

## **Student Clinic Reduced Rate & Herbal Outreach Program**

The Student Clinic Reduced Rate and Herbal Outreach Program is designed to help patients with medical needs who, due to financial hardship, are unable to afford acupuncture treatments and herbal prescriptions at the AOMA student intern clinic. Patients with financial hardships include those who only receive Social Security or disability checks, are unemployed, or have extraordinary circumstances.

The patient must complete the first page of this application in sufficient detail to be considered for AOMA's Reduced Rate and Herbal Outreach Program. **Patients are approved for this program on an annual basis and will be re-evaluated by a student intern every six (6) months in January and June.** If you are approved, you will receive an approval letter and your name will appear on a list at each AOMA Clinic & AOMA Herbal Medicine location. It is the patient's responsibility to inform the clinic front desk and/ or AOMA Herbal Medicine staff of their discount status. The approval committee meets monthly. Applications not received by meeting date will be processed at the next month's meeting.

The following documents are required to process your application. Proof of income must include income of **all household members**. All financial information provided will be shredded after reviewed.

### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

1. Completed, signed and dated application
2. Referral by Student Intern Form
3. **PROOF OF INCOME** (provide proof for each category that applies to any family member with-in the residence)
  - Earned income – check stubs for the last month or employer's written statement.
  - Self-Employment Income – Last year's IRS tax return complete with Schedule C or business and receipts.
  - Other Income (Social Security, SSI Unemployment Compensation, Educational Grants/Loans, Child Support, Pensions/Union Benefits or Sponsor's Income) – Current award letter, check or copy of current check, or official written statement for agency providing benefit.
4. **PHOTO IDENTIFICATION**
  - Current driver's license or other picture identification.

After the application is processed by the committee, please allow up to two weeks for notification by mail. Any questions pertaining to this application can be answered by the clinic reception staff (512-467-0370).

**General Information**

Applicants Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship Status \_\_\_\_\_ # of adult household \_\_\_\_\_ # of dependents \_\_\_\_\_

**Household Income**

Applicants Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Full Time / Part Time \_\_\_\_\_ # of hours a week \_\_\_\_\_  
If unemployed, date of unemployment: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you receiving unemployment Yes / No \_\_\_\_\_  
If YES – Beginning date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount receiving weekly \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse / Significant Other’s Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Full Time / Part Time \_\_\_\_\_ # of hours a week \_\_\_\_\_  
If unemployed, date of unemployment: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you receiving unemployment Yes / No \_\_\_\_\_  
If YES – Beginning date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount receiving weekly \_\_\_\_\_

Do you receive any of the following? If so, please attach supporting documentation.

Food Stamps      Yes              No              Snap              Yes              No  
Disability/SSI      Yes              No  
Are you insured?      Yes              No              With whom?      UHC      BCBS      Other \_\_\_\_\_

Please include insurance information (member ID#, group #) if you would like us to verify acupuncture coverage.

**Applicant’s Medical Information**

Description of health condition and how it affects your daily activity: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Explanation of financial hardship** (include details regarding your current income including any government or family assistance): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

My signature attests that the information I have provided on this form is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that incomplete applications are not able to be processed & will be denied.

Patient’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Patient’s phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**To be completed by student intern** (Please print legibly)

Patient's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Term/Year \_\_\_\_\_

Patient's current medical condition: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Relevant medical history: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Degree to which medical condition affects daily life and ability to work: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Expected desires/outcomes of recommended treatment plan: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Additional relevant information: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Recommended treatment plan (# of treatments and frequency of treatments and/or herbal prescription): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Number of treatments \_\_\_\_\_ per **week** or **month** (please circle one)

Frequency of Herbal prescription: **weekly**, **monthly**, or as **needed** (please circle one)

*Student Intern's Signature* \_\_\_\_\_

Intern name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Supervisor's Signature* \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Returning applicant? Yes No If yes, list previous term and discount rate: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle one: Approved Denied Approval Period (year): \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

RRP Approval:

\_\_\_\_\_ \$15

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ 5

\_\_\_\_\_ Free

H.O. Approval:

\_\_\_\_\_ Student Discount

\_\_\_\_\_ Half Price

\_\_\_\_\_ Free