

Curriculum Vitae of Mr. John F. Schulte

Personal Information

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Profile

Accomplished Orthotic and Prosthetic practitioner with 40 plus years of Clinical, Patient Care, Senior Management experience.

This experience includes but is not limited to:

- Clinical, Sales and Management experience in private practice; start up through expansion and acquisition.
- Identifying possible acquisitions, due diligence and integration.
- Management and growth of 27 offices throughout 5 states

Career / Experience

July 2014 – Present	Author, Consultant Orthotist / Prosthetist LifeCare Plan developer, Facility Accreditation Auditor
February 2007 – July 2014	Director of Orthotics / Clinical Educator; The Fillauer Companies Chattanooga TN. Revive the Reciprocal Gait Line of products and Stance Control Orthosis through development of new and existing programs throughout many parts of the world.
January 1999 – April 2006	Corporate level Management. Director Quality Assurance, Work with Acquisitions manager to offer suggestions from a clinical perspective of possible acquisitions and integration. Direct report of 132 personnel throughout a 5 state area. Financial, Marketing and Clinical management of 27 offices. Growth, marketing and strategic planning of this diverse region of the country increasing revenues and area from 20mm in sales to 27.4mm over 6 years. Oversee and Clinical management of existing clinical practice where sales had dropped from 1.7mm to 800k due to lack of management resources. During that time, I restored referral base and re-grew sales to 1.8mm in sales and 24% EBIDTA.
March 1977 – Jan 1999	Clinical Care and Management
Feb 1970 – March 1977	United States Army Medical Corps Prosthetist / Orthotist Clinical Instructor Walter Reed Army Medical Center

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Studies

2000	Bachelor of Science in Business Administration La Salle University Mandeville, LA
1977	New York University Medical School Orthotics and Prosthetics Certificate program Certification as Certified Prosthetist
1973	Northwestern University Medical School Orthotics and Prosthetics Certificate program Certification as Certified Orthotist
1970	High School Diploma Don Bosco High School Paterson, NJ

Skills and Capabilities

Fluent in all aspects of the field of Orthotics and Prosthetics. Consulting in the treatment of infants to adults with over 40 plus years of Orthotic and Prosthetic consults. Body and External powered upper and lower extremity prosthetics for all age groups.

John's career of 40 plus years has allowed him vast knowledge and experience in clinical practice, prosthetic and orthotic component development, design and manufacturing. He is considered to be an Expert in his field and continues to be asked to consult on Clinical 'Best Practices' by physicians, third party payors, peers and patient users on the most appropriate component utilization and outcome measurements. John is a published Author, Consultant and Clinical Board Examiner. He has treated and been involved with the treatment of persons of all ages with congenital birth defects, limb weakness and loss, spinal cord injury. He is intimately knowledgeable in prosthetic and orthotic clinical practice and management, component prescription recommendation, selection and utilization for all patient ages and levels of function makes him an excellent resource for you as an expert witness and consultant.

Mr. Schulte has particular expertise in the determination of the most appropriate prosthetic and orthotic component recommendation, utilization and failures due to improper manufacturing processes, prescription appropriateness, clinical applications and negligence directly related to limb weakness and loss as well as spinal cord injury and treatment. Wrongful Death investigation and determination, limb damage and loss in Diabetics as related to footwear and LifeCare plan consultation and preparation as related to Orthotics and Prosthetics.

Major Publications

Numerous programs and presentations for subjects relating to both Orthotics and Prosthetics throughout the world.

Professional papers and journal articles 1980's – Present as related to Orthotics and Prosthetic topics.

Author of

The Complete Review and Study Guide for Orthotics (Board preparation study and reference guide)

The Complete Review and Study Guide for Prosthetics (Board preparation study and reference guide)

The Complete Review and Study Guide for the Certified Orthotic Fitter Program (Board preparation study and reference guide)

The Complete HALO Fixator Manual and Fitting Guide (Acute Spinal Disease and Trauma orthosis)

The Reference and Study Guide for the Certified Mastectomy Fitters Program (Board preparation study and reference guide)

The Complete Review and Study Guide for Pedorthics (Board preparation study and reference guide)

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Honors

Fellow American Academy of Orthotists and Prosthetists 1999

Board Certified Orthotist and Prosthetist (ABC) 1977

BOCOP (Board for Orthotist Certification International) 1989

President, Maryland Association of Orthotists and Prosthetists 1987 – 2000

President, Region Three American Orthotic and Prosthetic Association 1987 - 1989

Panelist at national and local meetings across the United States

Board member of the American Cancer Society and was elected to the Board of Directors of the Greater Washington DC United Cerebral Palsy association in 2006.

Professional Society Membership

American Orthotic and Prosthetic Association

American Academy of Orthotists and Prosthetists

Other Accomplishments

Language English

Information Technology MS-Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook)

Certificated Commercial Pilot 4,372 hours Competent in Single and Multi-Engine Land * Single-Engine Sea

Other information upon request