



## OMS Foundation Update to OMS Societies: Q3 2024

OMS research teams are encouraged to apply by Aug. 31 for **2025 funding opportunities**:

- [Research Support Grants](#) (\$75,000/1-year duration)
- [Clinical Research Support Grant](#) (\$150,000/2-year duration)
- [Student Research Training Awards](#) (\$12,500/2-year duration): supports research training and mentorship of dental school undergrads



### Mark your calendar!

#### OMS Foundation Activities at the 2024 AAOMS Annual Meeting



The OMS Foundation looks forward to welcoming AAOMS members, families and friends to the 2024 AAOMS Annual Meeting. Here's where to find the Foundation during the meeting:

- **Visit the OMS Foundation Booth**
  - Sept. 9 to 11 in the House of Delegates lobby
  - Sept. 12 to 14 in Exhibit Hall, Booth 1430
- **Beacon Gift Match**
  - [Donations](#) made **September 1 - 30** will be matched by Beacon Oral Specialists up to \$35,000, including new [OMSFIRE](#) commitments.
- **Poster Session/Wine & Cheese Reception**
  - Eat, drink, and congratulate the next generation of OMS researchers!
  - Thursday, Sept. 12, 2:30 to 4 p.m.
- **Faculty Lunch and Learn "OMS Applicant Assessment: Concept of Connected Outcomes"**
  - Friday, Sept. 13, 12 to 1 p.m., Orange County Convention Center

- Speaker: Kelly Dore, PhD - co-founder and Vice President of Science and Innovation at Acuity Insights and the co-creator of Casper, a unique situational judgment test used by hundreds of academic programs globally to assess social intelligence, ethics, empathy, problem-solving and collaborative skills.
- **R.V. Walker Donor Recognition Reception (by invitation)**
  - Friday, Sept. 13, 6 to 7 p.m. – help us commemorate Dr. Walker’s 100<sup>th</sup> birthday in the Hyatt Regency’s Florida Ballroom
  - Become an [OMSFIRE](#) or [R.V. Walker Society](#) donor by Sept. 13 to receive your invitation to this exclusive VIP event
    - Donate online or visit us in the Expo Hall at booth #1430

### **OMS Foundation Alliance Events at the 2024 AAOMS Annual Meeting**

All Alliance events support the Global Initiative for Volunteerism and Education ([GIVE](#)), providing financial assistance to residents travelling with international humanitarian healthcare missions.



- **2024 Alliance Luncheon and FUNraiser for GIVE**
  - [Primo](#) at JW Marriott Grande Lakes
  - Thursday, Sept. 12, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
  - Speaker: 2022 Global Initiative for Volunteerism and Education (GIVE) awardee Dr. Vickas Agarwal
  - [Register](#) by August 15 for early-bird pricing. Tickets will be available through Sept. 8 or until sold out.
- **Alliance Daily Health Walks**
  - Sept. 11 to 13, 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.
  - Depart from Hyatt Regency Orlando’s Convention Center Entrance
  - Off-site registration option: Walk at a time/place of your choosing
  - [Register](#) to receive an official Health Walk t-shirt courtesy of Canfield, Inc.
- **Alliance Networking Breakfasts**
  - Sept. 11 to 13, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.
  - Health Walk participants invited to enjoy complimentary breakfast at The Pub Orlando