

## PEDIATRIC ORTHOPAEDIC SURGEONS

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#### Academic Affiliation:

- The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center  
Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, *Professor*

#### Affiliations:

- Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children
- Children's Medical Center Dallas
- Children's Medical Center Legacy
- Parkland Health & Hospital System
- Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas
- UT Southwestern University Hospital – St. Paul

#### Education:

- University of Utah, *Magna Cum Laude*
- St. Louis University School of Medicine

#### Internship:

- University of California, San Diego  
Surgical Internship

#### Residency:

- University of Utah  
Orthopaedic Surgery

#### Fellowship:

- Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children  
Harrington Fellowship of Pediatric Orthopaedics and Scoliosis

#### Honors and Awards:

- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society
- Alpha Epsilon Delta Honor Society

#### Board Certification:

- National Board of Medical Examiners  
*diplomate*, 1982
- Passed Written Boards in Orthopaedics, 1986
- Passed Oral Boards in Orthopaedics, 1989  
Recertified, 1998 and 2006

#### Professional Associations/Affiliations:

- American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons
- Pediatric Orthopaedic Society of North America  
*president*, 2008–2009  
*president-elect*, 2007–2008  
*vice president*, 2006–2007
- Scoliosis Research Society  
*president-elect*, 2010–2011  
*vice president*, 2009–2010
- Texas Medical Association
- American Medical Association
- Dallas County Medical Society
- American Orthopaedic Association
- St. Louis University School of Medicine Alumni Association
- Spine Deformity Study Group, *member*
- *Tachdjian's Pediatric Orthopaedics, Third and Fourth Editions*, *contributing author*
- *Spine*, *consultant reviewer*
- *Journal of Pediatric Orthopaedics*, *editorial board*

*Dr. Steve Richards and TSRHC patient Trinity, age 1 year of Dallas*

