

## Calendar

Thursday, September 8, 2011 11:30am  
 ATOMS Board Meeting  
 OFF Conference Room  
 Kristin Halsell, President

Thursday, September 15, 2011 8:30am  
 Retired & Older Physicians' Breakfast  
 OSUMC Administrative Board Room  
 Ebb Reeves, D.O., Coordinator

Thursday, September 15, 2011 11:30am  
 ATOMS Fall Membership Meeting  
 Home of Jan and Ken Calabrese  
 Kristin Halsell, President

Thursday, September 15, 2011 6:30pm.  
 TOMS Fall Membership Meeting  
 Doubletree Hotel - Warren Place  
 Janice Bratzler, Director

Monday, September 19, 2011 5:00pm  
 BLS/ACLS for Physicians  
 OFF Training Center  
 Susan Smith, PA, Instructor

Friday, Sept. 23, 2011 8am-4:30 pm  
 AOA Health Policy Summit  
 Liason Capitol Hill, Washington, D.C  
 Lee Ann Fox, Coordinator

Tuesday, October 11, 2011 6:30 p.m.  
 OFF Board of Directors  
 OFF Conference Room  
 Steven Bovasso, D.O., Chairman

Sunday, October 16, 2011 6:00pm  
 ATOMS Wine and Tequila Pull Fundraiser  
 Home of Whitney and James Allen, D.O.  
 Kristin Halsell, President

Thursday, October 20, 2011 8:30am  
 Retired & Older Physicians' Breakfast  
 OFF Conference Room  
 Ebb Reeves, D.O., Coordinator

Thursday, October 20, 2011 5:00pm  
 BLS/ACLS for Physicians  
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October 31 - November 3, 2011  
 AOA OMED  
 Orange County Convention Center  
 Orlando, Florida  
[www.osteopathic.org](http://www.osteopathic.org)

Coming soon ... Don't forget to save  
 the dates for:  
**Osteopathic Holiday Party**  
**Sunday, December 10**  
 at the Summit Club  
 and **Winterset 2012**  
**Saturday, February 25th, 2012**  
 at the Doubletree Hotel - Warren Place.

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### Mission Statement

*The mission of the  
 Osteopathic Founders Foundation  
 is to support osteopathic medical  
 education, to enhance the public's  
 understanding of osteopathic  
 medicine, and to improve the health  
 of the community through  
 projects consistent with  
 the osteopathic philosophy.*



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## Moving Day!

We're excited to announce that on August 30 the Foundation will be moving to a new office at the Geophysical Resource Center, 8801 South Yale Avenue. We'll be locating on the fourth floor of that building, which is tucked away on the west side of Yale in a lovely, park-like setting.

Our space will expand by approximately 700 square feet, primarily in a larger conference room and training area. The building has significantly more parking available which will certainly be helpful when we have multiple groups or activities in the facility.

Though our mailing address will change, the phone, fax and email will all remain the same. We're hopeful that there will be little disruption in our communications during the move, but please understand if we are not quite as responsive as usual during that week.

If you just have a love for packing (or unpacking), feel free to stop by anytime. If that's not your favorite pastime, give us a few days then pop in to say hello and tour. We'll keep you posted on a date for an open house this fall.

Geophysical Resource Center, 8801 South Yale Avenue



(See map inside.)





## Moving Day (cont'd)

Our new office location is easy to get to, easy to find. Just go to South Yale, between 81st and 91st, and just south of 87th Place, turn east onto the property entrance.

We're sure you'll enjoy your visit to our new location ... with its beautiful grounds and modern building and facilities.



## Don't Wait - Register for November CME Now! "An Update in Gastroenterology"

A great line-up of topics and speakers has been confirmed for our next CME program which is scheduled for

**Saturday, November 19, 2011**  
**The Doubletree Hotel - Warren Place**  
**8:30 a.m. Registration**  
**9 a.m. - Noon Lecture**

The topic for the three hour program is **An Update in Gastroenterology**. As usual,

there is **no cost** to attend but pre-registration is required in order that we can have the appropriate materials prepared. We anticipate that the program will be approved for three (3) hours of category 1-A credit by the American Osteopathic Association for osteopathic physicians and three (3) contact hours of ACPE accredited continuing education in pharmacy. Certificates of attendance will be provided to other professionals for self-reporting.

The program will begin with **registration and breakfast at 8:30 a.m.**

Lectures begin promptly at 9:00 a.m. and will conclude at 12:00 noon. For more information, and to register, visit the Foundation's website at [www.osteopathicfounders.org](http://www.osteopathicfounders.org).

If you haven't taken the opportunity to participate in our programs before, please make time to be there in November. In addition to quality CME at no cost, it's a great time to reconnect with old friends while you learn a few new things.

See you in the fall!

**Sheldon Berger, D.O.**  
*Screening and Treatment of HCV - Novel Therapies*



**Jeff Stroup, Pharm D.**  
*Clostridium Difficile Update*



**Drew Crawford, D.O.**  
*Are the Risks Real? Advice on PPI's*



## Grant Distributions Approved

Many thanks to the dedicated members of the Charitable Grants Committee of the OFF Board of Directors for their diligent review of the many requests which have been submitted to the Foundation by worthy Tulsa organizations. During their recent meeting, the following distributions were approved by the committee:

TCMS Foundation for Tulsa Charitable Medical Services	\$45,000
Hospitality House of Tulsa for their H2 Capital Campaign.	\$15,000
American Red Cross for Disaster Relief Services	\$10,000
American Heart Association for Go Red Campaign	\$7,500
Assistance in Healthcare for Patient Assistance	\$5,000
Hospice of Green Country for Courtesy Care Program	\$2,500

These grants from the Foundation are made on behalf of ALL osteopathic physicians in northeast Oklahoma. We are always happy to hear from you about organizations, **whose missions are consistent with that of the Foundation**, that you feel are deserving of consideration for funding.

Just as a reminder, the opportunity to recommend beneficiaries for Winterset 2012 grants is quickly approaching. If you've not taken the opportunity to do so, let us know via email who you believe is most deserving. Details are on the website at [www.osteopathicfounders.org](http://www.osteopathicfounders.org).

