

# ADVANCING THE SPECIALTY OF DERMATOLOGY

QUALDERM-AFFILIATED PHYSICIANS ARE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN RESEARCH, EDUCATION & MENTORSHIPS

QualDerm affiliates with high-caliber, respected physicians at all stages of their careers. Our partner physicians are recognized as leaders in the specialty who are passionate about caring for patients and helping to advance the practices of dermatology and Mohs surgery.



## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

QualDerm-affiliated physicians have held professorships at some of the leading U.S. institutions, including: Yale, Dartmouth, University of Pennsylvania, Cleveland Clinic, Mayo Clinic, Geisinger Medical Center, Wake Forest, University of Texas, Ohio State University, University of North Carolina, and University of Pittsburgh



## NATIONAL & STATE LEADERSHIP

QualDerm-affiliated physicians have held leadership offices in: 6 national dermatology associations, 6 state dermatology / medical associations, and 2 international dermatopathology associations

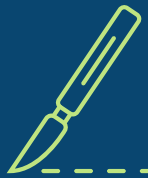
## EDITORIAL BOARDS AND REVIEWERS

QualDerm-affiliated physicians have served as editors and reviewers for publications such as: Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology, JAMA Dermatology, Dermatologic Surgery, American Journal of Dermatopathology and Dermatitis



## MOHS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Zitelli & Brodland, P.C., a QualDerm partner, has operated one of the nation's leading Mohs Surgery Fellowship programs for almost 40 years. The program requires each Fellow-in-training to conduct research suitable for publication. Zitelli & Brodland Fellows' research has impacted how the practice treats patients and has helped advance dermatology as well as other specialties.



*"The Fellowship program keeps us as providers on top of new medical knowledge and stimulates us to be innovators and leaders rather than followers."*

*- John Zitelli, MD, FAAD, FACMS*

## MENTORSHIPS

Many QualDerm-affiliated physicians serve as mentors to residents in programs such as Ohio Health's GME program and Wake Forest's Plastic Surgery department. Within our network, our partner physicians have the opportunity to be mentored and to mentor others in both informal and more structured capacities.



## RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

Numerous QualDerm-affiliated physicians actively participate in a wide-range of research projects. Currently, three of our Ohio-based physicians, Angela Casey, MD, Brian Biernat, MD and Peter Seline, MD, are involved in a research trial for skin malignancies.

In 2019, Evan Stiegel, MD, a QualDerm-affiliated Mohs surgeon, was named the winner of the coveted ACMS Theodore Tromovitch Award for his work "Mastering Mohs Histopathology Over a 1-year Fellowship."

QualDerm-affiliated physicians have thousands of publication and presentation credentials to their names. Here is a snapshot of those:

Chen A, **Albertini JG**, Bordeaux JS, Van Beek MJ, Weiss PR, Alam M, et al. Evidence-based clinical practice guideline: Reconstruction after skin cancer resection. Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology. 2021 April.

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Stoecker A, **Howerter S**, Young J, Lear W. The use of a suture retention device with punctureless technique for rapid tissue expansion in facial and lower extremity wounds. JAAD Case Reports. 2018 October; 4(9) 910-914.

Friedman P, **Kunishige J**, Polder K. *Beautiful Skin Revealed: The Ultimate Guide to Better Skin*. New Beauty Magazine, Sandow Media, 2010.

FOR AN EXPANDED LIST OF OUR PARTNER PHYSICIANS' RECENTLY PUBLISHED WORK, VISIT: [WWW.QUALDERM.COM/PUBLISHED-WORK-PODCASTS/](http://WWW.QUALDERM.COM/PUBLISHED-WORK-PODCASTS/)



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