



Michael Cluck, MD, PhD

ORTHOPEDIC SPINE SURGEON

ASSOCIATE CLINICAL PROFESSOR,
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SURGERY, UCSF



PROFESSIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Appointed Associate Clinical Professor USCF, Department of Orthopedic Surgery
- Medical Director, Spine Service, O'Connor Hospital
- Chairman and Vice Chairman, Orthopedic Surgery, El Camino Hospital
- Surgery Clerkship Director, Medical Student Education, O'Connor Hospital
- Over 3000+ surgeries performed
- Trained under the "Father of Contemporary Spine", Henry Bohlman, during spine fellowship
- Designed and developed minimally invasive innovative spine equipment with industry experts
- Global surgeon education for minimally invasive spine techniques
- Clinical study investigator for cervical disc replacement



MEDICAL EXPERTISE

- Minimally Invasive Surgery
- Motion Preservation Surgery
- Cervical (Neck) Surgery
- Lumbar (Low Back) Surgery
- Spinal Deformity Surgery



CLINIC INFORMATION

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Owner & President

Valley Spine Care | September 2020-Present
Bay Area Spine Care | October 2013-Present

Associate Clinical Professor

UCSF Dept. of Orthopedic Surgery | October 2018-Present

Spine Surgeon

Silicon Valley Spine Institute | April 2009-October 2013

Spine Surgeon

Spine Institute of Arizona | August 2006-April 2009



MEDICAL TRAINING

Case Western Reserve | Fellowship

Chief, Spine Surgery 2005 - 2006

LAC+USC Medical Center | Residency & Internship

Orthopedic Surgery | 2000-2005

Creighton School of Medicine | Medical School

Doctor of Medicine | 1994-2000

Doctor of Philosophy-Molecular Biology | 1996-2000



AFFILIATIONS

USCF, Department of Orthopedic Surgery
American Board of Orthopedic Surgery (ABOS)
American Academy of Orthopedic Surgery (AAOS)
North American Spine Society (NASS)
Lumbar Spine Research Society (LSRS)
Society of Lateral Access Surgery (SOLAS)