

Vein Care with Confidence

With unparalleled expertise and a patient-centered perspective, **Center for Vein Restoration** sets the standard in treatment for vein disorders.



“Many patients—as well as their doctors—don’t think vein disease is much of a threat,” says Dr. Laura Kelsey, Regional Medical Director of Western Michigan for Center for Vein Restoration (CVR). “Patients are willing to overlook related pain as long as it isn’t too intense. But with vein disease, there’s a slow progression. Are your legs restless at night? Do you experience frequent leg cramps? Are you eager to put your feet up at the end of the day? These are all subtle clues that your veins may be a problem, though many people dismiss them as symptoms of the aging process.”

Improving lives by providing safe, personalized, and positive treatment options for vein disorders since 2007, CVR is recognized as the clinical leader in vein care, offering a variety of minimally invasive, nearly pain-free solutions tailored to each patient’s comfort level to slow the progression of vein disease.

CVR boasts more than 80 locations nationwide, including several locations throughout Western Michigan. The local teams are particularly well-known for personalized, comprehensive care in a patient-centered environment. “We deliver clinical excellence, integrity, mutual respect, and trust,” says Dr. Kelsey. “That’s true of everyone who works for CVR, from our office staff to nurses to physicians. By the time a patient’s treatment is complete, we’ve proven we care, and they are a part of the CVR family.”

INNOVATIVE TREATMENT OPTIONS

“Varicose veins are finally being recognized as the serious affliction they have always been,” says Dr. Adria Ford. “They aren’t just the cosmetic issue they were assumed to be for years.” Instead, she remarks, they can significantly impact a person’s quality of life. Symptoms of vein disease that underly varicose veins include swelling of the feet and ankles, itchy and irritated skin, cramping, aching legs, and skin discoloration. All such issues may hinder both social and professional endeavors.

Vein disease can also cause problems that go beyond the more common symptoms and may even create life-threatening conditions. Left untreated, it may lead to venous hypertension—which threatens the integrity of the tissue in the legs and may result in ulcers—and deep vein thrombosis, which can embolize to the lungs and cause a stroke or heart attack.

“Fortunately, the treatment of varicose veins today is much different than it used

to be,” Dr. Ford explains. “Vein stripping and hospital-based procedures are a thing of the past.

“We offer a range of treatments—like laser and radiofrequency ablation and ambulatory phlebectomy—but more modern treatments, like Varithena® and VenaSeal™, are also available and effective.

“The team has been amazing! Their knowledge, compassion, and overall bedside manner are impeccable. If you have been suffering... schedule that appointment. You won’t be disappointed.” ~Angie, Patient

With all our treatments, closed veins are reabsorbed, and blood supply is rerouted through healthier veins,” Dr. Ford continues. “Again, the procedures are

minimally invasive with quick recovery times and little pain.”

Other options are also available, and in some cases, varicose veins can be managed through lifestyle changes.

“As our population continues to age, we will see more cases that are a serious risk to patients’ health,” says Dr. Kelsey. “It’s important for the public to know that treatment modalities have evolved to the point where there is nothing to fear. At CVR, we have the expertise and experience to make a difference.”



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