



**NEW YORK INSTITUTE
OF TECHNOLOGY**

College of Osteopathic
Medicine

Orientation
Class of 2026
August 8-11, 2022

Monday - August 8, 2022

Location: Riland Auditorium – NYIT College of Osteopathic Medicine

9:00AM to 10:00 AM – Check-in with Admissions and Light Breakfast

10:00 AM to 10:15 AM – Welcome from the Dean

Dr. Nicole Wadsworth, Dean

10:15 AM to 11:15 AM - Introduction to the Overall Curriculum at NYITCOM

Dr. William Blazey, Associate Dean – Academic Affairs

11:15 AM to 11:30 AM – Break

11:30 AM to 12:30 PM – Financial Aid

Clair Jacobi, Director - Financial Aid

12:30 PM - White Coat and iPad distribution and picnic lunch with Orientation Leaders

Medical School Quad

Tuesday - August 9, 2022

Location: Riland Auditorium and tour locations

Please note: Class of 2026 students will receive their small group assignments in the week prior to orientation - attend your assigned group session (AM session for A/B | PM session for C/D).

AM (A/B) with Grab and go snack	
8:30 AM	Check-in and ATG support available (Riland Auditorium)
9:00 AM to 9:30 AM	Overview of Small Group Learning Components of Curriculum (Dr. Blazey)
9:35 AM	Students move to first location
9:45 AM to 10:45 AM	Group A – OMM lab (OMM Faculty) Group B – Anatomy lab (Anatomy Faculty)
11:00 AM to 12:00 PM	Group A – Anatomy lab (Anatomy Faculty) Group B – OMM lab (OMM Faculty)
PM (C/D) with Grab and go snack	
12:30 PM	Check-in and ATG support available (Riland Auditorium)
1:00-1:30	Overview of Small Group Learning Components of Curriculum (Dr. Blazey)
1:35 PM	Students move to first location
1:45 PM to 2:45 PM	Group C – OMM lab (OMM Faculty) Group D – Anatomy lab (Anatomy Faculty)
3:00 PM to 4:00 PM	Group C – Anatomy lab (Anatomy Faculty) Group D – OMM lab (OMM Faculty)

Your Orientation Leaders will guide you from location to location during your session.



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Wednesday - August 10, 2022

Location: Riland Auditorium – NYIT College of Osteopathic Medicine

8:00 AM - Check-in and Light Breakfast

8:15 AM to 9:00 AM - Mental Health Support Systems –

Dr. Liat Jarkon, Director - Center for Behavioral Health
Sadia Halim, Director - Counseling and Wellness

9:00 AM to 9:45 AM - ExamSoft quiz with review of exam day processes

Office of Academic Affairs Staff

9:45 AM to 10:00 AM – Break

10:00 AM to 10:30 AM - Academic Enrichment Support services

James Burke, Marilyn Hluszko & Cheryl Newman, Academic Enrichment Specialists

10:30 AM to 10:45AM - Up and Stretch / Fit Physician program

Dr. Andrea Coladner and Dr. Joann Donoghue

10:45 AM to 11:15 AM - Student Advisement and Mentorship (SAM) Program

Dr. Christine Hutak & Faculty SAM House Leaders

11:15 AM to 12:15 PM - Title IX

Cheryl Monticciolo , ESQ – Consultant

Students are to report to the Crest Hollow Country Club by 3:30pm for White Coat Ceremony

(Additional Information about this event will be sent to students)



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Location: Riland Auditorium – NYIT College of Osteopathic Medicine

8:00AM - Check-in and Light Breakfast

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM - Careers in Medicine

Deborah Heineman, Manager - Residency and Career Services
Julianna Viviani, Senior Career Advisor

10:00 AM to 10:15 AM – Break

10:15 AM to 11:15 AM - Student Affairs Support Services

Dr. Donna McMahon, Associate Dean – Student Affairs

11:15 AM to 12:15 PM - Academic Affairs Policies and Processes

Dr. William Blazey, Dr. Claire Bryant and Office of Academic Affairs

12:15 to 12:30 – Lunch

12:30-12:45 - Diversity Equity and Inclusion at NYITCOM

Dr. Evette Allen, Assistant Dean - Diversity Equity and Inclusion

12:45 PM - 1:45 PM - Dress Code, Professionalism and Doctoring

Members of the SGA and Class of 2025 Leadership

1:45 PM - 2:00 – Signing of the Student Professionalism Statement

Susan Payette-Kulik, Director – Student Professionalism and Special Projects