



Twenty first literacy committee newsletter

How to become a podiatrist in Atlanta and in Georgia?

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Introduction

This literacy committee newsletter discusses how to become a podiatrist in Atlanta and in Georgia? What are degree qualifications of a podiatrist? Which college does a podiatrist has to study at? How much does a podiatrist get paid?



Image: Northpod website

Chapter 1

How to become a podiatrist in Atlanta and in Georgia?

I researched on stepintopodiatry.com website and found that:
“After completing a pre-med track in undergrad and taking the MCAT, students complete four years of specialized training from a college of podiatric medicine.”

Chapter 2

What are the requirements to apply for a podiatrist license?

I researched on:

<https://sos.ga.gov/index.php/licensing/plb/41/faq> website and found that:

In general, the requirements are as follows:

- a. “Applicant must submit a completed application with the required non-refundable and non-transferable fee. If you submit a fee for the wrong application, you will be notified that you have forfeited that fee and will need to submit the correct application along with another fee.”
- b. “Applicant must have graduated from an accredited College of Podiatric Medicine approved by the Board.”
- c. “Applicant must submit proof of completion of one (1) year residency in podiatric medicine and surgery in a program based at a hospital approved by the American Podiatric Medical Association and the Board. A copy of the document is acceptable.”
- d. “Applicant must submit certified proof of scores from the National Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners of having successfully passed the *NBPME licensing examination series.”
- e. “Applicant must hold a Doctoral degree or its equivalent.”

Chapter 3

Which college to study at to become a podiatrist in Atlanta and in Georgia?

I researched on yahoo.com and found the following names:

a. Emory University

Atlanta, GA

b. Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

c. Mercer University

Macon, GA

d. Georgia State University

Atlanta, GA

Chapter 4

How much a podiatrist does get paid in Atlanta and in Georgia?

I researched on salary.com and found that: podiatrists get paid

\$140k–330k per year in Atlanta, GA

Chapter 5

Pictures of podiatrist in this chapter are assembled by 8-year-old Aaron Poonia.



Source: atlfootsurgery.com



Image: podiatrist school



Image: northpod.com



Source: americanfoot.com



Source: ankleandfootsource.com

Conclusion:

In the end, a podiatrist gets paid very highly in Atlanta and in Georgia. Being a podiatrist is a white collar job. To sum up, I would say that a podiatrist treats the “foot, ankle, and related structures of the leg.” (I retrieved the last sentence from apma.org).

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