

Jason T. Huffman | M.D.

ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY OF THE SPINE AND NECK

Treatment of spinal disorders is rapidly evolving with the development of many exciting new operative and non-operative options available to the spine patient. The ever-increasing complexity of patient evaluation and treatment requires a well trained and current spine practitioner. A physician with training in advanced techniques is imperative for insuring the most accurate diagnoses and best treatment options. Despite the rapidly evolving nature of spinal care, Dr. Huffman is committed to understanding and treating the whole patient with diligence and compassion.

Dr. Huffman graduated with honors from Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, PA, earning membership in the prestigious Alpha Omega Alpha medical honor society. He completed orthopaedic residency training at the University of Southern California and was selected as Chief Resident for his final year. Dr. Huffman finished fellowship training at the world renowned Spine Institute at St. John's Hospital in Santa Monica, CA, where he was involved in the development of cutting edge technologies and performed over 100 disc replacement surgeries. Throughout his training, Dr. Huffman has worked with some of the premier spinal care specialists in the country. He is well versed in advanced conservative and operative care of the spine including:

- The latest techniques in non-operative care
- Interventional diagnostic studies and pain management
- Minimally and less invasive surgical techniques
- Percutaneous vertebral fracture treatment
- Fusion alternatives including:
 - o Single and multi-level disc replacement
 - o Dynamic stabilization
 - o Stability-preserving micro-surgery

Dr. Huffman is excited to be serving the Wine Country communities. He and his wife fell in love with the region while undergraduates at U.C. Davis and are thrilled to be returning to the area to work and raise their three boys. Please call 254-7117 in Napa to schedule an appointment or discuss referrals.

COMPREHENSIVE SPINE CARE

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TRAINING

Spine Institute at St. Johns Health Center, Spine Surgery Fellowship, Santa Monica, CA. July 2005.

LAC-USC Medical Center, Orthopaedic Surgery Residency, Los Angeles, CA. June 2004.

LAC-USC Medical Center, Surgical Internship, Los Angeles, CA. June 2000.

EDUCATION

Jefferson Medical College, Doctor of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA. May 1999.

University of California, Davis, Bachelor of Science, Genetics, Davis, CA. June 1993.

HONORS & AWARDS

Recipient, Leonard Marmor Surgical Arthritis Foundation Award for Excellence in Teaching and Leadership, USC Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, 2004.

Recipient, Pfizer Scholars in Pain Management Award, USC Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, 2004.

Administrative Chief Resident, USC Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, 2003-2004.

Recipient, Leopold Z. Goldstein, M.D. Memorial Prize in Obstetrics and Gynecology, Jefferson Medical College, 1999.

Alpha Omega Alpha Honorary Society, Jefferson Medical College, 1998.

Recipient, Society of Academic Emergency Medicine Medical Student Research Grant, 1998.

Dean's List, U.C. Davis, 1992.

Chancellor's Scholar, U.C. Davis, 1990.

LICENSURE

Physician and Surgeon, State of California, April 2001–present.

Fluoroscopy Supervisor and Operator, State of California, December 2001–present.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons

North American Spine Society

Spine Arthroplasty Society

California Orthopaedic Association

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Motion preserving fusion alternatives, Minimally and less invasive surgical techniques, Peri-operative pain management, Non-narcotic management of chronic back pain.

ACTIVITIES & HOBBIES

Spending time with family, skiing, cycling, reading science fiction.