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Monthly Newsletter

June 2025

Reminder of June Annual Meeting



There is still time to register to attend the SCOMS Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 12 at The [Cook's Station](#) in Greenville. From 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Physician and Resident Members are invited to enjoy drinks and heavy hors d'oeuvres while networking. Bring a prospective member and be registered for a prize drawing!! [Click here to RSVP!](#)

Board Elections

Congratulations to the newly elected 2025 – 2026 SCOMS Board of Trustees:

President: Scott Klosterman, DO

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Welcome New South Carolina Residents

Many thanks to Spartanburg Regional Physician Recruitment for hosting the Graduation Celebration for VCOM- Carolinas Class of 2025. SCOMs welcomed 39 new Resident Members who are remaining in South Carolina for their residencies.



AnMed Health

Claire Burgess, Family Medicine
Katarina Longley, Family Medicine
Nicole Nally, Family Medicine
Carly Sweet, Family Medicine

Bon Secours St. Francis

Shaina Owens, Internal Medicine

Grand Strand Regional Medical Center

Mitchel Adams, Emergency Medicine
Robert Lince, Internal Medicine

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Kaitlyn Braffitt, Psychiatry
Madison Dudick, Neurology
Shea Fincher, Internal Medicine
Brody Fogleman, Internal Medicine
Cristin Grant, Family Medicine
Sarah Steadman, Child Neurology

Prisma Health- Columbia

Erica Anders, Internal Medicine
Michael Bullock, Emergency Medicine
Mackenzie Dang, Internal Medicine
Quang-Minh Dang, Internal Medicine
Anna Dea, Internal Medicine
Levi Diggins, Medicine- Preliminary
Emily Florek, Family Medicine
Isabel Lewis, Pediatrics
Ethan Ouzts, Psychiatry
Emily Ranta, Internal Medicine
Joshua Ranta, Internal Medicine
Huy Vinh, Family Medicine

Prisma Health- Greenville

Edward Ackley, Family Medicine
Braeden Bensch, Pediatrics
Danielle Drew, Internal Medicine
Nicole Gentile, Emergency Medicine
Shreya Shah, Neurology
Hannah Stimart, General Surgery
Mary Strohmeyer, Surgery- Preliminary
David Wildman, Emergency Medicine

Spartanburg Medical Center

Nicholas Minner, General Surgery
Brian Winebrenner, Ob/Gyn

Summerville Medical Center

Keenan Caddell, Ob/Gyn
Collin Cheatle, Family Medicine

Tidelands Health

Venkata Kolluru, Family Medicine

Trident Medical Center

Bradley Teasley, Emergency Medicine

Geriatric Physician Loan Forgiveness Program



Geriatric Physician Loan Forgiveness Program

If you have completed or are completing a fellowship in geriatrics or geriatric psychiatry you are eligible to have **\$35,000** of your medical school debt repaid!

Time to Renew Your SCOMS Membership?

SCOMS offers multiple membership categories to welcome a variety of individuals who practice in and support the Osteopathic profession.

Membership Category: Effective July 1, 2024

Physician	\$175 or \$395 for 3 years
Retired	\$140
Military	\$140
Out-of-State Physician	\$90
Associate	\$90
Resident	\$50
Student / Intern	\$30

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The S.C. Department on Aging's [Geriatric Physician Loan Forgiveness Program](#) offers \$35,000 to

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eligible physicians who have completed fellowships in geriatrics and/or practice geriatric medicine in South Carolina for at least five years. **SCOMS** **SCOMS** **A copy**
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