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- Be an Indiana resident who is attending an osteopathic medical school in the United States or a student of the Marian University College of Osteopathic Medicine
- Be a member of the Indiana Osteopathic Association
- Be enrolled as a second or third year medical student and in good standing
- Present two letters of recommendation
- Submit an application that includes an essay and list of accomplishments
- Intend to practice in Indiana following completion of a residency in family medicine, osteopathic manipulative medicine, general internal medicine, general surgery, psychiatry, general pediatrics, or obstetrics and gynecology (OBGYN) for not less than 24 months

“I am humbled to be the recipient of the Motyka Dannin Foundation’s scholarship for the 2019-20 school year. I look forward to a long and fulfilling future of serving Hoosiers as a member of such a noble profession. I’ve had so many amazing mentors from the Indiana Osteopathic Association thus far in my medical journey and I hope that someday I can fulfill that role to future generations of DOs. Thank you to everyone at the Indiana Osteopathic Association that has made this opportunity possible for myself and others.”

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