Two Doctors - One Goal

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At Idaho Foot & Ankle Center, we provide <u>foot and ankle services</u> for patients throughout the <u>Idaho Falls</u> and <u>Rexburg</u> areas. With proper diagnosis and treatment, we can treat most foot and ankle problems! Our process is clear. The podiatrist specialists of <u>Idaho Foot & Ankle Center</u> will first listen to your symptoms, provide you with an individualized treatment, and prepare a plan to help get you back to the activities you love! We now have two doctors, <u>Dr. Kylin Kovac</u> and <u>Dr. Jed Erickson</u>, who have dedicated their lives to helping people with foot and ankle pain.

At a young age, Dr. Kovac was inspired by his grandfather who lost both of his legs due to <u>diabetes</u>. His desire was to gain a greater education in an effort to help others avoid that same outcome. He has extensive training in the challenges of diabetic patients in performing

limb salvage and diabetic wound care. Dr. Kovac's training in foot and ankle surgery includes everything from hammertoes and <a href="https://manufactures.com/hammertoes.com/hammert

Dr. Kovac is committed to improving your foot and ankle health concerns through both conservative and surgical methods. In his spare time, he enjoys sports, biking, outdoor activities, and spending time with his wife and six children.

Dr. Erickson was first exposed to Podiatry while serving a mission for his church in the Philippines. Dr. Erickson was able to see first-hand the complex congenital deformities and the life-long disabilities this caused among the Filipino people. While serving there, he came in contact with a group of physicians who were on a medical mission providing reconstructive surgeries for <u>clubfoot</u> deformities. This experience was Dr. Erickson's inspiration to seek out a career in the medical field and specifically directed to providing quality care and management through both conservative and surgical methods of the foot and ankle.

Dr. Erickson loves spending time with his family. He and his wife Emily have 4 beautiful children. Dr. Erickson enjoys watching and coaching their sporting activities. He also loves playing sports, including rodeo, where he still competes regularly in Team Roping. Dr. Kovac and Dr. Erickson have comprehensive training in Podiatric Surgery, Trauma Surgery, Pediatric Injuries, and Reconstructive Surgery. They also have extensive training in limb salvage and wound care. Dr. Kovac and Dr. Erickson provide treatment for ankle sprains, heel pain including plantar Fasciitis, sports injuries, ingrown toenails, diabetic foot care, and much more! At Idaho Foot and Ankle Center, we offer cutting edge medical treatments including MLS Laser Therapy and Lapiplasty. MLS Laser Therapy uses concentrated light energy to stimulate the body's own healing process. This therapy can help with foot or ankle pain associated with Neuropathy, Arthritis, Tendonitis, Plantar Fasciitis, Injuries, and more! With an 90% success rate, it helps reduce pain and inflammation the natural way with no known side effects!Lapiplasty is a patented procedure designed to fix your bunion right the first time. Instead of cutting and shifting the bone, it is rotated and shifted back into position which eliminates the unsightly bunion bump. The unstable foundation is then permanently secured allowing you to get back on your feet quickly!When your feet ache, all too often, this pain keeps you away from living your life like you would want. The innovative treatments provided by Dr. Kylin Kovac and Dr. Jed Erickson can help you return to a pain free life! With locations in Idaho Falls and Rexburg, we make it easier for you to receive the treatment that you need. Contact us for an appointment or you can even schedule it online here! At Idaho Foot and Ankle Center, you will receive the highest quality of care and an excellent healthcare experience.