

Final resolution after Congress Session II on March 13, 2014 - APPROVED

Resolution 4 – Policy Manual Revisions

American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians (ACOFP)

WHEREAS, the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians *Operating Policy* and *ACOFP Position Statements Manual* are reviewed on a five-year cycle, ensuring the validity and implementation as warranted; and

WHEREAS, the ACOFP Constitution & Bylaws/Policy & Organizational Review Committee reviewed all sunseting position statements, updating and ensuring the implementation by the Board of Governors; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the American College of Osteopathic Family Physicians (ACOFP) Congress of Delegates adopts and approves the ACOFP sunseting Position Statements, which are located in the ACOFP *Operating Policy and Position Statements Manual* as recommended by the ACOFP Board of Governors.

2.1 Certification- Reentry Pathway

The ACOFP encourages the AOA to continue to streamline and expedite the certification reentry pathway to allow returning ACGME-trained osteopathic physicians to obtain AOA certification.

9.2 Stem Cell Research

The American Osteopathic Association (AOA) supports biomedical research on stem cells and is encouraged to continue to monitor developments in stem cell research and sources of stem cell funding.

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