



Become an AOM Resident

The AOM Residency is designed to set the standard for postgraduate clinical training of Chinese medicine practitioners. Through intensive lineage-based training and clinical rotations, our residents have a supportive atmosphere to transition from school to clinical practice.

The NUNM AOM Residency Program has two branches: an on-campus residency and private clinic residencies. The on-campus residency focuses on assisting on clinical shifts, starting a private practice, and teaching an elective course. The private clinic residencies are aimed at providing an intensive mentorship in a particular Chinese medical lineage along with training in practice management.

HOW WOULD I BENEFIT?

Residents spend approximately 30 hours per week doing clinical work—shadowing their supervisor(s) or treating their own patients. Residents are also mentored in clinic operations, insurance billing, running an herbal medicinary, marketing and promotion. Residents are expected to spend some time in self-directed learning or continuing education courses, as determined in connection with the clinical mentor.

One of our first residents, Sarah Clark, LAc, shared that, “My clinical skills improved to an extent that would otherwise have taken me years of study to reach.”

What does it take to be a resident?

Becoming a resident is a competitive process. In addition to completing a master's or doctoral degree at an ACAOM-accredited institution, candidates must demonstrate professionalism, maturity, commitment to serve, excellent clinical abilities, and an aptitude for self-directed learning.



How do I apply?

Applications are due April 28, 2017. Download the application from nunm.edu/residency-program/ccm-residency-program

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