

**Table S3:** Osteopathic training and life-long learning characteristics (n= 332).

<b>Descriptor</b>	<b>Variable</b>	<b>n</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Type of training</b>	Part-time	216	65.1
	Full-time	116	34.9
<b>Duration of the training</b>	3 years	19	5.7
	4 years	58	17.5
	5 years	149	44.9
	6 years	83	25.0
	>6 years	23	6.9
<b>Type of osteopathic academic qualification</b>	Diploma Osteopathy (DO)	218	65.7
	Bachelor (Graduate)	51	15.4
	Master	56	16.9
	PhD	6	1.8
<b>Continuous Professional Development (CPD)</b>	Yes	295	88.9
	No	37	11.1
<b>Previous qualification(s)</b>	Chiropractor	0	0.0
	Massage therapist	3	0.8
	Physician	4	1.1
	Midwife	0	0.0
	Nurse	1	0.3
	Physiotherapist	239	65.8
	Sport scientist	20	5.5
	Other healthcare training	12	3.3
	Other non-healthcare training	11	3.0
	No prior training	73	20.1

