

Dr. Kyle T. Pearson
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Employment

Rezin Orthopedics and Sports Medicine
Morris, Illinois
Board Certified Foot and Ankle Surgeon
2014 – Present

Deerpath Foot and Ankle Institute
Morris, Illinois
Director
2014- Present

Appointments

Board Review Committee for the National Board Exam
American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgeons
2017-present

Board of Directors
Deerpath Orthopedic Surgery Center
2017-present

Medical Utilization Review Committee – Morris Hospital
Morris, IL
2016 – Present

Board of Directors
Illinois Podiatric Medical Association
2016 – Present

Attending Teaching Faculty Physician
KSB Foot and Ankle Residency Program
2015 – Present

Hospital/Surgery Center Affiliations

Morris Hospital
Morris, Illinois
2014 – Present

Presence Saint Joseph Medical Center
Joliet, Illinois

2014 – Present

Deerpath Surgery Center
Morris, Illinois
2014 – Present

OSF Saint Elizabeth Medical Center
Ottawa, Illinois
2014 – 2015

Education

University of Pittsburgh Medical Center – PMSR - RRA
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Surgical Resident in Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery
Chief Resident
Graduated June 2014

Des Moines University
Des Moines, Iowa
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine
Graduated May 2011
GPA 4.0 and 93.4% - Ranked 8/61 Clinical Rank - 1/61

Des Moines University
Des Moines, Iowa
Masters of Health Care Administration
Graduated May 2011
GPA 4.0

Luther College
Decorah, Iowa
Bachelor of Arts and Science - Biology
Pre-Medicine with Honors
Graduated May 2007
GPA 3.5; Cum Laude

Advanced Training/Courses

Integra Medical: Cadence Total Ankle Replacement Certification
Chicago, IL - 2017

Wright Medical: Prophecy Infinity and Inbone Total Ankle Replacement Certification
Chicago, IL - 2015

SBi: Scandinavian Total Ankle Replacement Certification

New York City, NY - 2014
 Arthrex: Podiatry Fellows and Chief Resident Course
 Naples, FL - 2014
 Stryker: Advanced Foot and Ankle Reconstruction Course
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL - 2014
 Arthrex: Advanced Techniques in Tendon Fixation and Arthroscopy
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2014
 Synthes: Master Techniques in Midfoot Fusion
 Pittsburgh, Pa - 2014
 Synthes: Master Techniques in Ankle and Hindfoot Fusion
 Pittsburgh, Pa - 2013
 SBi: Master Techniques in External Fixation for Deformity Correction and Limb Salvage
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2013
 Arthrex: Advanced Techniques in Tendon Fixation and Arthroscopy
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2013
 Wright Medical: Master Techniques in Plating Technology
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2013
 American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA): Foot and Ankle Arthroscopy
 Washington D.C. - 2012
 OrthoFix: Deformity Correction with External Fixation
 Lewisville, TX - 2012
 Podiatric Basic AO Course
 Dallas, TX - 2012
 Synthes: Master Techniques in Circular External Fixators and Osteogenesis
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2012
 Synthes: Master Techniques in Intramedullary Fixation for Hindfoot Fusion
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2012
 Synthes: Master Techniques in Delta Frame External Fixators
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2011
 Arthrex: Master Techniques in Tendon Fixation and Arthroscopy
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2011
 Stryker: Instructional Course T2 Hindfoot Nail
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2011
 Wound Healing Products Lab
 Pittsburgh, PA - 2011

Research

MRI Analysis of Peroneal Tendon Pathology Associated with Low Lying Peroneus Muscle Belly: A Case Control Study. Co authors: Highlander PD, Burns PB. Accepted for publication Foot Ankle Spec. 2015 Mar;

Squamous Cell Carcinoma With Chronic Osteomyelitis. Co authors: Wukich D, Monaco S. Accepted for publication Foot Ankle Spec. 2015 Mar;

Limited Open Reduction with Percutaneous Fixation for Displaced Intra-articular Calcaneus Fractures. Co author: Gruen G APMA News. 2014. Sept; 26: 2

Intermediate and Long Term Outcomes of the Suture Bridge Technique for Insertional Achilles Tendinopathy. Co authors: Greenhagen R, Shinabarger AB, Burns PR. Foot Ankle Spec. 2013 Jun; 6(3):185-90

Self-Reported Outcomes of Trans-tibial Amputations for Non-reconstructable Charcot Neuroarthropathy in Patients with Diabetes: A Preliminary Report. Co author: Wukich, DK. Diabetes Medicine. 2013 Mar; 30(3):e87-90

MHA/DPM Alumns Perceived Value of the Clinical Dual Degree Program. Co author: Stebbins C. JAPMA. 2013 Jan-Feb; 103(1):56-66

Outcomes regarding ORIF versus Primary Fusion for C2 and C3 Pilon Fractures. Co author: Highlander PD, Gruen GS.
- IRB Approved

Beaming of the Medial Column with a Solid Bolt and Dorsal Plate for Midfoot Collapse Secondary to Charcot Neuroarthropathy: A Case Series Co authors: Dikis A, Beckler A, Burns PB.
- IRB Approved

Accepted Scientific Posters

Beaming of the Medial Column with a Solid Bolt and Dorsal Plate for Midfoot Collapse Secondary to Charcot Neuroarthropathy: A Case Series
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons - Annual Scientific Conference, 2014

MRI Analysis of Peroneal Tendon Pathology Associated with Low Lying Peroneus Muscle Belly: A Case Control Study
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons - Annual Scientific Conference, 2014

MHA/DPM Alumns Perceived Value of the Clinical Dual Degree Program
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons - Annual Scientific Conference, 2012

Systematic Analysis on the Complications and Healing Rates with Total Contact Casts
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons - Annual Scientific Conference, 2012

MRI Analysis of Anatomic Variants Associated with Peroneal Tendon Pathology
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons - Annual Scientific Conference, 2012

Toe Fillet Flap for Closure of Diabetic Ulcers
Des Moines University Foot and Ankle Symposium, 2010

Podium Presentations/Scientific Lectures

Calcaneal Fractures Past, Present, and Future
To Lapidus or Not to Lapidus; Pannel Discussion
Illinois Podiatric Medical Association
Annual Scientific Conference, 2018 – Chicago, IL

Osteomyelitis: Treatment Options with Staged Reconstruction for the Foot and Ankle
KSB Residency Complication Course, 2018 – Rockford, IL

Surgical and Non-Surgical Treatment Options for Tendon Pathology
The Anecdote: Something I'm Doing That's Not in the Book
Illinois Podiatric Medical Association
Annual Scientific Conference, 2017 – Chicago, IL

Advanced Wound Healing Options for Chronic Wounds
American Society of Podiatric Surgeons Webinar Lecture Series, 2017

Ruptured Achilles Tendon
Round Table Discussion: If I had a Mulligan
University of Pittsburgh Foot and Ankle Residency Program
Annual Scientific Conference, 2017 – Pittsburgh, Pa

Ankle Sprain and Ankle Instability
Midwest Podiatry Annual Scientific Conference, 2017 – Chicago, IL

Treatment of the Malunited Calcaneal Fracture
KSB Foot and Ankle Annual Complications Course, 2017 – Rockford, IL

Surgical Treatment Options for Chronic Ankle Instability
Athletico Physical Therapy Lecture Series, 2016 – Morris, IL

Addressing Chronic Wounds: Techniques in debridement
Addressing Chronic Wounds: Use of Allograft Skin
Topics in STJ Post Traumatic Arthritis: Dealing with Loss of Height
Difficult Trauma Cases: Talar Neck and Body
Difficult Trauma Cases: Calcaneal Fractures
American Society of Podiatric Surgeons
Annual Scientific Conference, 2015 – Baltimore, MD

Diabetes and Foot Health
Morris Hospital Lecture Series, 2015 – Morris, IL

Ankle Instability

ATI Physical Therapy Lecture Series, 2014 – Shorewood, IL

Heel Pain

ATI Physical Therapy Lecture Series, 2014 – Joliet, IL

Self-Reported Outcomes of Trans-tibial Amputations for Non-reconstructable Charcot

Neuroarthropathy in Patients with Diabetes: A Preliminary Report

American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons –

Annual Scientific Conference, 2013 – Las Vegas, NV

Awarded Honorable Mention for Scientific Manuscript at Conference

Calcaneal Fractures

UPMC Podiatric Residency AOFAS Lecture Series, 2013 – Pittsburgh, PA

Posterior Tibial Tendon Dysfunction

UPMC Podiatric Residency AOFAS Lecture Series, 2013 – Pittsburgh, PA

Wound Healing: Principles, Current Concepts, and Treatment Protocol

UPMC Podiatric Residency AOFAS Lecture Series, 2012 - Pittsburgh, PA

AO Principles and Techniques

UPMC Podiatric Residency Wet Lab Lecture Series, 2012 - Pittsburgh, PA

Hypertensive and Hypercholesterolemia Medicine

UPMC Podiatric Residency Wet Lab Lecture Series, 2012 - Pittsburgh, PA

Anatomy of the Foot and Ankle

UPMC Podiatric Residency AOFAS Lecture Series, 2011 - Pittsburgh, PA

Various Case Presentations on Foot and Ankle Surgical Procedures

Presented on cases personally completed to faculty and co-residents

UPMC Podiatric Residency Weekly Radiology Rounds Series, 2011-2014

Pittsburgh, PA

Toe Fillet Flap for Wound Closure

Des Moines University College of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery

Pi Delta Honor Society Grand Rounds, 2010 - Des Moines, IA

Awards

Academic Educator of the Year KSB Foot and Ankle Residency Program, 2017

Voted One of the Best Podiatrist in Greater Grundy County, 2015, 2016, 2017

Honorable Mention Scientific Manuscript Presentation at ACFAS, 2013

Des Moines University Class of 2011 Top Ranked Clinical Performer, 2010 - 2011

Alpha Eta MHA International Allied Health Honor Society, 2011
Pi Delta Podiatric National Honor Society, 2009 - 2011
APMA Educational Foundation Scholarship, 2009 - 2011
Excellence in Surgery Teaching Assistance, 2008
Des Moines University Merit Scholarship, 2007 - 2011
Luther College Dean's List, 2007
Luther College Honors Scholarship, 2004 – 2007

Leadership

Director, KSB Foot and Ankle Residency Program, 2017 – 2018
Board of Directors Deerpath Orthopedic Surgical Center, 2017 – Present
Board of Directors IPMA, 2016 – Present
Board of Directors Rezin Orthopedics, 2016 – Present
UPMC Chief Resident, 2013
UPMC Externship, Interview, and Resident Selection Committee Chair, 2011 – Present
American Academy of Podiatric Sports Medicine Club President, 2008 - 2009
Des Moines University Class of 2011 Treasurer, 2007 - 2011
Des Moines University Surgery Teaching Assistant, 2008 - 2011
Des Moines University Student Ambassador, 2008 - 2011
Des Moines University Tutor, 2008 - 2011
Des Moines University Community Ambassador, 2007 – 2011

Organizations and Affiliations

American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA)
Member, 2011 - Present
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (ACFAS)
Member, 2011 - Present
American Society of Podiatric Surgeons (ASPS)
Member, 2011 - Present
Illinois Podiatric Medical Association (IPMA)
Member, 2014 – Present
Pennsylvania Podiatric Medical Association (PPMA)
Resident Member, 2011 - 2014
Des Moines University Alumni Association
Member, 2011 - Present

Certifications and Licensure

American Board of Foot and Ankle Surgeons
Board Qualified RRA and Foot, May 2014
Board Certified RRA and Foot, May, 2017
Common Wealth of Illinois State Licensure, 2014 – Present

Doctor of Podiatric Medicine
Common Wealth of Pennsylvania State Licensure, 2011 - Present
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine
Controlled Substance Registration Certificate (DEA License), 2011 - Present
Practitioner for Schedules 2, 2N, 3, 3N, 4 and 5
National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners Part I
Passed, July 2009
National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners Part II
Passed, March 2011
National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners Part III
Passed, June 2011
Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support, 2010, 2012, 2014
Basic Life Support, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014