

Dr. Ronnie L. Pollard, D.P.M.

Education

DOCTOR OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE | JUNE, 2011 | MIDWESTERN UNIVERSITY

- Graduated with D.P.M. degree in June 2011
- Award: Ken Suarez Research Excellence Award

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - BIOLOGY | JUNE, 2007 | UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

- Major: Biology
- Minor: Mathematics and Chemistry
- Study Abroad: Copenhagen, Denmark

3-year Surgical Residency

HIGHLANDS/PSL PODIATRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM | JULY, 2014 | DENVER, CO

- Co-Chief Resident during tenure
- PMSR Certification

Professional Experience

OWNER/FOUNDER | ELEVATION FOOT & ANKLE | OCTOBER 2015 - PRESENT

- Owner and founder of Elevation Foot and Ankle, a multi-faceted podiatry practice in Denver, CO.
- Responsible for diagnoses, treatment, and after-care of a multitude of lower extremity conditions within a very diverse and growing patient base.
- Surgically trained including hundreds of successful forefoot and rear/hind-foot procedures to date including trauma, fractures, bunion and hammertoe procedures, and many soft tissue ailments such as plantar fasciitis and neuroma.
- Experienced in diagnosing and treating diabetic foot and ankle issues through incorporating a team of professionals to achieve the patient's end goals.
- Manages a team of medical professionals including front office, billing, office management, and medical staff to achieve the practice's goals.

ASSOCIATE PODIATRIST | PODIATRY ASSOCIATES | JULY 2014 - AUGUST 2015

- Treated patients in fore and rear foot conditions using up to date technological processes and strategies.
- Worked within a large staff of medical professionals
- Reason for leaving: Was presented with the opportunity to go into private practice at Elevation Foot and Ankle which catered to family needs at the time.

Research and Publications

- **LYMPHATIC MALFORMATION IN THE FOOT TREATED WITH SCLEROTHERAPY: A CASE REPORT** - Awaiting publication
- **BOVINE GRAFT FAILURE IN A PATIENT WITH METAL SENSITIVITY: A CASE REPORT** - Awaiting publication

- **DIAGNOSTIC ABILITY OF ULTRASONOGRAPHY OF SOFT TISSUE MASSES IN THE LOWER EXTREMITY - PRESENTED AT ACFAS CONFERENCE 2010**

Professional Memberships

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF FOOT AND ANKLE SURGEONS

- Member Since 2007

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE

- Member Since 2007

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF FOOT AND ANKLE ORTHOPEDICS AND MEDICINE

- Member Since 2007

Medical Volunteer Experience

9 NEWS HEALTH FAIR DENVER, COLORADO

- Volunteer 2011-2014
- Provided foot exams to participants

AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION DENVER, CO

- Volunteer 2009, 2012
- Provided diabetic foot exams to participants and volunteers

HEALTH OUTREACH THROUGH MEDICAL EDUCATION PHOENIX, ARIZONA

- Volunteer 2007-2011
- Provided medical care to under-served residents of Central Arizona

SHELTER SERVICES AND VISTA COLINA EMERGENCY FAMILY SHELTER

- Perform focused histories and physicals and present to supervising physicians

SURGERY AND ANESTHESIA GLENDALE, ARIZONA

- Teaching Assistant Spring 2009
- Mentor first year podiatric medical students and assist them in learning basic techniques

SPECIAL OLYMPICS ARIZONA

- Volunteer 2007-2011
- Provide "Fit Feet" exams to participants and volunteers