

Faculty Biography



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Dr. Eric Smith is an Ashland, Kentucky native and a board-certified general surgeon and certified Center of Excellence Bariatric Surgeon who has been in practice since 2006. He graduated Cum Laude from Marshall University, where he received a Bachelor of Science in Biology.

He graduated in the top third in his class from the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine in 2001. He did his surgical internship and residency at Grandview Medical Center/ Dayton, Ohio, with Ohio University. During his training, his hospital was named the first Center of Excellence in Bariatric Surgery in the state of Ohio. He was awarded chief resident for an unprecedented 2 years. He's a member of the American Society of Metabolic and Bariatric Surgeons, The American College of Osteopathic Surgeons and American Osteopathic Association.

Dr. Smith specializes in advanced laparoscopic, robotic general and bariatric surgery. He utilizes a variety of minimally invasive hernia repair techniques and is considered one of the busiest robotic surgeons in the world. Dr. Smith has performed approximately 2,500 robotic cases.

