

SEPTEMBER 2020

# AVITA TODAY



Left to right: Renu Soni, MD; James Kim, MD; Wisam Martini, MD; Lynne Werth, MD; John Bailey, MD

**YOUR  
HEALTH AND  
SAFETY IS  
OUR PRIORITY**

For information on  
COVID-19 precautions, visit  
[avitahealth.org](http://avitahealth.org).

## **Experts Trust Avita's Experts**

*Dr. Polinski's Journey as a Patient*

## **Saluting Our Military Providers**

*Avita is Proud of Those Who Serve*

## **Joint Replacement Today, Walking Tomorrow**

*Find Out What Patients Have to Say*



**AVITA**  
HEALTH SYSTEM

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# new PROVIDERS

Welcoming new providers to the Avita Team!



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**Lynne Werth, MD**  
*Family Medicine*  
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**Wisam Martini, MD**  
*Cardiology*  
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*Endocrinology*  
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269 Portland Way S, Galion  
715 Richland Mall, Ontario  
**419-462-4547**



Adam Clemens, MD

## New Technology to Treat Kidney Stones

SOLTIVE™ is a new laser technology that enables physicians to deliver quicker and more efficient stone removal, which may translate to shorter procedural times, less patient discomfort, and fewer treatments overall.

Recently introduced in May 2020, Avita urologist Dr. Adam Clemens is using SOLTIVE™ to deliver breakthrough treatment for the community. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Clemens, call **419-468-0732**.



For more information on this new technology, visit [avita.link/soltive-laser](http://avita.link/soltive-laser).

Avita is the first hospital in the state of Ohio to use the Olympus SOLTIVE™ Super Pulsed Laser System to treat kidney stones.



# congratulations!

## The Society of 1906 Congratulates our 2020 Esteemed Physician and Visionary Award Recipients!

The **Esteemed Physician Award for community impact** is given to a physician who consistently achieves high standards in the practice of medicine, demonstrates commitment to the community, and is looked upon as a role model by his or her colleagues, patients, and peers.

The **Visionary Award** is the highest honor bestowed upon a benefactor of Avita Health System and recognizes and pays tribute to the recipient's exceptional generosity, dedication, and hospital and civic vision.

Watch videos of our recipients and make your nomination for the **2021 Esteemed Physician and Visionary Awards** online at [avita.link/visionary-award](http://avita.link/visionary-award) and [avita.link/physician-award](http://avita.link/physician-award) or make a gift in honor of the recipients to the Society of 1906.

### 2020 ESTEEMED PHYSICIAN Tyler Huggins, MD

The Avita Health Foundation honors Dr. Tyler Huggins, OB/GYN, for his exemplary contributions and patient care in support of the residents of Crawford County and the surrounding communities. For nearly three decades, Dr. Huggins has supported numerous community organizations and special projects, while devoting his career and life to his family and advancing healthcare for women and newborn babies.



Left to right: Jerome Morasko, Avita CEO; Tyler Huggins, MD; and Dawn Ratliff, Foundation Board Chair

### 2020 VISIONARY Dr. Boyd and Anne Epperson

The Avita Health Foundation honors Dr. Boyd and Anne Epperson for their extraordinary commitment, generosity, and service in support of Avita Health System and the community where they raised three children and grew a successful veterinary clinic. For more than 60 years, the Epperson's have been actively involved in their community, church, schools, library, women's auxiliary, and countless hours of volunteerism.



Left to right: Anne Epperson; Joseph Shadeed, DDS, Avita Health System Board Chair; and Boyd Epperson, DVM

## Consider a Charitable Gift Annuity with Avita Health Foundation

Single Life Annuity Rates: Age 70: **4.7%**, Age 75: **5.4%**, Age 80: **6.5%**, Age 85: **7.6%**, Age 90 & above: **8.6%**

- ✓ **Leave a Legacy and Grow** your retirement savings and annual income
- ✓ **Protect** your annual income from market fluctuation
- ✓ **Guaranteed Income** lasts throughout your lifetime

Philanthropic support from donors like you is a vital source to improve community health! Gifts from the community provides Avita the opportunity to maintain and expand services in our community. Explore the many ways you can give, including Annual Contributions, Memorial Gifts and Planned Giving.

▶ For more information visit [avitafoundation.org](http://avitafoundation.org) or call Chuck Cangelosi, Foundation Director at **419-468-0566**.

**GARY FOSKEY, DO**

USAF, Army

**Number of Years Served:** 23

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:**

Respiratory Therapist (Army),  
Physician (USAF)

**Highest Rank:**

Lieutenant Colonel



**ROBERT L. KALB, MD**

Navy, USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 15

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Orthopedic Surgeon

**Highest Rank:** Commander

**Locations Served:** Illinois, North Carolina,  
California, Hawaii, Italy, Japan

**Medals/Commendations:** American  
Legion Medal of Merit, Iraqi Freedom Medal,  
Navy & Marine Corps Commendation  
Medal, Sharp Shooter Ribbon

**JOHN SCHOETTNER, MD**

USAF, USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 27

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Pilot

**Highest Rank:** Lieutenant Colonel

**Locations Served:** Panama, Germany, Turkey, Kuwait, Iraq

**Medals/Commendations:** Air Medal,  
Aerial Achievement Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal,  
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award



**DENVER RUSSELL, PA-C**

Army Reserve

**Number of Years Served:** 9

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Physician Assistant

**Highest Rank:** 1st Lieutenant

**Locations Served:** Texas, Louisiana, Iraq

**ADAM BIHL, MD**

USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 5

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Flight Surgeon

**Highest Rank:** Lieutenant Colonel

**Locations Served:**

179th Airlift Wing, Mansfield, OH

**Medals/Commendations:** The Air Force  
Achievement Medal, National Defense  
Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism  
Service Medal, Army Achievement Medal



**CARLOS RICO, DO**

Army Reserve

**Number of Years Served:** 24

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Anesthesiologist

**Highest Rank:** Major

**Locations Served:** Georgia, California,  
Germany, the Middle East



**TERRY W. WALKER, OD**

USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 9

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Optometrist

**Highest Rank:** Lieutenant Colonel

**Locations Served:** Chad, Puerto Rico,  
United Kingdom, Germany

**Medals/Commendations:** Air  
Force Meritorious Service Medal,  
Air Force Achievement Medal,  
Air Force Commendation Medal x2,  
Army Achievement Medal

**TERESA GHAZOUL, MD**

USAF, USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 9

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:**

Research Officer in Biomedical Research  
Labs, Administrator/Fighter Wing Clinic

**Highest Rank:** 1st Lieutenant

**Locations Served:** Wright Patterson  
Air Force Base, Dayton, OH; 180th Fighter  
Wing, Toledo, OH

**LYNNE WERTH, MD**

USAF

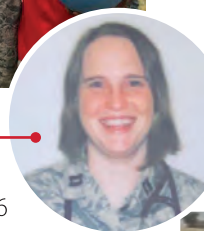
**Number of Years Served:** 6

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Family Medicine Physician

**Highest Rank:** Major

**Locations Served:** Scott Air Force Base,  
Illinois; Dover Air Force Base, Delaware



**ANDREW J. LEE, MD**

USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 19

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Medical Group Commander,  
Senior Flight Surgeon

**Highest Rank:** Colonel

**Locations Served:** 179th Airlift Wing,  
Mansfield, OH; Kuwait, Iraq

**Medals/Commendations:**

Meritorious Service Medal x3, Air Medal,  
Air Force Commendation Medal, Iraqi  
Freedom Campaign Medal, Global War  
on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal



★★★★ SALUTING OUR ★★★★★

# military PROVIDERS

Avita Is Proud To Have Physicians and Advanced Practice Providers  
Who Not Only Serve Our Communities, But Our Country As Well

**TRISHA KINSTLE, CNP**

Navy, Navy Reserve

**Number of Years Served:** 8

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Engineman/Mechanic

**Highest Rank:** E-5

**Locations Served:** USS Holland in Guam;  
Adak Naval Base, Alaska; US Naval Reserve  
Base, Cleveland and Columbus

**Medals/Commendations:** Desert Storm

**JAMES Y. KIM, MD**

Army, Army Reserve, Army National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 18

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Physician

**Highest Rank:** Major

**Locations Served:** Iraq, Georgia, Texas,  
Alabama, California, Illinois

**Medals/Commendations:**  
Meritorious Service Medal

**ANTHONY MIDKIFF, MD**

USAF Air National Guard

**Number of Years Served:** 4

**Status:** Currently Serving

**Occupation:** Emergency Physician

**Highest Rank:** Lieutenant Colonel

**Locations Served:**  
179th Airlift Wing, Mansfield, OH

**TIFFINI PINION, CNP**

USAF

**Number of Years Served:** 4

**Status:** Veteran

**Occupation:** Medic

**Highest Rank:** E-4

**Locations Served:** Sheppard Air Force Base, TX; Andrews Air Force  
Base, MD; Keesler Air Force Base, MS; Langley Air Force Base, VA

**Medals/Commendations:** National Defense Service Medal,  
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Air Force Training Ribbon,  
Expert Marksmanship Ribbon, Military Training Leader



# advocates for women's health

Avita Health System's  
OB/GYNs are Your Partners  
in Reproductive Health.



John Bailey, MD

## welcome

### John Bailey, MD to the Avita Health System OB/GYN team!

Dr. Bailey is committed to providing comprehensive wellness and gynecological services through all stages of life. He received his medical degree from Wake Forest School of Medicine in Winston-Salem, NC and completed a residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology at East Carolina University Vidant Medical Center in Greenville, NC.

To make an appointment with Dr. Bailey, call **419-468-0111**.  
His office is located at **1200 St. Rt. 598, Galion**.

## OUR OB/GYN TEAM



**Anne Clark, DO**  
Bucyrus, 419-563-9875



**Gwendoline Fang, MD**  
Ontario, 567-307-7663



**Tyler Huggins, MD**  
Galion, 419-468-0111



**Sherri Gillam, CNP**  
Galion, 419-468-0111



**Ami Hay, CNP**  
Galion, 419-468-0111

## Why Women Should Have an Annual Gynecologic Exam

A yearly visit with your gynecologist is recommended to help you stay healthy. Routine preventative care can be lifesaving!

### Pap Smear Test

A Pap Smear screens for precancerous and cancer cells in the cervix. It helps detect cervical cancer in the early stages when it's most preventable.

### Breast Exam

A clinical exam can catch signs of breast cancer or other issues of concern, such as pain or nipple discharge. Ask your doctor how to conduct a self-exam between your yearly visits.

### Pelvic Exam

A physical examination of the reproductive organs can identify abnormalities with the vulva, vagina, cervix, ovaries, uterus, rectum, and pelvis.

In addition to preventative care, there are many reasons to check in with your gynecologist, including:

- Birth Control
- Sexually Transmitted Infections
- Vaccinations
- Menstrual Problems
- Reproduction / Fertility
- Sexual Health
- Menopausal Symptoms
- Urinary Incontinence
- Pelvic Pain

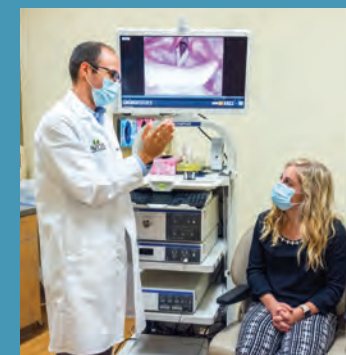


Back, left to right:  
Holly Frankhouse, MA, CCC-SLP;  
Elizabeth K. Turner, MS, CCC-SLP;  
Laura L. Hill, MS, CCC-SLP.  
Front: Fernando Morell, MD

# VOICE & SWALLOW clinic

## Advanced Treatments to Help You Talk, Swallow, and Breathe Better

Avita's Voice and Swallow Clinic uses a multidisciplinary approach with state-of-the-art technology to diagnose and treat patients with voice, swallowing, and throat problems. Fellowship-trained laryngologist Fernando Morell, MD works with a staff of speech pathologists to evaluate patients and create customized treatment plans. Most of the diagnostic exams, such as endoscopies, can be done in-office and same-day. Depending on the symptoms, imaging or biopsies may be needed.



At the initial appointment, patients get a "two for one" visit with Dr. Morell and a speech pathologist.

1. Dr. Morell will diagnose the primary medical concerns and perform any procedures or surgeries.
2. The speech pathologist will complete the diagnostic voice and swallow exams and initiate education, therapy, and intervention.

This team approach gives patients the most comprehensive and collaborative care, creating an environment that promotes healing and greater quality of life.

To schedule an appointment, call **419-775-1091**.

## meet the doc

As a fellowship-trained laryngologist, Dr. Morell is more specialized than most Ear, Nose, and Throat (ENT) physicians. His education and experience provide in-depth knowledge on the throat, voice box, and vocal cords.



Fernando Morell, MD

### What is a laryngologist?

An ENT doctor with sub-specialty training in the larynx, commonly called the voice box. The larynx is a muscular organ that holds the vocal cords and forms a pathway to the lungs. Its primary responsibility is swallowing and sound production. Laryngologists specialize in treating illnesses, injuries, and disorders associated with the voice box, such as laryngitis, GERD, vocal cord paralysis, nodules, and polyps.

# EXPERTS TRUST Avita's Experts

A cardiologist's journey from the Mohican trails to the operating table...



Left to right: Kyle Randall, MD; William Polinski, DO



Dr. Polinski shows an image of his torn quad muscle.

In October 2019, Dr. William Polinski was enjoying a long run on the trails at Mohican State Park when he hit some loose gravel that sent him to the ground. A local cardiologist and lifelong athlete, Dr. Polinski knew immediately that something was wrong with his right leg.

*"I figured my quad was torn by the way it looked – it was deformed,"* explained Dr. Polinski. He couldn't stand and it was too painful to bend his knee. Without a cellphone or anyone in sight, Dr. Polinski had no choice but to journey back to his vehicle, crawling in the dark for the better part of 3 hours. Since walking wasn't an option, he found two sticks and used them to pull his body uphill through the trails and over a corn field.

While many would have been desperate for help, Dr. Polinski saw this experience as an adventure. In his own words, he was "pumped for the challenge." An avid runner, Dr. Polinski has participated in numerous marathons and triathlons – now his decades of

endurance training was paying off. Once back to his truck, Dr. Polinski used his left leg to drive to Avita Ontario Hospital's Emergency Department, where he was admitted as a patient. Dr. Polinski said, *"I'm loyal to Avita - I work here and I trust the medical staff."*

The next morning, Dr. Kyle Randall, an Avita orthopedic surgeon, re-attached the quadricep tendon to the kneecap. A few hours later, Dr. Polinski was using crutches to walk up and down the hallways of the hospital. *"The experience was even better than I expected,"* remarked Dr. Polinski. *"The physical therapists had me out of bed and walking shortly after surgery."* Dr. Polinski went home that same day and returned to work one day later. Since his injury, Dr. Polinski has eased back into running, weight training, and is practicing jiu jitsu again.

*"I routinely treat athletes, but this is the first time I've had a patient crawl for 3 hours without the use of his right quad,"* commented Dr. Randall. *"It's an impressive feat."*

## MORE EXPERTS TRUSTING AVITA'S EXPERTS



**Dr. Adam Bihl**

"Dr. Bihl is my primary care provider and does a great job. He is professional, attentive, and on the ball."

- David Fitch, DO



**Dr. Tyler Huggins**

"Dr. Huggins has cared for me for years – through my pregnancies and the birth of my sons. I knew that I was receiving the highest level of care. He has always been incredibly kind, compassionate, and caring. He is very knowledgeable, yet down to earth and personable as well. I was fortunate to have had Dr. Huggins there to deliver my babies and care for me."

- Jenna Miller, CNP

"Dr. Huggins delivered our daughter two and a half years ago. From the beginning, he provided a high level of service, expertise, and was very caring throughout my wife's pregnancy and delivery. Since then, he has maintained a trustworthy relationship with our family and has been instrumental in the overall well-being of our son. Our son was recently born with a severe congenital heart anomaly that required intervention immediately after birth and a subsequent open heart surgery. Although our son's diagnosis led us to seek care at a high volume surgical center out of state, Dr. Huggins and his ultrasound technician, Tammy, were instrumental in detecting a cardiac abnormality at our 20 week ultrasound. He referred us to the specialists required to prepare for our son's arrival and provided excellent prenatal care and monitoring during the remainder of the pregnancy. Dr. Huggins was always available to answer our questions, provide reassurance, and help guide our family both medically and emotionally through a very difficult time. Without his involvement, our son's outcome may not have been the same. Dr. Huggins is a phenomenal asset to the community and I would highly recommend him to anyone seeking obstetric and gynecologic care."

- Jeremy Riehm, DO



**Dr. Ryan Wagner**

"I had a frozen shoulder for 6 months, making it difficult to sleep and reach my arm overhead and behind my body. Dr. Wagner provided outstanding treatment with an injection, medication, and physical therapy at Avita Orthopedics and Sports Medicine in Bucyrus."

- Robert Kalb, MD

# EMERGENCY HEART ATTACK care


When a heart attack strikes, we strike back. At Avita, we understand the importance of providing quick, comprehensive care that's close to home. That's why we have 24/7 emergency heart attack services in Crawford and Richland counties. We know that fast treatment can reduce the damage to your heart, protect your long-term health, and most importantly, save your life.

**MINUTES MATTER – Avita's Door-to-Balloon Time is 40 minutes faster than the national standard!\***


Door-to-Balloon (D2B) refers to the length of time between when a patient arrives at the hospital with a heart attack and when the patient receives angioplasty. The shorter the D2B, the greater the chance of survival.

## HEART ATTACK FACTS\*\*

 Heart disease is the **LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH** for men and women

 **Nearly half of Americans** have at least one of these three risk factors:

- High blood pressure
- High cholesterol
- Smoking

 **1 in 5** heart attacks **IS SILENT.**

 **647,000** Americans die from a heart attack each year – that's **1 in 4 DEATHS**

 **Every 40 SECONDS** someone has a heart attack

## DVT CLINIC

Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) is a blood clot that develops in a vein deep in the body. Approximately **300,000 to 600,000 Americans are affected by DVT or pulmonary embolism** each year. These conditions are the third-most-common diagnoses after a heart attack and stroke. DVT can be very serious because blood clots can break loose, travel through your bloodstream, and lodge in your lungs. This blocks blood flow, resulting in a pulmonary embolism.

Avita started the DVT Clinic to diagnosis and manage blood clot conditions. Board-certified cardiovascular medicine physician Dr. Michael Davis, who started the program, explains, "We have been able to help numerous patients with DVTs manage their care, from genetic blood clot disorders to choosing the right anticoagulation regimen." Dr. Davis and Dr. Martini, alongside our medication management team, provide consultations, prescribe medication, and create treatment plans for patients. A referral to our DVT Clinic can be made by calling **419-462-4600**.

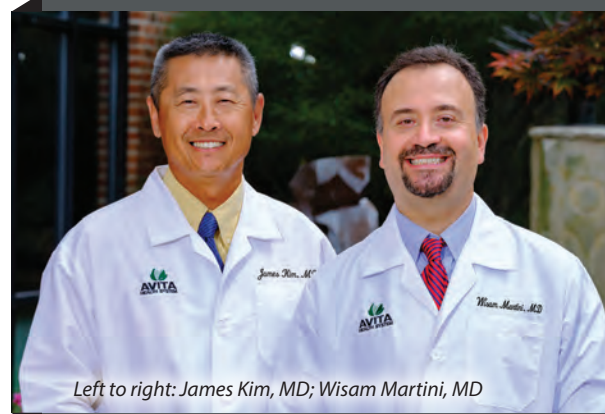
welcome

**JAMES KIM, MD**

*Interventional Cardiologist*

Dr. Kim joins Avita with over 16 years of experience. He completed an internal medicine residency at Eisenhower Army Medical Center in Augusta, Georgia, a cardiology fellowship at Brooke Army Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas, and an interventional cardiology fellowship at the University of Cincinnati.

**Accepting patients 18 years of age and older in Ontario.**



Left to right: James Kim, MD; Wisam Martini, MD

welcome **WISAM MARTINI, MD**

*Interventional Cardiologist*

Joining Avita with over 14 years of experience, Dr. Martini completed an internal medicine residency at Detroit Medical Center, a cardiology fellowship at Illinois Masonic Medical Center, and an interventional cardiology fellowship at St. John Hospital and Medical Center in Detroit, Michigan.

**Accepting patients 18 years of age and older in Galion.**

**AVITA HEART**  
**419-462-4600**

\*Data Source: EPIC Systems, Galion and Ontario Hospital average, January 2020-June 2020  
\*\*Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

# CHEMOTHERAPY close to home

## CHEMOTHERAPY AT A GLANCE

Chemotherapy is a treatment for cancer that uses drugs to kill dividing cancer cells and prevent them from growing. A healthy body is constantly reproducing cells, but when cancer is present, cells reproduce uncontrollably. Chemotherapy drugs interfere with a cancer cell's ability to reproduce.

### A doctor may prescribe chemotherapy:

- to shrink a tumor before surgery,
- to remove any remaining cancer cells and help prevent a recurrence after surgery or remission,
- and to slow the progression of cancer and reduce symptoms in later stages.

Because chemotherapy targets both cancer cells and healthy cells, it can have adverse effects on the body during and after treatment. However, the benefits of chemotherapy often outweigh the side effects. At Avita Health System, we offer several support services, such as our nutrition services, to help you manage your health and reduce symptoms during treatment.

For more information, visit [avitahealth.org/services/oncology](http://avitahealth.org/services/oncology).



Renu Soni, MD

welcome **RENU SONI, MD**

Joining Avita with over 25 years of experience in oncology and hematology, Dr. Soni earned her medical doctorate from Lady Harding Medical College in New Delhi, India. She completed a residency in internal medicine at Ohio Valley Medical Center in Wheeling, WV, and is fellowship-trained in hematology and oncology from Seton Hall University in South Orange, NJ.

**Accepting patients 18 years of age and older in Bucyrus and Galion.**

To schedule an appointment, call **419-462-3470**.



Rebecca Wheeler, RN  
Bucyrus Oncology Treatment Room

## TREATMENT ROOMS

Our chemotherapy spaces feature open-view concept windows bringing in nature to encourage healing.

Patients may enjoy snacks and drinks or order lunch from our cafeterias during long infusions. Chemotherapy-trained pharmacists prepare medications specifically for each patient. Our dedicated oncology nurses administer each treatment and are available to answer all of your questions and cater to your needs.

# JOINT REPLACEMENT TODAY, walking tomorrow

Did you know that the majority of patients who have joint replacement at Avita are walking the next day? Our patients are amazed at how quickly we have them on their feet and on the road to recovery.

At Avita, joint replacement is more than surgery – It's an exclusive, educational experience that is designed to empower patients while providing exceptional outcomes and top-rated customer service.

Our dedicated team meets you in "Joint Camp" prior to your surgery and walks with you every step of the way, answering your questions and easing your mind.

Joint replacement patients are going home from the hospital faster than ever – most in 2 days or less! This is all part of our continued effort to raise the bar, keep you safe, and give you your life back sooner.

## Check out what our patients say about joint replacement at Avita\*:

"My experience was just excellent! Staff, nurses, my surgery, my surgeon, the food. My husband had the same experience about a year ago and I would recommend it to every single person."

"The doctor actually called the night before the surgery, which I was very impressed with, stopped in the next morning and stopped in the following morning after surgery, which I thought was excellent, too!"

"I was impressed with the whole staff. When my family came in, they couldn't do enough for us. It was really good! The doctor called me at home even. I thought it was amazing."

## BOARD-CERTIFIED JOINT REPLACEMENT *doctors*



**SCOTT FOSTER, MD**  
Fellowship-trained in Joint Replacement and Revision

Hip and Knee Replacement and Revision  
Ontario  
419-709-8650



**JAMES KERBS, MD**

Hip and Knee Replacement  
Orthopedic Surgery  
Galion  
419-468-7059



**ROBERT KALB, MD**

Hip, Knee, and Shoulder Replacement  
Orthopedic Surgery  
Bucyrus, Marion  
419-562-5281



**KYLE RANDALL, MD**  
Fellowship-trained in Sports Medicine

Shoulder Replacement  
Orthopedic Surgery  
Ontario, Bellville  
419-709-8645



## Feet: THE FOUNDATION OF THE BODY

Feet are vital for mobility, balance, and posture. They support your entire body and can affect your quality of life. That's why it's important to keep them healthy and pain-free. If your feet are preventing you from walking, working, exercising, or doing the activities that you love, it may be time to visit a podiatrist. Avita's board-certified podiatry team provides a full range of foot care, including both conservative and surgical therapies.

### REASONS TO SEE A FOOT AND ANKLE SPECIALIST

- Foot, ankle, or heel pain
- Bunions, corns, or calluses
- Plantar warts
- Diabetic foot care
- Ingrown toenails
- Athlete's Foot
- Hammertoe
- Foot injuries
- Ankle sprains



**SAMANTH BARK, DPM**  
Fellowship-trained in Reconstructive Foot and Ankle Surgery

Foot and Ankle Specialist  
Galion  
419-468-7059



**NOW IN BELLVILLE!**  
**MICHAEL SWIATEK, DPM**

Foot and Ankle Specialist  
Galion, Bellville  
419-462-3465

## more ORTHOPEDICS & SPORTS MEDICINE specialists



**Christopher Cannell, MD**  
Physical Medicine & Rehab  
Galion  
419-468-7059



**Robert Dawson, MD**  
Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery  
Galion, Ontario  
419-468-7059



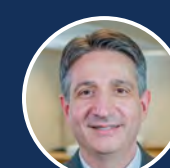
**David Fitch, DO**  
Physical Medicine & Rehab  
Galion, Ontario  
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**Jeremy Riehm, DO**  
Orthopedics & Sports Medicine  
Ontario, Bellville  
567-307-7595



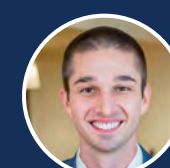
**Ryan Wagner, MD**  
Medical Director, Avita Center for Sports Health  
Orthopedics & Sports Medicine  
Bucyrus, Marion  
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**Thomas Zuesi, DO**  
Orthopedics & Sports Medicine  
Galion, Ontario  
419-468-7059



**Laurie Cullen, PA-C**  
Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery  
Galion, Ontario  
419-468-7059



**Jordyn Hatcher, CNP**  
Orthopedics & Sports Medicine  
Ontario  
419-709-8645



**Chad Miley, CNP**  
Joint Replacement  
Ontario  
419-709-8650

For more information on Joint Replacement and Revision, visit [avitahealth.org/services/orthopedics#joint-replacement](https://avitahealth.org/services/orthopedics#joint-replacement)

\*Data Source: Press Ghany

# AVITA MEDICAL PROVIDERS *by specialty*

*\*Denotes non-employed providers*

Errol Williams, MD

PROVIDER REFERRAL LINE **419-468-0961**

## AUDIOLOGY

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Kim Obringer, Au.D.  
Emily Rospert, Au.D.  
Galion ..... 419-468-0547  
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