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Safer practices, stronger outcomes

Join the American Osteopathic Association
Patient Safety Organization

Safety & quality at the AOA

The American Osteopathic Association (AOA) has established a federally-approved patient safety organization (PSO).

- **What is patient safety?** Patient safety involves taking proactive measures to prevent harm and errors in healthcare, fostering a culture of learning and improvement. Physicians are pivotal in this effort as leaders in safety and quality to enhance practice and outcomes.
- **What is a PSO?** The AOA PSO provides a platform for healthcare professionals to collaborate on patient safety while being protected by federal regulations. We analyze safety events and promote improvement opportunities, breaking down barriers to communication and fostering a culture of learning. Healthcare professionals have the flexibility to join multiple PSOs tailored to their specific needs.

Benefits of PSO participation

- Fulfill Component 4 of Osteopathic Continuous Certification.
- Access patient safety resources, quality improvement tools and Category 1 AOA CME opportunities.
- Engage in Safe Tables and networking events for enhanced collaboration.
- Utilize a confidential online platform for reporting barriers in your practice, innovative solutions and safety events.
- Ensure protected exchange of confidential information across practices and states.
- Gain insights from deidentified case studies and potentially lower insurance premiums through improved safety practices.
- Access policy templates to enhance quality and safety in your practice.

PSO participation is an exclusive benefit for AOA members.



Scan the QR code to join the AOA PSO

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