



THE PODIATRY INSTITUTE

*The 40th Annual
Sanibel Conference*

HALLUX VALGUS & RELATED FOREFOOT SURGERY

WITH OPTIONAL FLORIDA PACKAGE WORKSHOP

NOVEMBER 5-8

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This is a PICA approved
risk management seminar.



THURSDAY

NOVEMBER 5

7:00 am-7:25 am

REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST IN THE EXHIBIT HALL

7:25 am-7:30 am

WELCOME TO SANIBEL

7:30 am-10:45 am

DIABETES AND RELATED MEDICAL TOPICS

Charcot, Physiology of Development

Evaluation for Surgical Management of the Recalcitrant Ulcer

Stage "Zero" Charcot

Charcot

Charcot Foot & Ankle: When Is Surgery Indicated

Forefoot Amputations and Flap of Toe Flaps

Question and Answer

10:45 am-11:15 am

MORNING STRETCH WITH THE VENDORS

11:15 am-1:15 pm

SOFT TISSUE

11:15 am - 1:15 pm

Peripheral Nerve injuries: Contemporary Treatment Options

Not Your Average Soft Tissue Mass

Peripheral Nerve Injuries: Part 2

Surgical Wounds Following Elective Cases:

Special Considerations

Question and Answer

1:15 pm-2:15 pm

WELCOME TO SANIBEL POOLSIDE LUNCH

2:15 pm-7:15 pm

FLORIDA PACKAGE

LOCATION: LECTURE HALL

With over 30 years of experience presenting medical legal content to Florida podiatrists, Aron Kimbrell's lecture will fulfill the required 5 hours of content to satisfy your Continuing Education requirements. The presentation will include an hour each to the Florida rules, laws and regulations governing the practice of podiatric medicine, risk management issues and concerns, as well as the newly required course on human trafficking. An additional 2 hours will be devoted to the evaluation and discussion of medical errors and established methods and principles to reduce or eliminate such errors.

FRIDAY

NOVEMBER 6

7:00 am-7:30 am

BREAKFAST

7:30 am-9:45 am

FOREFOOT

Metatarsus Adductus

5th Metatarsal Fractures: Should We Be Operating?

Plantar Plate Repair: Direct vs. Indirect Surgical Approaches

Hammertoes: Options and Decision Making

Hammertoes: Reality Check and What I Prefer

Cost Effective Capsulorrhaphy of the Lesser MPJ

Question and Answer

9:45 am - 10:30 am

MORNING STRETCH WITH THE VENDORS

10:30 am - 1:15 pm

HALLUX VALGUS & MANAGEMENT OF FOREFOOT PATHOLOGY

Anatomic Dissection: The Basis for Success in HAV Surgery

Lapidus: A Great Procedure or a Sales Pitch

1st MTPJ Fusions for Megabunions

Hallux Valgus with Metatarsus Adductus: Fixing the Unfixable

Femoral Head Allograft of the 1st MPJ: Long Term Results

MIS Bunions

The Austin: Is It Obsolete??

Question and Answer



SATURDAY

NOVEMBER 7

7:00 am-7:30 am

BREAKFAST

7:30 am-10:15 am

RELEVANT STUFF

Biomechanics of the Lessor MPJ

Surgical Technique for Plantar Heel Surgery

Teraparotide in Foot & Ankle Surgery

Question and Answer

10:15 am-11:00 am

MORNING STRETCH WITH THE VENDORS

11:00 am-1:15 pm

COMPLICATIONS OF THE FIRST RAY & OTHER STUFF

Lecture Topics Will Be Listed Soon

Complications in HAV Surgery

Question and Answer

UP TO **20 CECHS** MAIN PROGRAM
+ **5 CECHS** OPTIONAL FLORIDA PKg .

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the standards and requirements for approval of providers of continuing education in podiatric medicine. The Podiatry Institute is approved by the Council on Podiatric Medical Education as a provider of continuing education in podiatric medicine. The Podiatry Institute has approved this activity for a maximum of 25 continuing education contact hours.

SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 6

7:00 am-7:30 am

BREAKFAST

7:30 am-11:00 am

REARFOOT

More Lecture Topics Will Be Listed Soon

Peroneal Tendon Repair

Syndesmotic Fixation: Screws, Ropes and Instability

SupraMalleolar Osteotomy: Know When You Need It

Foot Drop

Question and Answer

11:00 am-11:15 am

MORNING STRETCH IN THE FOYER

11:15 am-12:30 pm

FOREFOOT COMPLICATIONS & OTHER FUN STUFF

Case Presentation by the Faculty
with Comments from the Audience and Panel

Final Q&A and Wrap Up



CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of the conference, the participant should be able to:

HALLUX VALGUS SURGERY: The attendee will become familiar with different surgical procedures in the management of associated HAV deformities.

FOREFOOT SURGERY: The attendee will become familiar with different surgical procedures in the management of associated forefoot deformities.

REARFOOT SURGERY: The attendee will be exposed to the various options in trauma repair and how to address the options, risks and long term complications of different procedures on the rearfoot.

COMPLICATIONS: The attendee will be exposed to the various options in trauma repair and how to address the options, risks and long term complications of different procedures.

DIABETES, INFECTIONS, AND WOUNDS: The attendee will become familiar with all different surgical options in the management of diabetes, wounds, and infection cases.

TOPICS OF INTEREST: The attendee will gain knowledge and understanding of various topics that the podiatric physician may encounter related to soft tissue, innovations, etc.

MEDICINE: The attendee will become familiar with the current treatment options and advanced therapies in the various medical conditions that present to a podiatric physician.

DERMATOLOGY: The attendee will gain a better appreciation for the wide array of dermatologic conditions that can present in the skin and nails of the foot. Diagnostic methods and treatment protocols will be reviewed. Indications for biopsy procedures will be discussed in the context of a hands-on workshop that will include the most useful plastic procedures for post-biopsy excisions on the skin of the foot.

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