



Derald Madson, M.D.

A Quick Procedure That Can Change Lives

With 23 years of experience and thousands of successful procedures under his belt, **Derald Madson, M.D.**, is helping varicose vein patients improve their quality of life.

Varicose veins are a common, and unsightly, medical issue. The disease affects around 25% of women and over 12% of men at some point in their lives. HighPoint Vascular & Vein Associates' Derald Madson, M.D., says the physical appearance of the veins can also have an effect on a patient's mental health.

"It's a strong psychological stress on some people when they have significant varicose veins or even spider veins," he says. "It will stop them from wearing the clothing they want to wear. My goal is always to increase independence and freedom from health problems."

In addition to the cosmetic and psychological effects, varicose veins can cause chronic pain, ulcers, and can lead to limb amputation in rare cases. Luckily, treatment is available and can take as little as 15 minutes per session. The procedures are remarkably effective, with some boasting a staggering 98% success rate.

"In two or three days after treatment, those with ulcers can show significant improvement or even heal completely," says Dr. Madson, who has more than 23 years of experience treating vascular patients. "Those patients were in a lot of pain and are so relieved afterwards."

Helping people comes naturally to Dr. Madson, who keeps his patients informed and makes sure they are in safe hands from the initial consultation onwards. He learns about their hobbies and interests, plays gentle music during procedures, and does everything he can to keep the patient as relaxed as possible.

"To me it's just normal: It's the way I was raised and the way doctors are supposed to be. Being compassionate makes treatment a lot easier," he says.

Low Cost, Life Changing

When it comes to medical treatment, cost can be a concern. However, due to the deeper issues varicose veins can

cause, a lot of the procedures offered at HighPoint Vascular & Vein's clinic are covered by health insurance or Medicare. And in cases where an insurance company doesn't foot the bill, costs can be as low as \$200 per session.

"We document every symptom to maximize the chances of insurance coverage—where insurance doesn't cover the cost, we try to ensure the cost of treatment is manageable," Dr. Madson says.

Additionally, Dr. Madson keeps track of new treatments to ensure his clinic is always offering the best treatment. Safety and effectiveness are always the priority, even if a new treatment promises to make things easier for the surgeon or cut the institution's costs.

"People could feel so much better after a quick procedure," he says. "Our experience, along with the methods we use, means you are in safe hands. What we do could really change your life."



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