopathic Center San Diego or at a local San Diego hotel. The scholarship must be used for the specific course for which it is designated.
2. The scholarship provides full tuition for the designated OCMM course. Travel, accommodations, and other expenses are the responsibility of the scholarship recipient.
3. The scholarship is not transferable.
4. The student must successfully complete all course requirements, such as attendance, full course participation, examinations, and any other requirements.

5. The student agrees to provide a brief written summary or a brief presentation to their college NMM/OMM department based on what he or she learned during the course.
6. Previous recipients of the scholarship are ineligible.

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

1. The student must prove they are currently enrolled at a US AOA-approved college of osteopathic medicine and in good academic and professional standing. Or be a student in good academic and professional standing and currently enrolled at Western University of Health Sciences College of Osteopathic Medicine of the Pacific.
2. And prove they have successfully completed at least the first year of the COMP curriculum.
3. The student must not be a previous recipient of this scholarship.

### **Application Process For OPC Scholarship:**

1. Interested students may contact OPC at [cme@the-promise.org](mailto:cme@the-promise.org) for further details and instructions on how to apply for the scholarship.

### **Application Process For Western Scholarship:**

1. Interested students may contact the NMM/OMM Department by email (Carlos Mendez: [cmendez@westernu.edu](mailto:cmendez@westernu.edu) or by calling 909-469-5280 or 909-469-5282) for further details and instructions on how to apply for the scholarship.
2. Application Process
  - a. Complete and submit the scholarship application form to the NMM/OMM department prior to the expressed deadline.
  - b. The scholarship recipient(s) will be randomly chosen by the Chair of the NMM/OMM Department from among the eligible applicants.
  - c. The scholarship recipient(s) will be notified as soon as possible after the expressed deadline, and at the physical address or email address as given on their application form.
  - d. Return completed application form by email to: the NMM/OMM Department by email (Carlos Mendez: [cmendez@westernu.edu](mailto:cmendez@westernu.edu)). Questions? Contact the NMM/OMM department by email ([cmendr@westernu.edu](mailto:cmendr@westernu.edu)) or by phone at: 909-469-5280
  - e. **NOTE: Application deadline for the September 2023 FOCMM Course: Midnight, June 30, 2023.**



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Date of Application:

Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Contact Telephone:

E-mail Address:

Medical School and Anticipated Graduation Date:

Signature (Required):

Return completed application form by email to:

1. OPC at [cme@the-promise.org](mailto:cme@the-promise.org):
2. Or if Western students to the NMM/OMM Department by email (Carlos Mendez: [cmendez@westernu.edu](mailto:cmendez@westernu.edu)). Questions? Contact the NMM/OMM department by email ([cmendr@westernu.edu](mailto:cmendr@westernu.edu)) or by phone at: 909-469-5280

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More detailed course information may be found [here](#).