

Flat Foot Symposium

PERTH

Saturday 18 October 2025 | 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM | The University Club of WA

Time	Session	Presenter(s)
8:30 AM – 8:50 AM	Arrival and Registration	
8:50 AM – 9:00 AM	Welcome, Housekeeping, App Download for Live Interaction	TBC
Paediatric Flatfoot		
9:00 AM – 9:15 AM	Working definition of flatfeet – what is normal?	TBC
9:15 AM – 9:30 AM	The asymptomatic paediatric flatfoot – when to treat?	TBC
9:30 AM – 9:45 AM	Connective tissue hypermobility	TBC
9:45 AM – 10:00 AM	Tarsal coalitions	TBC
10:00 AM – 10:20 AM	Live Poll & Q&A: Views on treating asymptomatic flatfeet in children	
Adult Acquired Flatfoot		
10:20 AM – 10:35 AM	Tibialis posterior tendon dysfunction (PCFD) – clinical presentation	APODA Nomination
10:35 AM – 10:50 AM	STJ anatomy & dynamic changes – effects of Wolff's Law	TBC
10:50 AM – 11:05 AM	Gastrocnemius equinus in PCFD – assessment & surgical techniques	TBC
11:05 AM – 11:20 AM	Panel Discussion & Summary	TBC
11:20 AM – 11:45 AM	Morning Tea Break	
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Key clinical/gait exams for flatfoot assessment	TBC
12:00 PM – 12:15 PM	Radiographic evaluation: Beyond Meary's Angle	TBC
12:15 PM – 12:30 PM	Live Poll & Q&A	
12:30 PM – 12:45 PM	Spring ligament – role in gait, posture & surgical repair	TBC
12:45 PM – 1:00 PM	Panel Discussion	TBC
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	Lunch Break	
2:00 PM – 2:15 PM	Tri-plane deformity – assessing each plane	TBC
2:15 PM – 2:30 PM	Conservative correction of tri-plane flatfoot deformity	TBC
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Surgical correction of tri-plane flatfoot deformity	TBC
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Osteoarthritis in Stage IV PTTD – presentation & surgical treatment	TBC
3:00 PM – 3:15 PM	Post-op rehab following flatfoot surgery	TBC
3:15 PM – 3:35 PM	Afternoon Break	
3:35 PM – 3:50 PM	Injection therapies for symptomatic flatfoot deformities	TBC
3:50 PM – 4:30 PM	Final Panel Discussion	