

Melissa M. Lawrence, D.O.

EDUCATION

Des Moines University College of Osteopathic Medicine Des Moines, Iowa Doctor of Osteopathy	2001 - 2005
University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee Milwaukee, Wisconsin B.S. – Occupational Therapy	1986 – 1990

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Holston Medical Group Kingsport, TN Orthopedic Hand Surgeon	2011-Present
Medical College of Wisconsin/Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital Milwaukee, Wisconsin Hand/Upper Extremity Fellowship	2010 - 2011
Affinity Medical Center Massillon, Ohio Residency – Orthopedic Surgery	2006 – 2010
Doctor’s Hospital of Stark County Massillon, Ohio Traditional Rotating Internship	2005 – 2006
Green Bay Area Public Schools Green Bay, Wisconsin Occupational Therapist	1993 – 2001

RESEARCH

Antibiotic Selection in Cases of Hand Infections Colonized With Resistant Organisms	2011
Modified Ligament Reconstruction Tendon Interposition Arthroplasty for Thumb Carpometacarpal Arthritis	2009
Bacterial Meningitis, Purpura Fulminans, and Four Extremity Compartment Syndrome: A Case Report	2008
Preoperative Risk Factors That Increase the Risk of Infection in Patients Undergoing Bilateral Total Knee Arthroplasties in a Small Community Hospital	2007

AWARDS

Chief Resident

2009 - 2010

Sigma Sigma Phi

2001

Cum Laude

1990

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society for Surgery of the Hand

American Osteopathic Association

American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons

Osteopathic Residency Advisory Committee – secretary

INTERESTS

Family time

Outdoor Activities

Sudoku

Puzzles

Stephen King novels

Arts and Crafts