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Dr. Akhtar trained as an orthopedic surgeon at Western Michigan University and the University of Pennsylvania and specializes in joint replacement of the hip and knee. He has 15 years of surgical and non-surgical experience and treats not only hip and knee arthritis but also general orthopedic conditions- fractures; sports injuries; hand injuries; joint replacement. He is in private practice in Austin, Texas. He is active in both surgical and non-surgical treatment of orthopedic conditions and sees many second and third opinions for complex cases. He has current hospital privileges at St. David's Medical Center; St. David's North Austin Medical Center; Seton Northwest Hospital; Northwest Hills Surgical Hospital. He is board certified in orthopedic surgery by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgery and is licensed in Texas. He is available as an expert witness for both plaintiff and defense counsel for orthopedic cases.

**AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Hip joint replacement  
Knee joint replacement  
Bone fractures  
General orthopedics

**LEGAL EXPERIENCE**

I have been a consultant for both plaintiff and defense attorneys since 2017. I have the expertise to render opinions on cases involving not only problems with joint replacements of the hip and knee, but also general orthopedic cases such as injuries to nerves; blood vessels; tendons and ligaments; and broken bones (aka fractures).

**PERSONAL**

Citizenship	USA
Languages Spoken	English
Texas State Medical License (License Number P6311)	2013
American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery: Diplomate	2012
Part II (oral): American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery	2012
Virginia State Medical License (License Number 0101249467, inactive)	2011
Pennsylvania State Medical License (License Number MD435891, inactive)	2009
Part I (written): American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery	2008

**GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION**

University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA	Fellow, Adult Reconstruction Surgery	2009
Western Michigan University Kalamazoo, MI	Chief Resident, Orthopaedic Surgery	2008
Western Michigan University Kalamazoo, MI	Resident, Orthopaedic Surgery	2003-2007

**EDUCATION**

Rutgers-New Jersey Medical School Newark, NJ	M.D.	2003
University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA	M.S. Systems Engineering	1997
Rutgers University New Brunswick, NJ	B.S. Electrical Engineering	1996

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND APPOINTMENTS**

Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery & Perioperative Care, UT-Dell Medical School, Austin, TX	2016-
Partner, Capital City Orthopaedics PA, Austin TX	2013-
Staff Orthopaedic Surgeon, Mid-Atlantic Permanente Medical Group, Rockville MD	2009-2013
Clinical Instructor, Department of Surgery, Michigan State University	2003-2008

**EDITORIAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

Journal of Arthroplasty, Reviewer	2014-
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**PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

Fellow, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS)
Fellow, American Association of Hip and Knee Surgeons (AAHKS)

**PUBLICATIONS**

## Scientific Articles:

1. **Akhtar OH**, Rowe DE: Syringomyelia-associated scoliosis with and without the Chiari I malformation. *J Am Acad Orthop Surg* 2008; 16(7):407-17.

## Poster Presentations:

1. **Akhtar OH**, Rowe DE. Syringomyelia Associated Scoliosis with and without the Chiari I Malformation. Presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Kalamazoo Community Medical and Health Science Research Day.

## Engineering:

1. **Akhtar OH**, Chang MA. Optimal Fiber to the Curb Networks with the DAVIC Specification. Internal Bell Labs publication. August 1996.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

Austin Monthly Magazine "Top Docs"	2017
St. Davids North Austin Medical Center Physician of the Quarter	Q3, 2016
Texas Monthly Magazine, Super Doctors "Rising Stars"	2015, 2016, 2017
1 <sup>st</sup> place winner, poster presentation at the 25 <sup>th</sup> Annual Kalamazoo Medical and Health Science Research Day	2007
President, New Jersey Medical School student body	2003
Angelo & Theresa Lina Scholarship (New Jersey Medical School)	2002
Class of 1960 Scholarship (New Jersey Medical School)	2001
Research grant (University of Pennsylvania)	1997

Eta Kappa Nu Electrical Engineering Honor Society (top 5% of undergraduate class)	1994
Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society (top 15% of undergraduate class)	1993
Academic scholarship (Rutgers University)	1991-1996