# Whole Body Osteopathy: The Key to Health is Micro-perfusion

Dates: Friday, Dec. 6th to Sunday, Dec. 8th, 2024 Location: Indianapolis, IN

Course Director: Kenneth J. Lossing, DO

Register online at www.academyofosteopathy.org

# **Course Description**

We have long understood that the arteries bring oxygen to the tissues and the veins take carbon dioxide and metabolic byproducts away. What has not been as clear is the interaction between the vessels, the nervous system, the mechanics of the musculoskeletal system, the fascial, and local blood flow regulation. Even less clear is what happens in between the arteries and veins, the micro perfusion at the level of the capillaries. Scientific studies have recently shown that the micro perfusion is the key to health, when talking about any internal organ, the brain, the nervous system, basically any anatomical structure. In any dysfunction, either somatic, visceral, or cranial, the micro perfusion is impaired. Therefore, if we can palpate arteries, veins, lymphatics and the micro perfusion in between, we are able to have a clear diagnosis, and can evaluate post treatment our success or lack of success.

## **Course Learning Objectives**

- Palpation of arteries
- Palpation of veins
- Palpation of lymph flow
- Palpation and treatment of the nervous system

- Palpation and treatment of the fascia
- Palpation of micro perfusion
- Palpation of structure change, after treating artery, vein, or lymph.
- Palpation of visceral motility
- Palpation and treatment of respiratory system, digestive system, musculoskeletal system

## **Continuing Medical Education** 20 credits of AOA Category 1-A CME anticipated

#### **Course Location**

AAO Office 3500 DePauw Blvd, Suite 1100 (Pyramid 1, Floor 10) Indianapolis, IN 46268

Closest airport: IND

## **Meal Information**

Morning coffee and hot tea provided each day. Lunch provided Friday and Saturday (gluten-free and vegan options available).

### **Course Dates & Times**

- Friday December 6, 8am-5:30pm
- Saturday December 7, 8am-5:30pm
- Sunday December 8, 8am-12pm



## **Course Director**

Kenneth J. Lossing, DO is a 1994 graduate of what is now the A.T. Still University–Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine, Kenneth J. Lossing, DO, served an internship and combined residency in neuromusculoskeletal medicine and family practice through the Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine in Athens. He is board certified in both neuromusculoskeletal medicine and family medicine.

Dr. Lossing served as the AAO's 2014-15 president, and he is a frequent lecturer for the Academy. He also has presented courses in Australia, Canada, England, Germany, France, Italy, Japan, New Zealand and Norway, and is contributed to the second, third and fourth editions of the American Osteopathic Association's Foundations of Osteopathic Medicine textbook.

Dr. Lossing studied visceral manipulation with Jean-Pierre Barral, DO (France), and he also was greatly influenced by Robert Fulford, DO; Anthony Chila, DO; Stephen Miles Davidson, DO; and Viola Frymann, DO.

Dr. Lossing and his wife, Margret Klein, OA, run a private practice in San Rafael, California.

Registration Fees	On or before October 7, 2024	October 8– December 5, 2024	On or after December 6, 2024
Academy member in practice*	\$830	\$880	\$1,080
Resident or intern member	\$630	\$680	\$880
Student member	\$430	\$480	\$680
Nonmember practicing DO or other health care professional	\$1,230	\$1,280	\$1,480
Nonmember resident	\$1,030	\$1,080	\$1,280
Nonmember student	\$830	\$880	\$1,080

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#### **Travel Arrangements**

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