



Dr Appaji Krishnan K

MBBS, D.Ortho, DNB Orthopaedics, Fellowship in Spine surgery 20+ Years Experience

Hospitals

Apollo Speciality Hospitals, Teynampet ,

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Overview

Dr. Appaji Krishnan K is a seasoned Orthopaedic and Spine Surgeon with over 20 years of experience in treating musculoskeletal and spinal conditions. He practices at Apollo Speciality Hospital, Teynampet, Chennai, where he delivers expert care with a focus on restoring mobility and improving quality of life. Dr. Krishnan holds an MBBS, Diploma in Orthopaedics, DNB in Orthopaedics, and has completed a Fellowship in Spine Surgery, highlighting his advanced training and specialization in spinal care. His expertise covers a wide range of orthopaedic conditions, including degenerative spine disorders, herniated discs, spinal deformities, fractures, and joint problems. He is particularly skilled in performing minimally invasive spine surgeries and complex spinal reconstructions.

Fluent in English, Hindi, Telugu, and Tamil, Dr. Krishnan communicates effectively with patients from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Known for his empathetic approach and patient-first philosophy, he ensures that every treatment plan is personalized, evidence-based, and aimed at long-term recovery.

Dedicated to continuous learning and innovation, Dr. Appaji Krishnan K is committed to delivering the highest standards of orthopaedic and spine care. He is a trusted name in Chennai for patients seeking expert evaluation, surgical precision, and compassionate follow-up in orthopaedics and spine surgery.

Experience

1. Consultant spine surgeon - April 2013 to till date, SRM institutes of Medical Science
2. Consultant Orthopaedic and Spine surgeon - February 2010 to March 2013-Apollo Hospitals, Chennai
3. Junior Consultant in charge of Academics and Junior doctors-December 2007 to January 2010-Apollo Hospitals, Chennai
4. Associate Consultant to Dr. Sajan K Hegde and Dr. Suryanarayan Department of Spinal Surgery and Orthopaedics-July 2006 to November 2007 - Apollo Hospital, Chennai.
5. Apollo Spine Fellowship - April 2005 to April 2006 - Apollo Hospitals, Chennai
6. Ten Months as Registrar in Spine Surgery- July 2004 to March 2005 Dr. Sajan K Hegde's Unit Apollo Hospitals, Chennai.
7. Two years as Senior Resident DNB trainee - May 2002 to June 2004 at Apollo Hospitals, Chennai.
8. Two years of teaching experience during Junior residency at JIPMER along with training in plastic and general surgery
9. Post-Graduate Diploma in orthopaedics June 2000 to April 2002-JIPMER, Pondicherry
10. PG diploma student in Orthopaedics - March -May 2000-Stanley Medical College, Chennai.
11. Casualty Medical Officer-July-November 1999 - AIIMS, New Delhi
12. Junior resident (Non-Academic) in General Surgery - July - October 1998 JIPMER Pondicherry.
13. Internship may 1997 to may 1998-JIPMER, Pondicherry

Research and Publication

- Non-tubercular spondylodiscitis-surgical management-May 2008 Britspine.
- "Cervical Compressive Spondylotic Myelopathy - anterior decompression and reconstruction-clinical outcome" - January 2008, ASSICON 2008
- "Primary pyogenic spondylodiscitis - are implants safe?" - January 2008, ASSICON 2008
- "Our experience and Strategy in the Treatment of patients with Andersson's Lesion" - January 2008, ASSICON 2008
- "Neurofibroma Scoliosis case discussion" ICS-Eurospine Aug.2006
- High grade spondylolisthesis in children" ASSICON Feb. 2006. (Gold Medal)
- Anterior Scoliosis correction-Jan 2005 ASSICON, Bangalore
- "Lumbar Disc Replacement ICS- EuroSpine Aug. 2005.
- "Surgical Treatment of Adult Spondylolisthesis ICS- Eurospine Aug. 2005.

- "Scoliosis" Meet the masters session "Anterior Scoliosis Surgery." At ASSICON JAN. 2005

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Where does Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan medical practice is located at Apollo Hospitals, Greaves Road Chennai. This hospital offers comprehensive healthcare services and advanced medical expertise

2. Who is Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan MBBS, D.Ortho, DNB Orthopaedics, Fellowship in Spine surgery top Spine Surgeon at Apollo Hospitals Greaves Road in Chennai.

3. Why do patients visit Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan specializes in diagnosing and treating a wide range of Spine Surgery conditions, including Spinal Therapy, Spinal Fusion, Spinal Orthoses, Spinal Truma, Spine, and more.

4. What is Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan Jain 's specialization?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan MBBS, D.Ortho, DNB Orthopaedics, He also specializes treating a wide range of Spine Surgery conditions, including Spinal Therapy, Spinal Fusion, Spinal Orthoses, Spinal Truma, Spine, and more.

5. What are Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan 's medical qualifications?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan MBBS, D.Ortho, DNB Orthopaedics, his comprehensive education in the field of Orthopaedics

6. How many years of experience does Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan have?

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan has over 20 years of experience and is fluent in English, Hindi, Telugu, Tamil

7. What is patient feedback for Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan

Dr. K. Appaji Krishnan has received positive feedback from patients, Patient reviews highlight his expertise and experience as a cardiac problems.

8. Who is a General Physician?

A general physician (GP) is a medical doctor specializing in non-surgical adult healthcare. They treat various diseases and conditions affecting multiple body systems, including cardiovascular, respiratory,

neurological, haematological, endocrine, and gastrointestinal, without requiring surgery. Some GPs may further specialize in a particular system.

9. What are the educational requirements to become a General Physician?

General physicians, also known as primary care physicians, require completion of medical school followed by a three-year residency in primary care. Prerequisites include a science-based bachelor's degree, a minimum GPA, and successful completion of medical school and basic medical training.

10. When should I consult a General Physician?

A general physician provides primary care for various health concerns. They treat non-surgical conditions affecting the cardiovascular, respiratory, musculoskeletal, neurological, gastrointestinal, and endocrine systems. Consult a general physician for symptoms related to these systems.