

# FAMILY MEDICINE WORKFORCE



The Ohio Academy of Family Physicians established the OAFP Foundation in 1987 to meet its members' philanthropic interests in ways that would directly impact health care delivery in Ohio. The Foundation is the only 501(c) (3) tax-exempt charitable organization in the state that exists to promote family medicine as a career choice to medical students - building a strong family medicine **workforce for Ohio**.

2022 was a year of transition. After two years of uncertainty, programs and activities have slowly begun to revert back to pre-pandemic ways, while others have been developed to carve new avenues of opportunity and advancement. Through it all, family physicians continue to step up to the challenge and tackle all of these transitions with perseverance and grace. These characteristics are seen and valued by medical students; only strengthening and re-affirming many students' decisions to pursue a career in family medicine. By participating in the Foundation's annual slate of programs, students and residents have opportunities to find their unique place within the specialty and are supported every step of the way.

The Foundation was able to meet program expectations and provide educational grants, preceptorship stipends, scholarships, and family medicine experiences to almost 200 medical students and residents in 2022!

To build a strong family medicine pipeline, your contribution is needed and will go directly to supporting programs to achieve the Foundation's mission. Make a tax-deductible donation any time of year through the online donation portal at <https://www.ohioafp.org/donate-online-now>.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



## PROGRAM NUMBERS:

**79** Medical students gained a family medicine experience in the 2022 summer Preceptorship Program

**70** Medical students and residents attended the Ohio Reception at National Conference

**41** Medical students attended the Ohio Family Medicine Residency Program Meet and Greet series

**4** Medical students received a scholarship to attend National Conference

**2** Family medicine residents received a scholarship to attend National Conference as an Ohio resident delegate and alternate delegate

**2** Medical students received a scholarship to attend National Conference as an Ohio student delegate and alternate delegate

### 2023 Foundation programs and initiatives will include:

- Leroy A. Rodgers, MD, Preceptorship Program
- AAFP National Conference of Family Medicine Residents & Medical Students (National Conference) Student and Resident Delegate Scholarships
- National Conference Student Scholarships
- Ohio-Only Reception at National Conference
- Family Medicine Student Group engagement at each of the seven medical school campuses in Ohio



**198**

Total medical students and family medicine residents impacted through Foundation programs in 2022!

# AWARDS. LEADERSHIP. PARTNERS.

## 2022 FAMILY PHYSICIAN MENTORSHIP AWARD

### LISA JOHNS, MD

The Foundation annually presents the Family Physician Mentorship Award to recognize a community-based Ohio family physician who, as a preceptor, has exhibited exemplary qualities and characteristics of mentorship excellence.

Dr. Johns shared the following upon hearing of the award:

*"It is a big honor to win this award. It is extremely flattering to receive an award that is based on my student reviews. I love working with students, and it is good to know they enjoy working with me. I especially enjoy exposing them to the unique population I work with. My hope is that I can encourage more young physicians to do what I do."*

To read more about this year's award winner, visit the Foundation's website at <https://www.ohioafp.org/foundation>.



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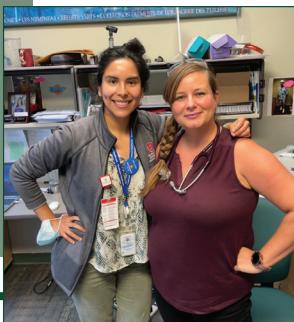
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