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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Board-certified foot and ankle surgeon with extensive experience in reconstructive surgery, diabetic limb salvage, trauma, wound care, and medical-legal consultation. Chief of the Department of Podiatry and Residency Program Director at St. Michael's Medical Center. Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine at New York Medical College. Experienced in independent medical examinations (IMEs), standards of care analysis, medical malpractice review, expert reports, depositions, and trial testimony.

CLINICAL PRACTICE

Curalta Foot & Ankle – Ridgewood

400 Route 17 South
Ridgewood, NJ 07450
Phone: (201) 445-2288

Curalta Foot & Ankle – Newark

St. Michael's Medical Center
111 Central Avenue
Newark, NJ 07102

ACADEMIC AND HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

St. Michael's Medical Center

Chief, Department of Podiatry (2019–Present)

Director, Podiatric Medicine and Surgery Residency Program (2019–Present)

New York Medical College

Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine (2021–Present)

MEDICAL-LEGAL CONSULTING

Best Foot Forward LLC

ExpertFootandAnkle.com

Medical Expert Witness and Consultant

Services include:

- Medical malpractice review
 - Independent Medical Examinations (IMEs)
 - Standards of care analysis
 - Causation opinions
 - Record review
 - Expert reports
 - Depositions
 - Trial testimony
 - Case preparation for plaintiff and defense counsel
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HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS

- Valley Hospital – Ridgewood, New Jersey
 - St. Michael's Medical Center – Newark, New Jersey
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BOARD CERTIFICATION

American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (FACFAS)

Board Certified in Foot Surgery

2015–Present

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP

New Jersey Podiatric Medical Society

Advisor to the Executive Board (2019–Present)

Past President (2018–2019)

President (2017–2018)

President-Elect (2016–2017)

Vice President (2015–2016)

Treasurer (2014–2015)

Secretary (2013–2014)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

St. John's Soup Kitchen and Medical Clinic

Newark, New Jersey

Volunteer physician providing:

- Diabetic foot screenings
 - Wound care
 - Limb preservation education
 - Foot and ankle treatment for underserved patients
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RESIDENCY TRAINING

St. Michael's Medical Center

Podiatric Medicine and Surgery Residency

Newark, New Jersey

2006–2009

EDUCATION

New York College of Podiatric Medicine

Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)

New York, New York

2002–2006

Muhlenberg College

Bachelor of Science

Allentown, Pennsylvania

1998–2002

RESEARCH, PRESENTATIONS & LECTURES

- Advances in Materials and Techniques in Foot and Ankle Surgery
 - New Technology in the Treatment of Lower Extremity Wounds
 - Amputation Prevention and Limb Salvage in the Diabetic Foot
 - Management of Complex Foot and Ankle Fractures
 - Complicated Diabetic Foot Infections
 - Surgical Management of Charcot Neuroarthropathy
 - Biomechanics of the Foot and Ankle
 - Advances in Diabetic Limb Preservation
 - Foot and Ankle Trauma
 - Resident Education and Surgical Training
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AREAS OF CLINICAL EXPERTISE

- Foot and Ankle Trauma
- Diabetic Limb Salvage
- Charcot Foot Reconstruction
- Foot and Ankle Fractures
- Wound Care
- Osteomyelitis
- Gangrene
- Peripheral Arterial Disease
- Sports Injuries
- Achilles Tendon Disorders

- Bunion Surgery
 - Flatfoot Reconstruction
 - Revision Foot and Ankle Surgery
 - Complex Infections
 - Biomechanics
 - Lower Extremity Reconstruction
 - Independent Medical Examinations
 - Medical Malpractice
 - Standards of Care
 - Causation Analysis
 - Expert Witness Consultation
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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Fellow, American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (FACFAS)
- New Jersey Podiatric Medical Society