

FOI Specialties & Services

Provider Specialties:

- Spine Surgery
- Hand & Wrist Surgery
- Foot & Ankle Surgery
- Shoulder & Elbow Surgery
- Adult Hip & Knee Reconstruction & Arthritis Surgery
- Sports Medicine Surgery
- Trauma Specialists
- General Orthopedics
- Interventional Spine & Pain Management
- Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
- Chiropractic
- Primary Care Sports Medicine
- Podiatry
- Neurosurgery

Services:

- Diagnostics
 - » X-Ray
 - » Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)
 - » Computerized Tomography (CT scan)
 - » Ultrasound
 - » Electromyography (EMG)
- Rehabilitation Services
 - » Physical Therapy
 - » Occupational Therapy/Certified Hand Therapy
- Durable Medical Equipment (DME)
- In-Office Dispensary
- Sports-Related Concussion Treatment

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Independent Medical Examination



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Welcome

Our patients are the focus of all we do at Florida Orthopaedic Institute and our goal is to keep you active. We achieve this by providing you with the best orthopedic solutions for virtually every bone, joint, ligament and muscle in the body.

We are different from other orthopedic groups because our team of highly skilled, board certified physicians and surgeons have advanced training, which allows the highest standard of care. We also have surgeons who are fellowship trained, which requires an additional year of study in the orthopedic subspecialties of hand, spine, joint replacement, shoulder and elbow, sports medicine, foot and ankle, and trauma. This expertise is invaluable for proper diagnosis and treatment, providing a level of care unattainable elsewhere in the Tampa Bay Area.

Our philosophy is to first try all appropriate non-surgical methods to increase mobility and function. This may include medication, bracing, injections, physical and/or occupational therapy, or chiropractic services, all of which we provide. Then, and only then, do we suggest surgery.

We are also proud of our strong partnership with USF Health Morsani College of Medicine. In addition to my role as president and chief medical officer of Florida Orthopaedic Institute, I also chair USF's Department of Orthopedic Surgery. Together, we can capitalize on our combined strengths and advance academic orthopedics. This combination offers our patients the finest orthopedic treatment and we believe a substantial benefit to our community, patients, residents, students and faculty.

As one of Florida's largest orthopedic groups, our mission is simple: to provide excellence in clinical outcomes and an exceptional patient experience, while in an environment that fosters growth through teaching, education and research in all aspects of musculoskeletal medicine.

Please let us know if there is anything we can do to further improve your experience. We look forward to serving you!

Sincerely,
Roy Sanders, M.D.
President and Chief Medical Officer

Service Offerings

What is an Independent Medical Exam?

An Independent Medical Exam is a medical evaluation performed by a third-party physician within their subspecialty. The physician provides an unbiased opinion about an injury or condition.

Who is an Independent Medical Examiner?

A board certified physician within their subspecialty who provides a physical examination, review of medical records, and a written report.

Who is an Expert Medical Advisor?

A Florida judge-appointed board certified physician within their subspecialty who provides a physical examination, review of medical records and a written report, deposition or live testimony to assist the judge in determining the matter at hand.

Independent Medical Exam Classifications:

- **Workers' Compensation.** This predominantly occurs when an employee suffers a job-related injury or sickness associated with their employment.
- **Liability Injury situations.** If someone suffers an injury on a property you own, you are often liable for some level of compensation.
- **Personal Injury.** Many personal injury cases involve traffic accidents, accidents in a home, or product defect accidents - also referred to as product liability.

What to Expect?

Our board certified physicians offer the following Independent Medical Exam Services:

- Medical Record Review
- Radiology Review
- Physical Examination
- Detailed Report

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