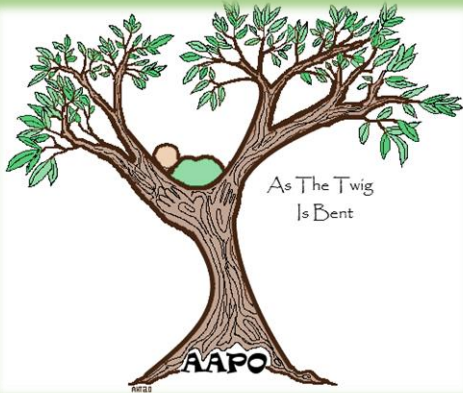


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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Hello and happy spring everyone!

I'm freshly back from Dr. Carreiro's awesome "Pediatric Head" course and AAO's Convocation, and am thrilled to say it has even further ignited my desire and passion to spread pediatric osteopathy! The course was packed with lots of familiar faces but also many new ones. You can sense that people are eager to learn more about utilizing osteopathy in children. 😊 We also had a successful Peds SIG with Dr. Flaherty focused on inpatient pediatric OMT with our largest attendance yet (~70!), and our biggest in-person AAPO business meeting to date! I also know that we had tons of traffic at the AAPO/OPC/OCC table with lots of inquiries about peds osteopathic CME, research, shadowing opportunities, and more! I can't wait to keep growing with you all as we work to meet all these needs and the ones we haven't identified yet. Thank you for being a part of osteopathic pediatric history alongside us!!

Kimberly Wolf, DO, FAAPO 😊

Peds Special Interest Group:

Held at AAO Convocation 3/7/24





UPCOMING PEDS RELAVENT OSTEOPATHIC CME:

April 12-14 Recovering Lost Osteopathic Gems of Beryl Arbuckle - 20-hour CME course at WVSOM.
Speaker: Dr Marianne Herr-Paul DO [Sign Up Here!](#)

April 25-28 ACOP Spring Conference - One full day dedicated to OMT [Click here to read more about this exciting conference that is co-sponsored by AAPO!](#)

June 6-9 Growth and Development – The OCA annual conference with an embryology focus. Course Directors: Drs Kathryn Gill and Eric Dolgin [More info can be found here.](#)

June 19-21 CORK Pre-Event - Beyond Boundaries: Osteopathic Medicine for Preterm Infants. Speakers: Francesco Cerritelli DO and Andre Manzotti DO. [Click here and register to hear these amazing international speakers!](#)

June 22-23 CORK – Conference on Osteopathic Research and Knowledge. Inaugural, International conference bringing together Osteopaths who are focused on doing and promoting high quality osteopathic research, including recent pediatric OMT research from the US and abroad. [To Read More about it click here.](#)

July 10-14 Foundations of Osteopathy in the Cranial Field – 40-hour Basic Course with Pediatric Application lectures included. - Drs Hiserote, Hruby, King, Vuksich, and Wolf. **Scholarships sponsored by AAPO Available.** [For more details click here.](#)

September 12-16 Introduction To The Osteopathic Approach To The Nursing Dyad - Dr Kimberly Wolf Course Director. Additional speakers Drs Tobey, Hiserote, Conaway, and Loveless [Click here to read a description and register.](#)

September 27-October 1 AAP NCE – For the first time ever we have workshops on the whole conference’s program – THREE OF THEM! OMT for Nursing, OMT for Back Pain as well as “What a DO Can Do For You”! We also have collaborative programs with Sections on Integrative Medicine and Orthopedics. [Register here!](#)



PEDS CME ON DEMAND:

Evidence Based Approach to Plagiocephaly and the OPT-IN Open House. Dr Wolf, Dr King et al [Watch here!](#)

Peds OMT for the Busy PCP - Dr Wolf and Dr Tobey. [Watch here!](#)

What About Tongue Ties? - Dr Morelli-Haskell and Dr. Gill. [Watch here!](#)



Do You Have A Favorite Technique To Use On Peds Patients?

We are currently accepting submissions for **The Twig Unbent** section of our newsletter. Consider submitting a short educational pediatric OMT case report or technique “how to” for a technique you find useful in treating infants or children. Send all submissions to AAPO@the-promise.org