



SWITZERLAND

Osteopathic Medicine

The Swiss government does not recognize osteopathic medicine. Only Swiss citizens and “recognized refugees” are eligible to sit for the state-administered physician licensure exams. Passage of the examinations is the first step in receiving a license. After the examination process, one must obtain a work permit in order to participate in a post doctoral training program (residency) of which there are far less positions than applicants. This work permit expires after twelve months and cannot be renewed.

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Schools of Osteopathic Medicine

There are no recognized schools of osteopathic medicine in Switzerland.

Organisations/Associations

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