



## NCCAOM Code of Ethics Draft

As a Diplomate of the NCCAOM®, I hereby pledge my commitment to the following principles:

Provide culturally mindful care with compassion and in recognition of the inherent human dignity and rights of my patients and peers.

Respect the rights and privacy of my patients by maintaining confidentiality and professional boundaries at all times.

Treat within my lawful scope of my practice and training and only if I am able to safely, competently and effectively do so.

Allow my patients to fully participate in decisions related to their healthcare by documenting and keeping them informed of my treatments and outcomes.

Accept and treat those seeking my services in a fair, nondiscriminatory manner and unbiased manner.

Render the highest quality of care and make timely referrals to other health care professionals as may be appropriate.

Continue to advance my knowledge through education, training and collaboration with my colleagues to maintain excellence and high ethical standards in our profession.

Support my medicine's access to all people and its growth in the broad spectrum of U.S. health care.

Assist in the professional development and advancement of my colleagues.

Participate in activities that contribute to the betterment of my community.