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### **Joseph Kimbell, D.O. Named MAOFP Resident of the Year**

Okemos, Michigan — The Michigan Association of Osteopathic Family Physicians (MAOFP) awarded Joseph Kimbell, D.O., the 2016 Resident of the Year Award.

The MAOFP Resident of the Year Award winners have been shown to exhibit leadership qualities and community involvement during educational training; exemplify the highest quality of dedication to the osteopathic profession; promote osteopathic family medicine in the state of Michigan; and exhibit scholarship achievement in the field of family medicine.

Dr. Kimbell is a third year resident in family medicine at St. John Macomb-Oakland Hospital. He believes that family medicine has always meant being an avid fighter for the patient's health and well-being, while also making an impact in the community. Dr. Kimbell has not only been a leader in his residency but also in the community. He has participated in the global health trips to Peru, Guatemala and South Africa. Dr. Kimbell speaks on the importance of Global Health to the hospital board of directors. He also regularly volunteers in the community whether it is at the local homeless shelter, food bank or another worthwhile community project.

Dr. Kimbell received his Doctor of Osteopathy from Des Moines University: College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2013. He resides in Clawson, Michigan.

The Michigan Association of Osteopathic Family Physicians, Inc., is a non-profit association whose mission is to advance the standards of family practice in the field of osteopathic medicine in the state of Michigan. The MAOFP works to encourage and improve educational opportunities for the training of family physicians and to promote and maintain the highest moral and ethical standards in the practice of medicine.

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