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## Canadian Osteopathic Association

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### NATION WIDE CANADIAN OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL REGULATIONS

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**British Columbia** – Bylaws Under the Health Professions Act [page 26 – 2-0(h) definition of ‘medical degree’] “degree from a College of Osteopathic Medicine”.

<https://www.cpsbc.ca/files/pdf/HPA-Bylaws.pdf>

**Alberta** – Physicians, Surgeons and Osteopaths Profession Regulation, [350/2009, Page 4, Section 3(1)(a)] includes an “osteopathic medical degree”.

[http://www.qp.alberta.ca/documents/Regs/2009\\_350.pdf](http://www.qp.alberta.ca/documents/Regs/2009_350.pdf)

**Saskatchewan** – Regulatory Bylaws for Medical Practice in Saskatchewan, [Page 7, Section 2.3(c)(iv) AOA Accredited Program] “Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from a school in the United States accredited by the American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation.

<https://www.cps.sk.ca/iMIS/Documents/Legislation/Legislation/Regulatory%20Bylaws.pdf>

**Manitoba** – The Regulated Health Professions Act (December 2018) ‘College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba General Regulation’, Registration for Full Practice, Section 3.8(a)(ii) “Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from a school in the United States accredited by the American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation”.

[http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/regs/current/\\_pdf-regs.php?reg=163/2018](http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/regs/current/_pdf-regs.php?reg=163/2018)

\*\*AND document ‘REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR REGULATED MEMBERS FULL PRACTICING CLASS’

<https://cpsm.mb.ca/cjj39alckF30a/wpcontent/uploads/RHPA/Content/Full%20FP/Requirements%20for%20registration%20-%20regulated%20member%20-%20full%20-%20practising%203B.pdf>

**Ontario** – Policy Statement of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. “Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine”.

<https://www.cpso.on.ca/Physicians/Registration/Registration-Policies/Doctors-of-Osteopathic-Medicine>

**Quebec** – Regulation Respecting the Terms and Conditions for the Issuance of the Permit and Specialist’s Certificates by the College des Medecins du Quebec (Page 4/13, Division III -14) “diploma of doctor of osteopathy awarded by a school of osteopathic medicine situated in the United States...accredited by the Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation of the American Osteopathic Association”.

<http://www.cmq.org/publications-pdf/p-6-2012-01-01-en-reglement-sur-les-conditions-et-modalitesde-delivrance-du-permis-et-des-certificats-de-specialiste-du-college-des-medecins-du-quebec.pdf>

**New Brunswick** – Medical Act Regulation #2 - 1. “graduate of a medical school or osteopathic medical school approved by Council”.

<http://cpsnb.org/en/medical-act-regulations-and-guidelines/regulations/408-regulation-2-registrationand-licensing>

**Nova Scotia** – University or School Approved by Council [AOA – COCA accreditation]. “Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree accredited by the American Osteopathic Association Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation”.

<https://cpsns.ns.ca/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/University-or-School-Approved-by-Council.pdf>

**Prince Edward Island** – CPSPEI [Page 1 – 1.(c) & (i)] Recognize “American Osteopathic Association, Accreditation Committee schools”

<http://cpspei.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/REGULATIONS-FOR-PEI-Approved-Changes-as-of-May12014.pdf>

**Newfoundland and Labrador** – Regulations 38/15 – [2.(1)(d) & (f)] “Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree”.

<http://www.assembly.nl.ca/Legislation/sr/Regulations/rc150038.htm>

**Northwest Territories** – 10.(1)(a) Accepted if eligible for registration in another province.

<https://www.justice.gov.nt.ca/en/files/legislation/medical-profession/medical-profession.a.pdf>

**Yukon Territories** – Medical Professions Act Part 1 – 1. FAIMER recognized schools

[http://www.yukonmedicalcouncil.ca/physician\\_licensing.html](http://www.yukonmedicalcouncil.ca/physician_licensing.html)

[http://www.gov.yk.ca/legislation/legislation/page\\_m.html](http://www.gov.yk.ca/legislation/legislation/page_m.html)

**Nunavut** – Accepted only if eligible for registration in another province.

<https://nuphysicians.ca/license-and-registration>