Introduction

• Overview
  • Roger Williams Medical Center
  • Rotations / Hospitals
  • Benefits / Pay
  • Rhode Island
In the midst of one of the city's oldest neighborhoods

Community-owned and governed health care organization

Provides some of the most advanced specialty care available today

Affiliation with Boston University School of Medicine
Roger Williams Medical Center

- Established in 1878
- 220 beds
- JCAHO accredited
- Residency/Fellowships
  - Internal Medicine
  - Dermatology
  - Infectious Disease
  - Surgical Oncology
  - Heme/Onc
  - Rheumatology
  - Podiatry
Program

- Three year residency program
  - PMSR, 36 months with added rearfoot credential
- 3 Residents / Year
  - 7 total residents
- CRIP/CASPR/CPME
  - Application / Guidelines
- Established over 25 years
  - Cranston General -9yrs
  - RWMC -16yrs

Educational Goals
Our mission is to provide an educational continuum designed to prepare you for graduate work and surgery. Our faculty's primary responsibility is to provide an atmosphere of mature study, thoughtful inquiry and useful experience, in which residents can gain a sound basis for entrance into the field of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery.
Program

PMSR with added rearfoot credential

Residency Director
Dr. Michael Battey

Chief: Division of Podiatry
Dr. David Colannino

Total cases / week: 40-55

- **Attendings ~30**
  - Regular Basis
    - ~15
  - Occasionally
    - ~10

- **Surgical Cases**
  - 3 Primary Hospitals
    - RWMC, Miriam, VA
  - 4 Secondary Hospitals
    - Fatima, Kent, Newport, Hasbro (Pediatrics)
  - 2 surgery centers
  - All within 15 minutes

- **Rotations / Places**
  - RWMC
  - VA – 6 months total
  - Rhode Island Hospital
  - Kent County Hospital: Ortho
  - Electives
  - Offices
1st Year: Medical year

Rotations include

- 4 months of podiatry
- 3 months VA
- Internal Medicine
- Vascular Surgery

- Anesthesia
- Dermatology
- Neurology
- Pathology/Radiology

~250 sx procedures 1st yr alone
Second Year

2nd Year: Surgical
Rotations include

- Podiatry - 7 months
- VA – 6 weeks
- General Surgery
- Infectious Disease
- Rheumatology
3rd Year: Surgical/Elective

Rotations Include

- 8 months podiatry
- 6 weeks Ortho
- Kent County with Foot & Ankle Orthopedic
- Electives – 2 months
- Research
Clinic

- **Clinic Director**
  - Dr. Clyde Fish
- **Held 2-3 Fridays /month**
- **Wide variety podiatric cases**
- **All residents on service participate**
- **Daily clinic for VA resident with wide variety of patients from routine foot care to diabetic limb salvage.**
• Replacement in Metatarsalgia
• PRP with non-healing diabetics wounds
• TN fusion + Evans for Adult Acquired Flat Foot
• Bionix Absorbable screws
• Puncture Wound Study
• Diabetic Critical Pathway
• Mini-Tight Rope for HAV (On-Going)
• Osteocure for Osteochondral Defects (On-Going)
• Arthrosurface for Hallux Limitus/Rigidus (On-Going)

• Osteomed M3-X System - 10 yr study
• Tibialis Anterior Tendon Rupture
• MPJ Arthrodesis for Hallux Limitus
• Decompressional 1st MPJ Osteotomy for Hallux Limitus
• MBA STJ Implant
• Botulinum Toxin Injection for Tibialis Posterior Spasticity
• Bispectoral Index Monitor
• Opteform Allogenic Bone Graft
• AlloDerm: Use as a Soft Tissue
• Providence DVA
  • Located Across the street from RWMC
  • Chief of Podiatry
    • Dr. Vicki Driver

• 4.5 months total in 1st & 2nd years

• Clinic daily, 2-3 surgeries /week

• Diabetic limb salvage

• Advanced wound care

• Research
Lifespan

• RIH/Miriam/Newport
• Chief of podiatry
  • Dr. David Greenberg
• Surgical Cases weekly: 2-10
• High Volume Diabetic Foot Management

The Miriam is named one of America's top hospitals for cardiac care for the third consecutive year.
Charter Care Affiliate: Our Lady Of Fatima

• Chief of Podiatry - Angelo Bigelli, DPM

• Surgical Cases weekly: 2-4 (1-2 Days a week)
  • Predominantly forefoot related cases
• Rhode Island Hospital
  • Rotations
    • Vascular
    • Plastics
  • The hospital provides comprehensive diagnostic and therapeutic services to inpatients and outpatients, as well as pediatrics at its Hasbro Children's Hospital.
  • RIH is designated as the Level I Trauma Center for southeastern New England, providing expert staff and equipment in emergency situations 24 hours a day.
  • It is a major teaching hospital for Brown Medical School.
Typical Cases

- **Forefoot**
  - HAV
  - Hammertoes
  - Lapidus
  - RA reconstruction
  - CBWO

- **Trauma**
  - Digital fractures
  - Lisfranc’s injuries
  - Foreign body

- **Rearfoot**
  - Isolated fusions
  - Flatfoot reconstruction
  - Achilles repair
  - Triple Arthrodesis
  - Ankle Fusion

- **Diabetic Limb Salvage**
Pictures / Cases
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Benefits / Pay

- 2 State Licenses
  - RI and MA
- Health/Dental Benefits
- $1,000 CME for Academics
- Residency Fund: One surgical course / year
- 15 days vacation
- Monthly Food Allowance
- Salary: $55,000-$60,000