



University Orthopedics Renews Partnership with MIAA

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FRANKLIN, Mass. (October 16, 2023)—The Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association is pleased to announce it has renewed its partnership with University Orthopedics as an official partner of the MIAA.

The partnership will continue to focus on the southeastern part of the state, with University Orthopedics supporting MIAA events taking place in Districts 7 and 8. University Orthopedics will also serve as the Presenting Sponsor of numerous MIAA postseason events in this area.

“The MIAA is thrilled to renew our partnership with University Orthopedics,” said Bob Baldwin, Executive Director of the MIAA. “The health and wellness of our student-athletes is major priority for us and we are thankful for University’s support of this initiative.”

“The MIAA provides such an important role in the lives of thousands of student-athletes and their families. Through this continued partnership, we hope to have a positive impact on the care and well-being of those young people,” said Edward Akelman, MD, President of University Orthopedics. “When our MIAA partnership first began, we had just opened our first Massachusetts location in Mansfield. Since then, we’ve added offices in Easton, Raynham, and Plymouth, making us even better positioned to provide MIAA communities with the orthopedic care they need and the convenience they want.”

In addition to 12 convenient locations in Massachusetts and Rhode Island, University Orthopedics is uniquely positioned to care for younger patients as the region’s only orthopedic practice with a division dedicated to pediatric cases. The practice also has three [OrthoDirect](#) locations, including one in Mansfield, offering same-day and next-day treatment for acute orthopedic injuries, and on-site X-ray technology for expedited, accurate diagnosis and treatment.

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About University Orthopedics

University Orthopedics (UOI, universityorthopedics.com), with clinic locations in Rhode Island (East Greenwich, East Providence, Johnston, Providence, Middletown, North Providence, Portsmouth, and Westerly) and Massachusetts (Mansfield, North Easton, Plymouth, and Raynham), is a regional center for orthopedics, sports medicine, and rehabilitation. UOI includes more than 60 board-certified orthopedic, fellowship-trained musculoskeletal, and sports medicine physicians. These specialists are faculty members of the Department of Orthopaedics at the Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University who teach medical students, orthopedic residents, and fellowship sub-specialty surgeons.

About the MIAA

The Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association serves in-state member schools and their students by providing leadership and support for interscholastic athletics programs in order to enrich the educational experience for all participants. The organization seeks to help students learn values associated with sports participation, such as discipline, performing under stress, teamwork, confidence, and leadership through participation in athletic pursuits as “the other half of education.”

