

## Press Release

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## ORTHOALLIANCE EXPANDS AGAIN BY ADDING ANOTHER ORTHOPEDIC PRACTICE IN COLUMBUS

**CINCINNATI** – OrthoAlliance (OA), one of the country's leading orthopedic management services organizations, has announced a new partnership with Granville, Ohio, based Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine (OSSM) that will add four physicians to OA's expanding network.

The partnership will enhance Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine's success and comprehensive approach to delivering specialized bone, joint, and muscle care to more patients throughout Central Ohio.

"The physicians at Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine are excited to join OrthoAlliance, the Midwest's most prominent orthopedic network. We feel this partnership will provide the capital and innovation needed to continue providing reliable, dependable, and cost-effective orthopedic treatment for our community," said OSSM Orthopedic Surgeon Edward L. Westerheide, M.D.

Based in Cincinnati, OA is a management services organization formed in partnership with leading Midwest physician practices and Revelstoke Capital Partners, a Denver-based private equity firm. The company is building one of the country's leading orthopedic management organizations, providing operations, marketing, and patient experience expertise and resources to partner practices working at the forefront of life-changing advances in orthopedics and sports medicine.

Since 2019, OA has grown quickly to 150 physicians and over 2,000 employees.

"At OrthoAlliance, we continue to build a network of like-minded orthopedic and sports medicine experts who are passionate about our mission to provide patients instant access to high quality and low-cost care." said OA CEO Andy Blankemeyer. "We are proud to welcome Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine to the OrthoAlliance family. Under this new partnership, Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine physicians will continue to deliver their patients with the high-quality care they have provided for over 45 years. We are excited about the future of our new partnership and the future of outpatient orthopedic medicine in the region."

Patients will experience no changes in the doctors they trust or the services they rely on from Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine. Patients will benefit from greater access to the

latest surgical and medical advances as well as additional resources and investment as we move into the future.

"With this partnership, and OrthoAlliance's proven track record, we will be able to expand while creating new career and development opportunities for our employees," Dr. Westerheide said.

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### **About OrthoAlliance**

OrthoAlliance is a nationally leading patient-centered, physician-led management services organization that helps orthopaedic practices grow and thrive in an ever-changing healthcare landscape. Formed in partnership with leading Midwest physician practices and Revelstoke Capital Partners, a Denver-based private equity firm in 2019, OrthoAlliance's partner practices feature 150 physicians across all orthopaedics and sports medicine specialties. OrthoAlliance strives to attract the most talented physicians and staff and deliver the highest quality care in the industry.

### **About Orthopedic Specialists and Sports Medicine**

Since 1976, Orthopedic Specialists & Sports Medicine has been dedicated to providing comprehensive and patient-centered orthopedic care to our patients. Recently expanding to a brand-new state-of-the-art facility in Granville, Ohio, our team is able to provide the best care possible utilizing the best facilities. OSSM offers on site clinical visits, physical therapy, massage therapy, x-ray, MRI, DEXA bone densitometry, durable medical equipment, and EKG and laboratory testing. We also offer easy access for patients with orthopedic urgent care, as well as same-day and walk-in appointments. We provide patients with cutting-edge surgical care at our award-winning outpatient surgical center. OSSM is proud to be joining OrthoAlliance to continue to grow and provide the best possible care to our patients.