

Osteopaths in Brazil

It is with satisfaction and pride that the Registro Brasileiro dos Osteopatas - RBrO (Brazilian Register of Osteopaths) informs to all those who have been engaged in the development of Osteopathy as a profession in Brazil that from 2013 on it is going to be finally acknowledged as an occupation in the Brazilian labor market.

CBO - Brazilian Classification of Occupations identifies occupations in the labor market and catalogs activities, training requirements, professional experience and working conditions; the professional who works as an osteopath received the number 2261-10.

This is a decisive step for the regulation of the profession in our country.

The process for classification was developed by CBO, through the project "CBO 2000", planned by Fundação Instituto de Pesquisas Econômicas (FIPE), (Economic Research Institute Foundation) of the University of São Paulo (USP), in partnership with the Ministry of Labor and Employment.

On March 30th and 31st 2012, a "group dynamics", called "description panels", was held in the presence of some Osteopaths, members of RBrO who were invited for being professionals effectively working in the occupation to be analyzed – Osteopathy, as part of the project "CBO 2000".

The Brazilian Register of Osteopaths would like to thank all its collaborators in this important accomplishment and reinforce the need to increasingly fight for Osteopathy to be spread in Brazil by competent professionals, faithful to the osteopathic principles, mainly concerning teaching and professional performance, always having as primary guideline the respect for those who undergo osteopathic treatment.