

# Duquesne University College of Osteopathic Medicine

## Mission, Vision, Values, and Goals

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### **Mission Statement**

The Mission of the Duquesne University College of Osteopathic Medicine is to provide excellence in medical education. The College will train physicians who will serve God, in the Spiritan tradition, by caring for all people in all communities, including in underserved urban and rural communities of Western Pennsylvania, the nation, and the world, addressing healthcare disparities among these communities. The College will graduate physician leaders in all medical specialties with a focus on primary care.

### **Vision**

The Vision of the Duquesne University College of Osteopathic Medicine is to create a culture of servant leaders who are dedicated to treating the whole person, mind, body, and spirit.

### **Values and Goals**

- L ***Love and Mercy:*** Treating others as you would want to be treated, with empathy and compassion. Creating a culture of tolerance and non-judgementalism.
  - E ***Ethics and Morality:*** Creating a culture committed to practicing medicine with the highest moral and ethical standards.
  - A ***Advancement and Personal Development:*** Empowering faculty, staff, and students to develop lives of self-fulfillment through service.
  - D ***Diversity and Social Justice:*** Creating a culture that promotes diversity, equity, and inclusion in the treatment of others, and seeks to address inequities in access to health care.
  - E ***Excellence:*** Creating a culture where students, faculty, and staff can excel and reach their full potential both academically and professionally.
  - R ***Responsibility to Profession and Community:*** Equipping and training the next generation of health care leaders in all medical specialties with a particular focus on primary care.
  - S ***Servant Leadership:*** Creating a culture of service to God consistent with the historic Mission of Duquesne University.
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