

7TH ANNUAL 20-HOUR PROGRAM IN
**LOWER EXTREMITY
MEDICINE AND SURGERY**

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Unparalleled excellence in medical education -- ACLES

ACLES programs are medical educational experiences like no other! You'll find no other courses in foot and ankle surgery that compare with the high-level collegial experience ACLES meetings provide. You'll train and consult with the nation's leading educators and practitioners of lower extremity medicine and surgery in a relaxed, intimate environment that promotes engagement between presenters and attendees.

This program features regular opportunity for one-on-one learning in structured lecture sessions, discussions, and workshops. Course content addresses every aspect of lower extremity surgery, from diagnosis to post-operative care. The wide-ranging content enables experienced professionals to stay current with trends and developments in the field, and allows most physicians to acquire their annual requisite CME credits.

Who should attend?

- Podiatrists
- Surgeons
- Orthopedic
- Osteopaths

...who perform surgery of the foot, ankle or leg, their support teams, and other allied professionals with an interest in lower extremity surgery.

Conference spaces are available

Be sure to reserve your place now — Register TODAY!



Collaborating Society



MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The ACLES 2023 20-hour program features content from physicians from across the country, noted for their significant contributions to foot and ankle medicine and surgery.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

This activity is been planned and implemented in accordance with the standards and requirements for approval of providers in continuing education in podiatric medicine through a joint provider agreement between ASCENSION SAINT JOSEPH - CHICAGO whereas the American College of Lower Extremity Surgeons is the joint provider. ASCENSION SAINT JOSEPH - CHICAGO is approved by the Council on Podiatric Medical Education as a provider of continuing education and podiatric medicine. ASCENSION SAINT JOSEPH - CHICAGO has approved this activity for a maximum of 20 continuing education contact hours.

Host Hotel

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People come to **Saratoga Springs** in the Hudson Valley for several reasons: the healing mineral springs, thoroughbred horse racing, the area's rich history and **the ACLES 20-hour course!** Come join us in Saratoga Springs, NY located in the foothills of the magnificent Adirondack Park, about three hours from New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and Montreal.



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**Breakfast
and
Dinner
Included**

Friday, September 8

FACULTY

MICHAEL E. DEMI, RN, CPC, CHC, CPMA, CSFAC is a senior consultant with Medical Compliance Associates, Inc., a Jacksonville, Florida based medical billing, coding, and documentation consulting firm. Prior to joining the firm in 2015, Mike was a registered critical care nurse in the University of Florida health system in Jacksonville. He brings valuable clinical insight from his time working in the trauma surgery and cardiac units at a 750-bed hospital. Mike is a Certified Professional Coder (CPC), Certified Medical Auditor (CPMA), and Certified Surgical Foot and Ankle Coder (CSFAC) through the American Academy of Professional Coders. Mike is also certified in Healthcare Compliance (CHC) through the Health Care Compliance Association and is a member of the American Association of Critical Care Nurses and the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners.

G. "DOCK" DOCKERY, DPM, FACFAS, is a Fellow and Past Board of Director of the American College of Foot & Ankle Surgeons. He is a Fellow of the American Society of Foot & Ankle Dermatology, the American College of Podiatric Medicine and the American College of Foot and Ankle Pediatrics. Dr. Dockery is Board Certified in Foot and Ankle Surgery by the American Board of Foot & Ankle Surgery and is Board Certified in Podiatric Orthopedics by the American Board of Podiatric Medicine. He is a Distinguished Practitioner in the Podiatric Medicine and Surgery Division of the National Academies of Practice. He was voted "One of America's 175 Most Influential Podiatrists" of 2006 and voted as "Movers and Shakers: America's Most Influential Podiatrists" in 2012, by the Podiatry Management Magazine Editors & Advisors. He has published more than 152 scientific articles in peer-reviewed medical journals and he founded the International Foot & Ankle Foundation for Education and Research in 1979 and is currently the Chairman of the Board and the Director of Scientific Affairs of that organization.

EDWARD S. GLASER, DPM is a dynamic lecturer and researcher in Foot Biomechanics. He studied mechanical engineering at SUNY Stonybrook and received his doctorate in podiatric medicine at the New York College of Podiatric Medicine. Although not a common path for a podiatrist, it turned out to be the right exposure for a future foot biomechanistic. Dr. Glaser developed a thriving practice over thirteen years and then chose to walk away from that success to challenge orthopedic conventions with his revolutionary MASS Posture Theory. 30 years and over a Million Pairs of Orthotics later, Dr. Glaser has made his life's mission a reality with Sole Supports: 'We make people better'.

STEVEN R. KRAVITZ, DPM, FAPWHc, FACFAS is a Diplomate of the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgery and the American Board of Podiatric Medicine. He is also a Fellow of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons, and Certified in Wound Healing by the Council for Medical Education and Testing. He is the Founder and President of the Academy of Physicians in Wound Healing (APWH) and the Council for Medical Education and Testing (CMET). He is an Assistant Professor for the Advanced Wound Healing Center, Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine where he has served continuously as faculty for 35 years. He continues to do research and author multiple articles; he is an internationally known speaker on wound healing and related topics.

DAY 1

7:30 – 8:00 am

Registration

8:00 – 9:00 am

David Novicki, DPM

- Hallux Rigidus
- Stump Neuroma

9:00 – 10:30 am

Scott Pickett, DPM

Osteomyelitis Charcot, When Surgery is Not an Option

10:30 am – Noon

J. Kevin West, Esq. and Mike Demi

Hot topics

LUNCH

1:00 – 2:30 pm

Bryan Markinson, DPM

Interesting Podiatric Cases

2:30 – 4:00 pm

G. Dock Dockery, DPM

Pyoderma Gangrenosum & Dermatology Quiz

4:00 – 5:00 pm

Daniel Schulman, DPM

- Highly Versatile Fixation Method for Forefoot
- Reconstruction (Primary and Revision) Using Human Allograft Cortical Bone Pins

5:00 – 6:00 pm

Alex McKanna, DPM

Technique to Weight Bear your Haglunds Immediately and Recover Faster

6:00 – 7:30 pm

Steve Kravitz, DPM, FAPWHc

- You CAN do it, but SHOULD you? Review of Case Review of Case Complication of Sclerotherapy
- Compression Therapy: Management and the Physiologic Response to Venous Disease and Ulcer healing

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BRYAN C. MARKINSON, DPM is the Chief of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery and Associate Professor in the Leni and Peter W. May Dept. of Orthopedic Surgery of the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai in New York City. He is certified by the American Board of Podiatric Medicine. Dr. Markinson founded the Podiatric Pathology service at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine. Currently, he is an instructor in the Department of Dermatologic Surgery and Team Member of the Skin Cancer and Melanoma Unit of the Tisch Cancer Center. He is a frequent lecturer nationally on various aspects of podiatric dermatology and nail pathology. In 2004, he was elected to the Board of Trustees of the Council for Nail Disorders, a position he still holds. His areas of special interest are skin and nail fungal infections, pedal melanoma, soft tissue masses, pedal dermatitis, longitudinal melanonychia, and podiatric dermatological risk management.

ALEX MCKANNA, DPM received his BS in biology with two minors in chemical instrumental analysis and Spanish at the University of St. Francis in Joliet, IL and attended medical school at Dr. William Scholl College of Podiatric Medicine in Chicago, IL. After graduating in 2015, he completed a three-year residency at Franciscan Health/ Midwestern University. He is board qualified by the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgery in foot surgery and rearfoot and ankle reconstruction. He has a special interest in pediatric podiatry focusing on lower extremity conditions in children. He specializes in diabetic wound care and limb salvage and has been in practice since 2018.

DAVID NOVICKI, DPM is an assistant professor of surgery, Yale University School of Medicine, Department of Orthopedics and Rehabilitation. Current chairman of the Board of Trustees, Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine. Past president of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons. Past president of the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgeons.

TEJAS R. PANDYA, DPM, Diplomate ABFAS; ABMSPM; Certified HBO for wound care, Integra Wound Treatment Certified, Dermal fillers certified

NARENDRA PATEL, DPM Fellow of the American College of Foot & Ankle Surgeons; Chief Podiatric Foot & Ankle Surgery, Alexian Brothers Medical Center; Reconstructive Foot & Ankle Surgeon Specializing in Deformity Correction of the Lower Limb, Achilles, Ankle, Foot and Peripheral Nerve Surgery

SCOTT PICKETT, DPM is a podiatrist in Schenectady, NY specializing in foot & ankle medicine. He graduated from New York College of Podiatric Medicine in 1994 and has 29 years of experience.

DANIEL SCHULMAN, DPM Board Certified since September of 2002 by the American Board of Podiatric Surgery and licensed by the State of Arizona since 1998, Dr. Schulman has been honored with the Bergmann Award for Proficiency in Orthopedics in May of 1997, as well as the Illinois Podiatric Medical Association Award for Meritorious Service (1997). Currently, Dr. Schulman had been recognized by the medical community as a "Top Doc" in Phoenix Magazine for multiple years.

J. KEVIN WEST, ESQ. is a senior healthcare attorney with extensive experience representing healthcare providers. He has been a trusted advocate for providers in more than 1,000 cases involving audits, investigations, medical malpractice and licensure board disciplinary matters.

DAY 2

Saturday, September 9

7:30 – 9:00 am

Edward Glaser, DPM

Biomechanics of the Foot - MASS Posture Theory
Introducing a New Break in Period Paradigm - RRR

9:00 – 10:30 am

Narendra Patel, DPM

Surgical Management of Chronic Peripheral Nerve Pain

10:30 – 11:15 am

Bryan Markinson, DPM

Interesting Podiatric Cases Part II

11:15 am – Noon

G. Dock Dockery, DPM

Excision vs Flaps: Which is Better

LUNCH

Hands On Pigs Feet Workshop 1:00 - 5:00 pm

1:00 – 2:00 pm

Bryan Markinson, DPM.

Biopsy Technique

2:00 – 3:00 pm

Bryan Markinson, DPM

Biopsy Pigs feet Workshop

3:00 – 4:00 pm

G. Dock Dockery, DPM

Plastic Flaps

4:00 – 5:00 pm

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Plastic Surgery Pigs Feet Workshop

5:00 – 6:00 pm

Tejas Pandya, DPM

Podiatric Practice Management