

Get Involved in Your Academy

Awards Workgroup

Oversees the OAFP awards selection process (Family Physician of the Year; Family Medicine Educator of the Year; Resident Leadership Award; Torchlight Leadership Award; Friend of Family Medicine) and inspires others by highlighting their accomplishments and passion.

Communications Resource Teams

Virtual groups of members who provide feedback on individual OAFP publications and other communications vehicles.

Family Medicine Workshop Workgroup

Plans the annual Family Medicine Workshop.

Family Medicine Educators Workgroup

Focuses on their role in advocating for educational funding streams that support an adequate primary care workforce, the Foundation's pipeline programs, and making student and residents aware of the importance of Academy membership.

Joy of Medicine Workgroup

Identifies ways to bring fun back to meetings; provides resources on physician wellness, resiliency, and self-care; encourages mentorship; and serves as inspirational beacon for Ohio's family physicians.

Member Constituencies Workgroup

Selects the OAFP delegates to the National Conference of Constituency Leaders.

Payer and Practice Resource Team

A virtual group of physician volunteers who responds to practice issues, questions, and concerns from members.

Public Policy Committee

Coordinates the OAFP's legislative activity and monitors state legislation, state board regulatory actions.

Quality Improvement Module Development Workgroup

Charged with developing ABFM-accredited learning management modules.

Resident to New-to-Practice Membership Conversion Task Force

Identifies and implements initiatives to improve the conversion rate of resident to new-to-practice active members.

Value-Based Payment Committee

Advocates with payers on practice and payment issues, promotes the spread of PCMH and enhanced primary care in Ohio; assists members with continued transition to PCMH and enhanced primary care; works with CliniSync, Health Bridge, and Health Landscape to help members use EHR data to improve and demonstrate quality care; informs members about changing payment models and opportunities (State Innovation Model, CPC+, Transforming Clinical Practice Initiative, clinically integrated networks, physician-led ACOs, DPC, Medicaid episodes of care payment) and helps members evaluate and navigate those opportunities; helps members survive and thrive in value-based payment systems.

For more information, or to serve on any of the above groups, please contact the OAFP staff by sending an email to mail@ohioafp.org or calling (800) 742-7327.