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Greetings!

There is new excitement surrounding osteopathic medicine. It is growing and flourishing in ways that we could have only imagined just a short time ago. The profession has grown 63% in the past decade and nearly 300% over the past three decades! There are now more than 120,000 DOs in the US, and over three dozen accredited colleges of osteopathic medicine—currently educating more than 30,000 future physicians in 33 US states. With this exponential growth comes tremendous opportunity. **There has never been a more critical time for the American Osteopathic Foundation to build and multiply its impact.**

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Warmly,

Rita Forden
CEO

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