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Practice Areas:

Podiatric Medicine
Foot and Ankle Surgery
Ankle Arthroscopy

Regenerative Medicine
Deformity Correction
Medical Legal Services

Dr. Bill J. Metaxas is the principal and chief executive officer of San Mateo Podiatry Group, the most established foot and ankle specialty practice in Northern California, founded in 1917.

Dr. Metaxas' practice includes a variety of medical and surgical issues relating to the foot and ankle, from sports medicine and acute injuries to post traumatic complex limb deformities.

Additionally, Dr. Metaxas also has a medical legal component to his practice, serving as a qualified medical examiner for the State of California and as a medical legal expert witness.

education

Dr. Metaxas is a graduate of Sacred Heart Cathedral College Preparatory and the University of San Francisco, where he completed his undergraduate work earning a Bachelor's of Science in Biological Sciences. He earned his Doctorate in Podiatric Medicine from the New York College of Podiatric Medicine.

Dr. Metaxas then completed his podiatric medical and surgical residency (PM&S-36) under the direction of world renowned Dr. Guido A. LaPorta, DPM, at the prestigious Our Lady of Lourdes Medical Center in Binghamton, NY.

post graduate training and notable rotations

His training focused intensively on podiatric medicine and surgery with an emphasis on reconstructive foot and ankle surgery, advanced external fixation applications, diabetic limb salvage and deformity planning and correction.

Dr. Metaxas completed a surgical rotation at the Sinai Hospital Rubin Institute of Advanced Orthopedics and International Center for Limb Lengthening in Baltimore, Maryland training with world renowned surgeons Dror Paley, MD, John Herzenberg, MD, Janet Conway, MD, Bradley Lamm, DPM and Shawn Standard, MD. His training emphasized advanced orthopedics with adult and pediatric orthopedic deformity planning and correction, a special focus on limb lengthening and deformity correction via external fixation, treatment of non-unions, bone defects and infections, brachymetatarsia, and Ponseti method of clubfoot treatment.

Dr. Metaxas has completed an Orthopedic Trauma Rotation at the Northeastern Pennsylvania Regional Trauma Center at Geisinger's Community Medical Center, in Scranton, PA. His time on the Orthopedic Trauma Service was under the direction of Dr. Eugene Chiavacci, MD. During this time, he participated in the comprehensive acute triage, surgical, and inpatient management of adult orthopedic trauma.

Dr. Metaxas also trained with Dr. Bruce Shafiroff, MD and Dr. Hadley Falk, MD at Plastic and Hand Surgery of Central New York at Crouse Hospital in Syracuse, NY. During his time with Drs. Shafiroff and Falk, his emphasis was on plastic and peripheral nerve surgery.

research

Dr. Metaxas has presented research both domestically and internationally at local and national conferences, focused on applications of existing surgical technologies to small joint surgery and surgery of the foot and ankle to improve patient outcomes.

Dr. Metaxas was a lead author and among the first investigators into the use of monolateral external fixators in rearfoot arthrodesis. He was also the lead author on the initial research into the use of nitinol memory compression staple applications in foot and ankle surgery.

state licensure

California

board certification

Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Medicine
American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons

medical staff memberships

Mills Peninsula Medical Center
Campus Surgery Center
St. Mary's Medical Center
California Pacific Medical Center
San Francisco Surgery Center

professional society memberships

American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons
American Podiatric Medical Association
San Francisco Podiatric Medical Association
 Vice President, 2015-Current
 President, 2013-2014
California Podiatric Medical Association
 Health Policy Committee
 Corporate Relations Committee
California Podiatric Political Action Committee
 Board Member