

RETURN TO VITALITY: CIRCULATION, RESPIRATION

Dec. 6-8, 2019 • UNTHSC Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine

Course Description

Vitality is something we experience on a daily basis. We see it in newborns, young children, plants and other living things, yet we have no way to measure it other than comparing it to itself: youth vs. aging, healthy vs. ill, etc.

In this three-day class, attendees will explore the most current scientific research, osteopathic research and clinical practice concerning the respiratory and circulatory functions, which are vital functions and contain vital forces, or vitality. The functions interact and are interdependent, and they feed each other. For instance, over 50% of venous blood flow in the inferior vena cava is respiration dependent. According to Doppler imaging, the pulse of the inferior vena cava moves at the respiratory rate, not the heart rate.

Attendees also will explore the use of “vital forces” as “activating forces” in treatment. Dr. Fulford’s idea of shock in the nervous system will be expanded to include the use of vital forces to treat the shock and expand the concept to the vascular system. Did you know shock is a codeable diagnosis? Dr. Lossing will discuss principles of Dr. Sutherland and Barral along with ideas from traditional Chinese medicine to teach attendees exactly how vitality can be palpated, used in treatment and verified.

Course Times

Friday and Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Continuing Medical Education

21 credits of AOA Category 1-A CME anticipated.

Meal Information

Morning coffee and tea will be provided. Lunch will be provided each day.

Course Location

UNTHSC Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine
3500 Camp Bowie Blvd., MET – 470 Lab
Fort Worth, TX 76107 ([campus map](#))

Travel Arrangements

Contact Tina Callahan of Globally Yours Travel at (480) 816-3200 or globallyyourstravel@cox.net.



Course Director

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 studied visceral manipulation with Jean-Pierre Barral, DO (France). An internationally recognized lecturer, Dr. Lossing contributed to the second through fourth editions of the American Osteopathic Association’s *Foundations of Osteopathic Medicine* textbook.

As the AAO’s 2014-15 president, Dr. Lossing was featured in a [segment of “American Health Front!”](#) that focused on osteopathic manipulative medicine.

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

Registration Fees	On or before Sept. 3, 2019	Sept. 4– Nov. 1, 2019	On or after Nov. 2, 2019
Academy member in practice*	\$790	\$840	\$1,040
Resident or intern member	\$590	\$640	\$840
Student member	\$390	\$440	\$640
Nonmember practicing DO or other health care professional	\$1,190	\$1,240	\$1,440
Nonmember resident or intern	\$790	\$840	\$1,040
Nonmember student	\$590	\$640	\$840

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Registration Form

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Nickname for badge: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

- I am a practicing health care professional.
- I am a resident or intern.
- I am an osteopathic or allopathic medical student.

The AAO accepts check, Visa, MasterCard and Discover payments in U.S. dollars. The AAO does not accept American Express.

Credit card No.: _____

Cardholder’s name: _____

Expiration date: _____ 3-digit CWV No.: _____

Billing address (if different): _____

I hereby authorize the American Academy of Osteopathy to charge the above credit card for the amount of the course registration.

Signature: _____

By registering for this course, you agree to abide by the AAO’s [code of conduct](#), [photo and video release](#), and [cancellation policy](#).



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