## How to refer



## MultiCare Orthopedics & Sports Medicine – Auburn & Covington

<b>Candidate</b> Who can be referred?	X-rays and MRIs required for consults by some surgeons — you'll be advised at scheduling     Trial of PT if initial standard of care for injury     Not required: Conservative treatment and advanced imaging	
Work-up What is required?		
<b>Location</b> Where will the patient be seen?	MultiCare Orthopedics & Sports Medicine – Auburn 121 N. Division St., Suite 310 Auburn, WA 98001  For more information, visit multicare.org/orthopedics	MultiCare Orthopedics & Sports Medicine - Covington 17700 SE 272nd St., Suite 105 Covington, WA 98042
Services What clinical services and procedures are offered?	<ul> <li>Hip preservation (hip arthroscopy, labral repairs, treatment of hip impingement/FAI, pelvic and femoral osteotomies for dysplasia, proximal hamstring and gluteal tendon tears)</li> <li>New ACL reconstruction and meniscal repair (and other sport-related knee injuries)</li> <li>Nonsurgical musculoskeletal care, sport-related concussion, regenerative medicine (PRP injection, prolotherapy) and ultrasound-guided injections)</li> <li>Joint replacement surgery for shoulder, hip and knee</li> <li>Hand and upper extremity surgery</li> <li>PRP injections for tendon injuries and arthritis</li> <li>Treatment of orthopedics trauma and general orthopedic conditions</li> <li>Treatment of fractures and other musculoskeletal injuries of the upper and lower extremities</li> <li>Advanced Robotic Technology: Both Auburn Medical Center and Covington Medical Center feature the ROSA Knee robotic system.</li> </ul>	
Collaboration How will we coordinate care for the patient?	Our team uses the Epic electronic health record (EHR).  • For physicians and providers using Epic, you'll be copied on all notes related to the patient.  • For physicians and providers outside Epic, notes will be faxed to you.  • Our physicians may be contacted at 253-792-6555.	
Referral How do we refer?	<ul> <li>Epic users may refer to: MC ORTHO AND SPORTS MED</li> <li>Outside referrals, fax to 253-833-1071 or call 253-792-6555.</li> <li>Most insurance plans accepted. Prior authorization needed for TriCare, United Healthcare NPN and US Family Health plans.</li> </ul>	



## Meet our specialists

MultiCare Orthopedics & Sports Medicine is composed of board-certified and sub-specialty fellowship-trained orthopedists who will partner with you in the care of your patients.

We offer same-day and next-day appointments.



Brian Hill, MD

Auburn, West Tacoma

**Board certification**: Sports Medicine, Family Medicine

Special interests: Sports medicine, injury prevention and sports-related concussions



Issei Komatsu, MD

**Auburn, Good Samaritan** 

Board certification: Orthopedic Surgery

Special interests: Fracture care and surgery for hand, wrist, elbow and shoulder; plastic surgery

for hand and upper extremities

PA-C: Kali Thibault



Kevin Lawson, MD

Covington, Auburn

**Board certification**: Orthopedic Surgery

Special interests: Surgical revision of previous hip or knee replacement, management of hip and

knee arthritis, and treatment of orthopedic fragility fractures

**PA-C:** Kristen Roberts



Rufus Van Dyke, MD

**Auburn, Covington** 

Board certification: Orthopedic Surgery

**Special interests**: Shoulder and elbow surgery, fracture care, knee arthroscopy and upper

extremity problems

PA-C: Cindy Ratkovich



Linnea Welton, MD

**Auburn, Covington** 

**Board certification**: Orthopedic Surgery

Special interests: One of few surgeons who can perform complex arthroscopy and one of even

fewer who perform complex realignment procedures of the pelvis and femur

PA-C: Krista Guyll