

8TH ANNUAL 25-HOUR PROGRAM IN
**LOWER EXTREMITY
MEDICINE AND SURGERY**

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Program Objectives

After this session, attendees will be able to identify key strategies for improving patient care utilizing new techniques in surgery and wound care and appropriate treatments regarding vascular and diabetic disorders.

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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The ACLES 2025 25-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 has 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 25 continuing education contact hours.

Host Hotel

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ROBERT BUSCH, MD is an endocrinologist who cares for patients with a wide range of endocrine disorders. He also routinely conducts clinical trials and, for more than two decades, has worked with patients to test new drugs to treat diabetes and complications from it, including heart disease, kidney disease and eye diseases. Dr. Busch completed a fellowship in endocrinology at Albany Medical College and completed residency training at North Shore University Hospital. He earned his medical degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

DANIEL DAVIS, DPM, FAPWH is board certified in Foot and Ankle Surgery by the American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgery® and by the American Board of Podiatric Medicine, with over 30 years in practice. He earned his B.S. in Biology from Bucknell University, where he was a standout track athlete, before completing his Doctorate in Podiatric Medicine at the Temple University School of Podiatric Medicine (formerly the Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine) in 1980. While at TUSPM, he competed in the Penn Relays marathon, and later completed his residency at Parkview Hospital, serving as chief resident. In 2017, he was awarded an Honorary Degree by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow. Dr. Davis is a Fellow of both the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons and the American Podiatric Sports Medicine Association, and he holds certifications in wound care and hyperbaric oxygen therapy from the National Wound Healing Association.

G. "DOCK" DOCKERY, DPM, FACFAS is a Fellow and past Board Director of the American College of Foot & Ankle Surgeons, and also 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. He is dual board certified in Foot and Ankle Surgery by the American Board of Foot & Ankle Surgery and in Podiatric Orthopedics by the American Board of Podiatric Medicine. A Distinguished Practitioner in the National Academies of Practice, he has been recognized by Podiatry Management magazine as one of America's most influential podiatrists in both 2006 and 2012. Dr. Dockery has authored more than 152 peer-reviewed scientific articles and is widely regarded for his contributions to podiatric medicine and surgery. He is the founder, Chairman of the Board, and Director of Scientific Affairs of the International Foot & Ankle Foundation for Education and Research, established in 1979.

MARTIN G. FERRILLO, DO joined the Albany and Saratoga Centers for Pain Management in 2006 after completing his Pain Management Fellowship from SUNY Downstate Medical Center. He completed his Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Residency at Nassau University Medical Center in 2005. Dr. Ferrillo is board certified by both the American Board of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and by the American Board of Pain Medicine. He has a special interest in the treatment of Spinal Stenosis, Complex Regional Pain Syndrome and painful Neuropathies.

JEFFERY HNATH, MD is board certified in general surgery, as well as in vascular surgery. Dr. Hnath offers the latest in minimally invasive vascular surgery, including stents, endografts and laser vein ablations. He also specializes in complex vascular cases and high-risk patients, focusing on arterial balloon angioplasty and stent placement, endovascular aortic aneurysm repairs, arterial insufficiency, varicose veins, open thoracic and abdominal aneurysm repairs, dialysis access placement, and carotid artery disease.

DAY 1

Friday, October 3

7:00 – 7:30 am

Registration

7:30 – 8:30 am

Dan Davis, DPM

Limb Salvage

8:30 – 10:00 am

Alex McKenna, DPM

Bone Tumors

10:00 – 10:15 am

Break with Exhibitors

10:15 am – 12:15 pm

Scott Pickett, DPM

DFU and Osteomyelitis

12:15 – 1:15 pm

Lunch

1:15 – 3:15 pm

Dock Dockery, DPM

- Treatment of Scars
- Lower Extremity Dermatology

3:15 – 3:30 pm

Jeffery Hnath, MD

Venous Disease in Clinical Practice

3:30 – 3:45 pm

BREAK with EXHIBITORS

3:45 – 5:15 pm

Brett Voigt, DO

Vascular Evaluation of the Lower Extremity

5:15 – 7:15 pm

Allen Jacobs, DPM

- Malpractice and Failure to Biopsy
- Malpractice and Complex Regional Pain

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ALLEN M. JACOBS, DPM, FAPWHc is in private practice in St. Louis, Missouri. He is board certified in reconstructive surgery of the foot and ankle by the American Board of Podiatric Surgery, and is a Fellow of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons. For 25 years, Dr. Jacobs served as a Director of Podiatric Surgical Residency Training; and has also served as a contributing editor to the Journal of Foot Surgery, Podiatry Today, Foot and Ankle Quarterly and Clinics in Podiatric Medicine and Surgery. Additionally, Dr. Jacobs has served as the Scientific Chairman of the American Podiatric Medical Association, The Missouri Podiatry Society, and on the Journal Management Committee of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgery. He was the first podiatrist to receive the rank of Fellow by Temple University. He was voted a Lifetime Achievement Award and to The Podiatry Hall of Fame. He has received numerous awards from the APMA and ACFAS for his dedication to podiatry and podiatric education, as well as recognition from the governors of Missouri, Arkansas and Massachusetts. He has published over 80 scientific articles in various publications and 17 chapter contributions in various textbooks, and has presented over 1000 papers at podiatric and medical society meetings. He is a nationally recognized author, researcher and a noted authority of surgery of the foot.

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.

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 has professional memberships with the Illinois Podiatric Medical Association, the Association of Extremity Nerve Surgeons, the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons, and the American Podiatric Medical Association. 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.

DAY 2

Saturday, October 4

8:00 – 9:30 am

David Novicki, DPM

- Hallux Limitus
- Stump Neuroma

9:30 – 10:30 am

Robert Busch, MD

GLP 1 and SGLT2: The Dynamic Duo. Modern Treatment of Type 2 Diabetes

10:30 – 10:45 am

BREAK with EXHIBITORS

10:45 am – Noon

Steven Kravitz, DPM

Preventing Rocker Bottom Foot thru Early Diagnosis of Charcot Joint Disease,

Noon – 1:00 pm

LUNCH

1:00 – 3:00 pm

Dock Dockery, DPM

Pediatric Viral Infections, LE Warts

3:00 – 3:15 pm

BREAK with EXHIBITOR

3:15 – 4:15 pm

Marlene Reid, DPM

Understanding CVI vs. Lymphedema and How DPMs Can Treat Lower Extremity Edema

4:15 – 5:15 pm

Dan Davis, DPM

Biological and Psycho-Social Impediments to Wound Healing

5:15 – 7:15 pm

Allen Jacobs, DPM

- Who determines the standard of care for bunion surgery?
- When is heel pain nerve pain?

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NARENDRA R. PATEL, DPM is a highly skilled foot and ankle surgeon and partner at Barrington Orthopedic Specialists in the Northwest Suburbs of Chicago. He specializes in treating a wide range of conditions, including sports injuries, fractures, peripheral nerve injuries, ankle replacement, and complex trauma and Charcot reconstruction. A graduate of the New York College of Podiatric Medicine, he completed a three-year surgical residency and has been in practice since 1997. Dr. Patel serves as Faculty Attending Surgeon for the Ascension St. Joseph's Surgical Residency Program and as Fellowship Trainer for Complex Deformity Correction and Microsurgical Limb Reconstruction. Known for his compassionate approach and commitment to advanced techniques, he is recognized as one of the most trusted foot and ankle surgeons in the region.

SCOTT PICKETT, DPM, FAPWHC specializes in the diagnosis, treatment and preventive care of foot and ankle problems in Schenectady, New York. He is Board certified by the American Academy of Wound Management. He attended the New York College of Podiatric Medicine with residencies at the New York College of Podiatric Medicine, United Health Services Hospitals and Wilson Memorial Regional Hospital.

MARLENE REID, DPM is a surgically trained specialist in foot reconstruction and trauma who commonly treats tendon disorders, chronic foot and ankle pain, and podiatric orthopedic deformities. She has been named multiple times to Podiatry Management's list of America's Most Influential Podiatrists and is a Distinguished Practitioner of the National Academies of Practice. A past president of both the Illinois Podiatric Medical Association and the American Association for Women Podiatrists, she has also served as Chairman of the APMA's Public Education and Information Committee and as Director of Medical Education for the residency program at Chicago's Sacred Heart Hospital. For many years, Dr. Reid has been a national spokesperson for the American Podiatric Medical Association and is recognized as an expert on women's foot deformities, shoes, and their impact on foot health.

BRETT VOIGT, DO is a vascular surgeon at Albany Medical Center in New York. He completed his medical degree at Rocky Vista University College of Osteopathic Medicine and his undergraduate studies at Loyola University Chicago. Previously practicing in Des Moines, Iowa, Dr. Voigt has experience in treating various vascular disorders, including peripheral arterial and mesenteric diseases.

DAY 3

Sunday, October 5

8:00 – 9:00 am

Martin Ferrillo, DO

Innovation in Treating Chronic Pain Including DPN

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Alex McKenna, DPM

- Haglunds with Immediate Post Op Weight-bearing
- Lateral Ankle Ligament Reconstructions

12:00 – 1:00 pm

William J. Sarchino, DPM

- Wounds with Graphs
- Biopsy Ulcers

1:00 – 2:00 pm

Nahendra Patel, DPM

Surgical Management of Peripheral Nerve Pain

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QUESTIONS?

Call Dr. William Sarchino at 518-692-0602.