

# We Get It, **SURGERY** IS INTIMIDATING!

Exclusively foot & ankle  
**Paragon<sup>28</sup>**<sup>®</sup>

## FORTUNATELY, TREATMENT HAS EVOLVED.

Now your bunion can be addressed through this first of its kind procedure which may limit scarring and pain associated with footwear.

*The procedure is designed to address the source of the toe deformity, which may leave you with a **straighter toe and a smaller scar.***



### Smaller Less Visible Scars

Our Minimally Invasive System reduces the length of the incision, resulting in smaller scars when compared with traditional approaches.



### Less Invasive

Limited dissection of surrounding tissues may allow for a more rapid recovery post operatively<sup>1</sup>.



### No Hardware Prominence

Once the Nail is inserted, it is completely in bone. This can minimize concerns associated with other procedures where the hardware rests on the bone, potentially causing irritation with shoes post-surgery<sup>2</sup>.

The Phantom<sup>®</sup> MIS procedure was developed for the patient who desires a **rapid return to activity**, the **smallest scars possible**, and wishes to **get back to activity quickly**. The procedure is typically **done in an outpatient setting** and is frequently **covered by medical insurance**.

Request the Phantom<sup>®</sup> MIS Procedure—Your surgeon will know you did your homework.

To learn more about the Phantom<sup>®</sup> MIS procedure and find a doctor near you, visit [misbunionfix.com/find-a-surgeon](http://misbunionfix.com/find-a-surgeon).

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**PHANTOM<sup>®</sup>**  
INTRAMEDULLARY NAIL



## A **BETTER** Option For Your **BUNION**

You may be a candidate for an innovative minimally invasive treatment option which is designed to correct your bunion

### **PHANTOM<sup>®</sup> MIS PROCEDURE** (Minimally Invasive Surgery)

**POWERFUL CORRECTION**  
**LIMITED SCARRING**

**Paragon<sup>28</sup>**<sup>®</sup>

## YOU HAVE A CHOICE

when it comes to how your foot looks after surgery

Traditional surgical approaches may be characterized by large incisions and scarring.



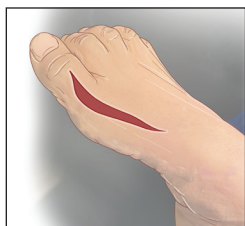
### Traditional Open Dorsal Approach

The surgeon makes a 3-6 inch incision along the top of your foot



### Traditional Open Medial Approach

The surgeon makes a 3-6 inch incision along the midline of your foot



### Traditional Open Distal Approach

A 3-4 inch incision is made along the top of your foot

## PHANTOM® MIS NAIL



### SMALLER INCISIONS = LESS SCARRING

The Phantom® MIS procedure is designed to correct your bunion with three separate incisions, which are each 0.4 inches or less. This procedure requires shorter incisions than traditional approaches leaving you with far less scarring.

# Don't let **BUNION PAIN** keep you from doing what you **LOVE**



## SO HOW IS IT FIXED?

The Phantom® MIS (Minimally Invasive Surgery) procedure is a first of its kind approach which offers revolutionary fixation within the bone, designed to minimize discomfort associated with traditional bunion procedures. This technology and approach stabilizes the correction through three very short incisions, leaving you with a cosmetically appealing result when compared to traditional approaches.

**BEFORE**



**AFTER**



## WHAT SURGEONS AND PATIENTS ARE SAYING ABOUT THE PHANTOM® MIS NAIL



“Other minimally invasive bunion procedures fail to adequately stabilize the joints and may have a high risk of recurrence. The minimally invasive Phantom® MIS procedure combines the benefits of rapid

healing and early weight-bearing associated with limited incision surgeries with the proven track record, powerful correction, and low recurrence rate of the traditional Lapidus procedure. We don't have to compromise: we can benefit from modern surgical techniques without abandoning all the lessons of the past.”

— Dr. Gregory Guyton, MD

MedStar Union | Memorial Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland



“A life without rowing was unimaginable, luckily I worked with a surgeon to find a solution which allowed me to achieve correction and eliminate my pain.

What I loved the most was a minimally invasive solution and life has been incredible with this solution. The healing process was so quick and I was really impressed and my life has changed and I am now able to run, row, swim and do more than I ever could prior to surgery.”

— Tracy

Phantom Nail Patient | Austin, Texas

**Important Risk Information:** Only a surgeon can tell if the Phantom® MIS Procedure and Phantom® Intramedullary Nail is right for you. There are potential risks, and recovery takes time. Potential risks include but are not limited to infection, discomfort, or swelling due to balancing and introduction of the implant, loosening of the implant, and loss of correction.