

ORTHOPAEDICS



Al DeSimone, M.D., is a board-certified orthopaedic surgeon who specializes in sports medicine. He graduated from the University of Miami School of Medicine and completed his residency at Boston University Medical Center. He is fellowship trained in sports medicine from the University of Colorado, specializing in complex knee and shoulder reconstructive surgery. His interests include arthroscopic surgery, ligament reconstruction and pediatric orthopaedics. He has participated as a team physician for the U.S. Olympic Skiing team, National Rugby team and the Boston University Intercollegiate Athletic Program (Boston University hockey and football.) Dr. DeSimone treats community and professional athletes and is the official orthopaedic surgeon and Director of the Medical All-Star Team for the Florida Panthers. He is the team physician for local sports programs, including high school football and wrestling. He has published articles and presented research on sports medicine, and has a keen interest in exercise, nutrition and alternative medicine. He is currently a diplomat of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons and a fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. He is the director of Sports Medicine at the South Florida Institute of Sports Medicine.

Fernando A. Moya, M.D., Ph.D., is a board-certified orthopaedic surgeon. He has completed his doctoral fellowship at Harvard University, receiving his medical degree from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey (Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.) He completed his orthopaedic training at the University of Puerto Rico, and has a master's and doctoral degree in pharmacology from The Massachusetts College of Pharmacology. His interests include playing sports, spending time with his family and participating in school and local charity events. He is currently the team physician for the Pembroke Pines Charter High School, and is actively involved in community seminars and educational programs designed to help people understand joint pain, sports injuries and joint replacement surgery. He is currently a diplomat of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgeons and a fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. He is the director of Total Joint Replacement Surgery at the South Florida Institute of Sports Medicine.



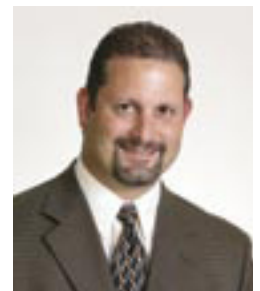
Alexander J. Bertot, M.D., attended medical school at the Medical College of Pennsylvania. He completed his orthopaedic surgery training at Tulane University Medical Center and Charity Hospital of New Orleans, where he served as administrative chief orthopaedic resident. At Tulane, he received the Leneord Mounar Award for outstanding senior resident. He went on to complete a sports medicine fellowship at Johns Hopkins University. At Johns Hopkins, he provided orthopaedic coverage for the school's NCAA football and lacrosse teams, as well as serving as an attending orthopaedic trauma surgeon. Dr. Bertot has published various research articles in some of the leading orthopaedic review journals. He specializes in arthroscopy, shoulder and knee reconstruction, and joint replacement surgery. His interests also include general orthopaedic, pediatric and adult trauma.

PODIATRY



Robert H. Sheinberg, D.P.M., is a board-certified foot and ankle surgeon practicing podiatry in West Broward since 1988. He specializes in treating foot, ankle and leg injuries in infants, children, teenagers and adults. He graduated from the New York College of Podiatric Medicine and completed residencies in Pittsburgh, PA, and Hayward, Fremont and Walnut Creek, CA. His interests include treatment of complex deformities in children and adults. He is a Fellow of the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons, and a diplomat of the American Board of Podiatric Surgery. He has coauthored a surgical textbook on foot and ankle trauma in 1988, and continues to perform research on injuries and deformities to the lower extremity. He is married with four children, and continues to be involved in local community charities, and many family activities. He is the director of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery at the South Florida Institute of Sports Medicine.

Augustine A. Bollo, D.P.M., received his medical degree from the Ohio College of Podiatric Medicine and completed his surgical residency for foot and ankle surgery at West Pennsylvania Hospital in Pittsburgh, PA. He is a board-certified surgeon specializing in reconstructive foot and ankle surgery. His emphasis is on treatment of complex deformities and fractures in children and adults. Dr. Bollo has been practicing in South Florida since 1996 and is on staff at Plantation General, Weston Outpatient Surgical Center, Weston Health Park, Memorial Hospital Pembroke and Memorial Hospital West (where he currently is the sole podiatrist with both foot and ankle surgery privileges). Active in his community, Dr. Bollo coaches childrens softball, baseball, and soccer. He is married with three children.



PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

Eric Bronson, PA-C, started his undergraduate studies at Broward Community College for pre-med with microbiology. After having received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Nova University, he served in the U. S. Army Reserve Corps as a lab tech. He was a distinguished honor graduate of his class, and was the first reservist to be chosen for the M4 blood banking school. He started his physician assistant studies at Miami-Dade and received a degree in 2002. He is currently NC-CPA-certified with a surgical recognition. He is a member of the Florida Association of Physician Assistants and the American Academy of Physician Assistants. He enjoys spending time with his wife and three children, and has a passion for sports.



Paul Buchanan, PA-C, began his studies at University of New Hampshire, graduating with a B.S. in wildlife management. He then served as a police officer for the National Park Service, as well as a border patrol agent. He then worked as orthopaedic technician in Fairfax, VA. He attended Nova Southeastern University, where he served as his class president and received the Physician Assistant Susan Lindahl Memorial Scholarship. He graduated in 2003 with a master's in medical science, as well as a B.S. in physician assistant studies. He is NCCPA-certified, and is a current member of the Florida Academy of Physician Assistants and other affiliated organizations.

