POLICY

BCOM shall assure the resources and organization needed to advance knowledge through research and scholarly contributions in the basic biomedical sciences, clinical medicine and osteopathic principles and practice.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL(S):
Assistant Dean for Research

PROCEDURES:

1. BCOM shall incorporate into its strategic plan tactical initiatives to encourage and support the conduct of research and scholarly production. Such initiatives shall seek to be in alignment with the mission of the College.

2. Research faculty shall be identified within BCOM and shall be allocated sufficient time to participate in research activities. Additional community faculty shall be recruited to support this strategic initiative.

3. BCOM shall designate in its annual budget support funding for its research initiatives.

4. BCOM shall provide ongoing training and mentorship for students in the development and conduct of a research program.

5. BCOM shall monitor satisfaction of the research initiative through designated metrics to include: applications for extramural funding, receipt of extramural awards, student participation, and scholarly output that includes publications, abstracts and presentations.

6. BCOM shall review the accomplishments of the faculty and students at least annually and make such modifications to its strategic plan and initiatives as may be needed to sustain the research effort.

CROSS REFERENCE: