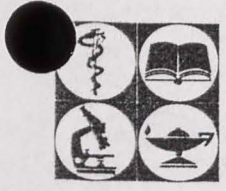


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Aaron O'Connor Klomp earns medical degree at Nevada's medical school

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Steven Aaron O'Connor Klomp, M.D., son of Steven and Torrie of Panaca, was one of the 53 members of the University of Nevada School of Medicine Class of 2000 who were officially welcomed into the medical profession at an academic hooding ceremony on May 12. Graduates choose as their hooders someone who has been most responsible for their success in medical school.

Dr. Klomp was hooded by his wife, Shannon Klomp. He will do a plastic surgery residency at St. Louis University School of Medicine in St. Louis, Missouri.

During his medical education, Klomp earned the Barbara O'Roarke Award and the Outstanding Service Award – Student Outreach Clinic. He also was the student representative to the Association of American Medical Colleges and the Clerkship Coordinator Committee. He was a member of DOC (an anti-smoking program for school children), the AMA, and the American Academy of Family Physicians.