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***Osteoevidence*: A User-Centric Database for Advancing Osteopathic Manipulative Medicine**

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ABSTRACT

Osteopathic practitioners and researchers face a scarcity of readily accessible scientific literature that bridges evidence-based research with clinical practice. Additionally, there is an absence of libraries specifically dedicated to osteopathic manipulative medicine. Created to fill this gap, *Osteoevidence* is an online bibliographic database dedicated to advancing osteopathic manipulative medicine by providing streamlined access to scientific literature. Designed in collaboration with osteopaths, this free and user-centric platform indexes 7,391 peer-reviewed reviews, guidelines, and clinical trials from leading research repositories. It integrates a search interface with customizable sorting and lateral filtering tailored for osteopathic contexts. Since its launch in 2022, *Osteoevidence* aims to support clinicians, students, and researchers worldwide. This paper examines its development, functionality, and its role in osteopathic research and practice, and support information services in clinical and academic settings, including those offered by specialized medical librarians.

KEYWORDS

Osteopathic medicine;
Osteopathic manipulative treatment;
Osteoevidence;
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database;
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- OSTMED: In attività dal 1997, sponsorizzato da AOA nel 2006 crea partnership con JAOA e diventa OSTMED.DR. Contiene records anche medici; al 2017 conta 15000 visitatori l'anno circa
- OsteoEvidence: nasce nel 2023 da osteopati Italiani, compare come database su siti istituzionali come COME collaboration o New York Institute of Technology; contiene solo records legati all'OMM; al 2024 conta 10000 visitatori all'anno circa




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Table 1. Monthly user metrics from 19 November 2023 to 19 November 2024.

| Date | Page views | Site sessions | Unique visitors |
|----------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|
| November 2023 | 833 | 138 | 105 |
| December 2023 | 1.023 | 280 | 187 |
| January 2024 | 1.322 | 279 | 181 |
| February 2024 | 1.272 | 260 | 160 |
| March 2024 | 907 | 233 | 142 |
| April 2024 | 1.102 | 260 | 198 |
| May 2024 | 648 | 228 | 188 |
| June 2024 | 524 | 192 | 160 |
| July 2024 | 387 | 138 | 110 |
| August 2024 | 523 | 134 | 83 |
| September 2024 | 550 | 131 | 85 |
| October 2024 | 805 | 185 | 130 |
| November 2024 | 470 | 127 | 94 |



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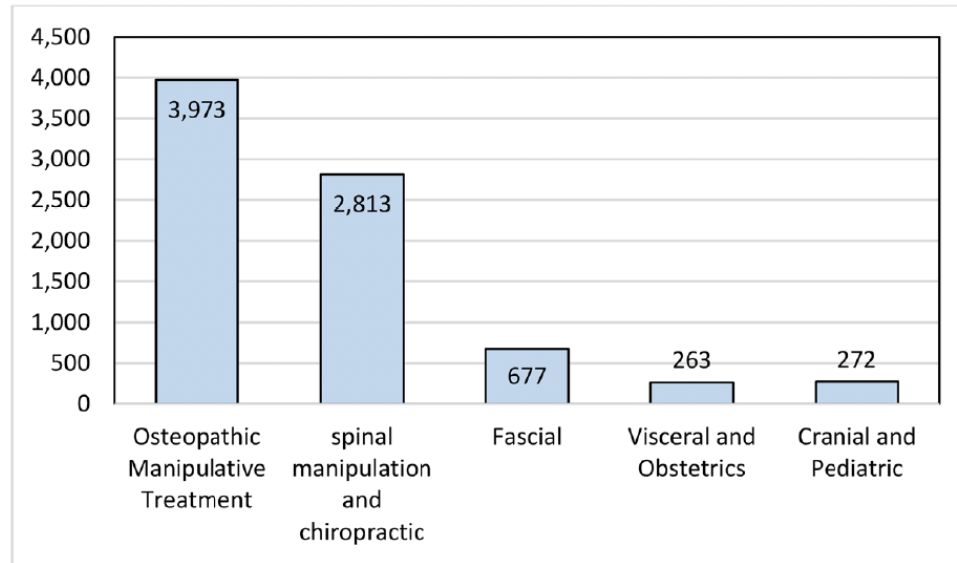
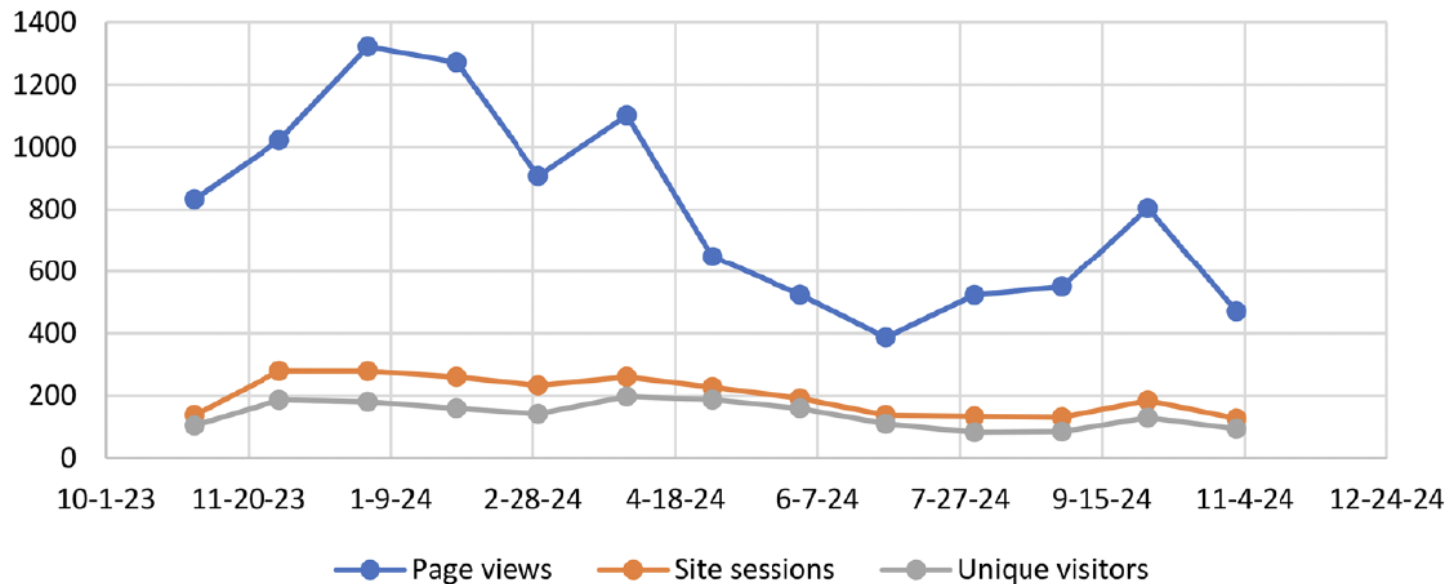


Figure 4. Distribution of records by field. November 2024



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PUNTI DI FORZA

- Accesso gratuito
- Ricerca semplificata
- Alta specificità per OMM



LIMITI

- Assenza di valutazione automatica della qualità (es. GRADE)
- Categorizzazione e curation manuale
- Copertura linguistica e geografica limitata





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