

CHRIS HOEDT, MD

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Adult reconstruction orthopaedic surgeon specializing in primary, complex, & revision hip and knee arthroplasty, with academic, military, quality-improvement, and leadership experience.

EDUCATION & POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

University of Pennsylvania — Philadelphia, PA <i>Adult Reconstruction Orthopaedic Surgery Fellowship</i>	08/2019–08/2020
Cooper University Hospital — Camden, NJ <i>Orthopaedic Surgery Residency</i>	06/2014–06/2019
Eastern Virginia Medical School — Norfolk, VA <i>Doctor of Medicine, 05/2014</i>	08/2009–05/2014
Miami University — Oxford, OH <i>B.A., Psychology (minors: French, Neuroscience), 05/2006; B.S., Zoology, 05/2009</i>	08/2002–05/2009

BOARD CERTIFICATION, LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS

American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery — Board Certified	Through 12/31/2036
North Carolina Physician License #2023-02130	Through 02/04/2027
Tennessee Medical Doctor License #61292	Through 02/29/2028
Kentucky Physician License #59394	Through 02/28/2027
Pennsylvania Medical Physician and Surgeon License #MD467871	Through 12/31/2026
Basic Life Support — American Heart Association	Through 11/2026
Ohio Doctor of Medicine License #35.145826	Expired 06/15/2026

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

East Carolina University Brody School of Medicine <i>Assistant Professor of Orthopedic Surgery</i>	03/2025–06/2029
Vanderbilt University <i>Assistant Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery</i>	06/2021–05/2023
Cooper Medical School of Rowan University <i>Clinical Instructor in Orthopaedic Surgery</i>	06/2018–06/2019

CLINICAL & PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENT

CarolinaEast Physicians <i>Orthopaedic Surgeon</i>	10/2026–Present
Orthopaedics East & Sports Medicine Center <i>Orthopaedic Surgeon</i>	09/2023–09/2026
Vanderbilt University <i>Assistant Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery</i>	06/2021–05/2023
HighPoint Health System (LifePoint) <i>Orthopaedic Surgeon</i>	08/2020–05/2021

HOSPITAL & HEALTH-SYSTEM LEADERSHIP

East Carolina University Health System <i>Co-Director, Joint Replacement Committee</i>	01/2025–09/2026
East Carolina University SurgiCenter <i>Co-Director, Joint Replacement Committee</i>	01/2025–09/2026
East Carolina University Medical Center	01/2025–09/2026

<i>Orthopedic Champion, Enhanced Recovery After Surgery Committee</i>	
Sumner Regional Medical Center	10/2020–04/2021
<i>Vice-Chair, Department of Surgery</i>	
Cooper University Hospital	10/2014–06/2019
<i>Resident Representative, Medical Informatics Committee; O.R. Committee; Process Improvement Committee (Chairman, 2015–2016)</i>	

MILITARY SERVICE

United States Army Reserve — 61M Orthopaedic Surgeon	11/2013–Present
• Rank: Major (O-4), promoted 06/19/2021; Captain (O-3), 06/20/2014; Second Lieutenant, 11/21/2013	
• Deployment: Operation Inherent Resolve, 10/2022–02/2023	
• Awards: Army Commendation Medal; Army Reserve Achievement Medal (×3); National Defense Service Medal; Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Army Service Ribbon	

HOSPITAL PRIVILEGES HISTORY

CarolinaEast Medical Center	10/2026–Present
East Carolina University Medical Center & SurgiCenter — Greenville, NC	11/2023–Present
William Beaumont Army Medical Center — El Paso, TX	10/2022–10/2023
Vanderbilt University Medical Center — Nashville, TN	06/2021–05/2023
Vanderbilt Wilson County Hospital — Lebanon, TN	06/2021–03/2023
Trousdale Medical Center — Hartsville, TN	08/2020–05/2022
Carthage Medical Center — Carthage, TN	08/2020–05/2022
Sumner Regional Medical Center — Gallatin, TN	08/2020–06/2021

EDITORIAL & PEER REVIEW

Journal of Arthroplasty	01/2022–Present
<i>Elite Reviewer & Editorial Board — 85 assignments completed</i>	
• Mentor Reviewer, 03/2026–Present	
• Mentee Reviewer, 08/2021–12/2022	
Arthroplasty Today	05/2018–Present
<i>Elite Reviewer — 79 assignments completed</i>	
American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons Annual Meeting	2022–2025
<i>Abstract Reviewer</i>	

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons	08/2017–Present
<i>Candidate Member, ID #202415</i>	
American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons	08/2014–Present
<i>Candidate Member, ID #1468188</i>	
Society of Military Orthopaedic Surgeons	08/2018–Present
<i>Member, ID #1153</i>	
Eastern Orthopaedic Association	02/2021–Present
<i>Member, ID #2585</i>	

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

Resident Leadership Award, Cooper Bone & Joint Institute	06/2019
Steve Graham Resident Scholarship Award, Cooper Bone & Joint Institute	06/2019
Gold Humanism in Medicine Award, Cooper University Hospital Residents	06/2017
Gold Humanism in Medicine Award — Nominee	06/2018 & 06/2019
Dr. Manser Orthopaedic Surgery Scholarship, EVMS	08/2009–05/2010

PUBLICATIONS

- Hoedt C.** In My Experience™...Biointegrative Collagen Implant Use in Complex Hip and Knee Arthroplasty: Early Clinical Experience and Second-Look Observations. *Journal of Orthopaedic Experience & Innovation*. 2026;7(2). doi:10.60118/001c.168170.
- Patel D, **Hoedt C**, Fuller D. Below Elbow (transradial) amputation. Transradial amputation for a patient with peripheral vascular disease and a chronic left-hand contracture. *AAOS Orthopaedic Video Theater*. 2022 Aug 23.
- Hoedt C**, Kellish A, Frisby J, Rivera C, Kim TW, Gutowski C. Hospital Resource Utilization Associated With Endoprosthetic Reconstruction Versus Primary Arthroplasty. *Orthopedics*. 2021;44(1):e73–e79.
- Shahi A, **Hoedt C**, Boe R, Bullock W, Fayyad A, Miller L, Oliashirazi A. The Risk Factors and an Evidence-Based Protocol for the Management of Persistent Wound Drainage After Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty. *Arthroplasty Today*. 2019;5(3):329–333.
- Hoedt C**, Makar GS, Gutowski CJ, Holdbrook T, Kim TWB, Fuller DA. Recurrent Adolescent Giant-Cell Tumor of the Scaphoid: Scaphoid Excision with Intracarpal Fusion after Failed Curettage and Bone Grafting. *Case Rep Orthop*. 2019;2019:7571486. PMID: 31093399.
- Nahra R, **Hoedt C**, Jagga S, Ren S, Kim TWB. Candida albicans Sacral Osteomyelitis Causing Necrosis of a Sacral Nerve Root: A Case Report. *JBJS Case Connect*. 2017;7(3):e48. PMID: 29252878.
- Abdel MP, Gesell MW, **Hoedt CW**, Meyers KN, Wright TM, Haas SB. Polished trays reduce backside wear independent of post location in posterior-stabilized TKAs. *Clin Orthop Relat Res*. 2014;472(8):2477–2482. doi:10.1007/s11999-014-3621-y. PMID: 24733449.
- Lennes IT, Temel JS, **Hoedt C**, Meilleur A, Lamont EB. Predictors of newly diagnosed cancer patients' understanding of the goals of their care at initiation of chemotherapy. *Cancer*. 2013;119(3):691–699. doi:10.1002/cncr.27787. PMID: 23011902.
- Mauldin KN, Thomas RD, Berry SD, O'Brien WP, **Hoedt CW**. An investigation of auditory dimensional interaction in a bivariate bilateral conditioning paradigm in the rabbit. *J Acoust Soc Am*. 2009;125(5):3205–3213. doi:10.1121/1.3081387. PMID: 19425663.

PODIUM PRESENTATIONS

- Hoedt C**, Kellish A, Gaughan J, Shahi A, DeAngelis R, Shilling J, Kim TW, Gutowski C. Reconstructing Risk Scores in Total Joint Arthroplasty. *American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting*; April 2020; Orlando, FL.
- Hoedt C**, Shahi A, Kim TWB, Shilling JW, Gutowski C. Reconstruction Risk Scores in Primary Joint Reconstruction. *International Congress for Joint Reconstruction South Regional Annual Meeting*; June 2019; Key Largo, FL. Award for Best Question: Knee.
- Hoedt C**, Kellish A, Rivera C, Frisby J, Kim TWB, Gutowski N. Hospital Resource Utilization Associated with Endoprosthetic Reconstruction Versus Primary Arthroplasty. *American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting*; March 2019; Las Vegas, NV; and *Eastern Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting*; October 2018; Amelia Island, FL.
- Shahi A, **Hoedt C**, Parvizi J. Which of the Recommended Tests Based on the 2018 Definition of Periprosthetic Joint Infection Has the Best Performance? *American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting*; March 2019; Las Vegas, NV.
- Shahi A, **Hoedt C**, Rodriguez JA, Shilling JW, Miller L. Preoperative Risk Stratification for Periprosthetic Joint Infection. *International Congress for Joint Reconstruction Middle East*; April 2019; Dubai, UAE.
- Shahi A, **Hoedt C**, Rodriguez JA, Shilling JW, Miller L. Update on Diagnosis of Periprosthetic Joint Infection. *International Congress for Joint Reconstruction Middle East*; April 2019; Dubai, UAE.

Rowe S, Shahi A, **Hoedt C**, Rodriguez JA, Shilling JW, Miller L. In-Hospital Complications of Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty. International Congress for Joint Reconstruction Middle East; April 2019; Dubai, UAE.

Hoedt C, Kim TWB. Case Report of Vanishing Bone Disease of the Pelvis. Arthroplasty Disaster 3rd Annual Conference; September 2018; Miami, FL.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Direct Anterior Total Hip Arthroplasty: Significantly Lower Rates of Deep Venous Thrombosis and Pulmonary Embolism

Eastern Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting, 2019

Which of the Recommended Tests Based on the 2018 Definition of Periprosthetic Joint Infection Has the Best Performance?

American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons Annual Meeting, 2018; Eastern Orthopaedic Association Annual Meeting, 2019

Hospital Resource Utilization Associated with Endoprosthetic Reconstruction Versus Primary Arthroplasty

Musculoskeletal Tumor Society Annual Meeting, 2018; Cooper Medical School Annual Research Day, 2018

Can Aspirin Reduce the Incidence of Persistent Wound Drainage After Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty?

American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons Annual Meeting, 2018

Bilateral Total Knee Replacement in a Sick Cell Patient: A Case Report

Camden Scholars, 2016

Pediatric Giant Cell Tumor of the Scaphoid: A Case Report

Camden Scholars, 2015

Backside Wear in Posterior Stabilized Total Knee Arthroplasty

Virginia Orthopaedic Society, 2013; AAHKS, 2014

Functional Outcomes of Proximal Hamstring Avulsion Repair

Virginia Orthopaedic Society, 2013

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE & SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS

Pharmaceutical PTH Derivatives' Effects on Fracture Healing 05/2006–08/2008

Orthopaedic Research Laboratory, Boston University — Boston, MA

- Presented research findings to GlaxoSmithKline; submitted FDA report and thesis.

Barnes GL, Kakar S, Vora S, Morgan EF, Gerstenfeld LC, Einhorn TA. Stimulation of fracture-healing with systemic intermittent parathyroid hormone treatment. *J Bone Joint Surg Am.* 2008;90 Suppl 1:120–127. doi:10.2106/JBJS.G.01443. PMID: 18292366.

Importance of Proprioception in Learning a Novel Environment 08/2004–02/2005

Spatial Perception & Cognition Laboratory, Miami University — Oxford, OH

Waller D, Greenauer N. The role of body-based sensory information in the acquisition of enduring spatial representations. *Psychol Res.* 2007;71(3):322–332. PMID: 16953434.

Waller D, Loomis JM, Haun DB. Body-based senses enhance knowledge of directions in large-scale environments. *Psychon Bull Rev.* 2004;11(1):157–163. PMID: 15117002.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EVMS Medical Group & Sentara Medical Group 01/2010–06/2014

EPIC Informatics Consultant

Hospital for Special Surgery 05/2010–08/2010

Medical Student Summer Research Fellow

Kaplan <i>MCAT & DAT Teacher, Tutor, and Advisor</i>	08/2010–05/2014
Harvard Medical School, Department of Health Care Policy <i>Project Coordinator</i>	08/2008–08/2009
Boston Medical Center <i>Surgical Infection Analyst & Policy Compliance Manager</i>	05/2008–09/2008
Boston University <i>Teaching Assistant & Tutor — Histology, Biochemistry, and Physiology</i>	08/2007–05/2008

ADDITIONAL LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

Phi Delta Epsilon Medical Fraternity, Ohio Gamma Chapter <i>Member</i>	2004–2006
Sigma Phi Epsilon, Ohio Eta Chapter <i>Chartering Member</i>	01/2003–05/2006