

# Mark D. Epstein, M.D., F.A.C.S.

## Specialties

- Plastic, Cosmetic and Reconstructive Surgery
- Hand and Microsurgery

## Education

- **Medical School:**  
Doctor of Medicine  
State University of New York Health Sciences Center  
Brooklyn, NY  
1980 - 1984
- **Internship:**  
General Surgery  
University of Cincinnati Medical Center  
Cincinnati, OH  
1984 - 1985
- **Residency:**  
General Surgery  
University of Cincinnati Medical Center  
Cincinnati, OH  
1985 - 1990
- **Residency:**  
Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery  
The Milton S. Hershey Medical Center of the Pennsylvania State University  
Hershey, PA  
1990 - 1992
- **Clinical Fellowship:**  
Reconstructive Microsurgery  
Chang Gung Memorial Hospital  
Taipei, Taiwan  
Oct 1991 - Dec 1991
- **Clinical Fellowship:**  
Hand Surgery  
Raymond Curtis Hand Center  
Union Memorial Hospital  
Baltimore, MD  
July 92 - June 93
- **Clinical Fellowship:**  
Microsurgery  
The Brigham & Women's Hospital / Boston Children's Hospital  
Div of Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery

Harvard Medical School  
Boston, MA  
July 93 - June 94

## Research Fellowships

- **SUNY Downstate Medical Center** - Brooklyn, NY  
Department of Physiology - Research Assistant (1978 - 1982)  
Vascular Smooth Muscle Response to Pressors; Neurophysiology of Respiration;  
Effect of Early Feeding on Mesenteric Blood Flow in Neonates; Designed and  
constructed specialized instrumentation for some of above named projects
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- **New York University Medical Center** - New York, NY  
Institute for Reconstructive Plastic Surgery - Research Assistant (1984)  
Developed a miniature self-inflating tissue expander which was subsequently  
used to demonstrate improved bone graft survival in a rabbit model.
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- **Shriners Burn Institute** - Cincinnati, OH (1987-1988)

Microbial translocation and investigated gastrointestinal barrier function in burn sepsis.

## Professional Memberships & Affiliations

- Fellow, American College of Surgeons
- American Society of Plastic Surgeons
- American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgeons

## Academic & Hospital Appointments

- **Chief Resident & Clinical Instructor in Surgery**  
Department of Surgery  
University of Cincinnati Medical Center  
Cincinnati, OH  
1989 - 1990
- **Chief Resident & Clinical Instructor in Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery**  
Milton S. Hershey Medical Center  
Hershey, PA  
1991 - 1992
- **Fellow in Hand Surgery**  
Union Memorial Hospital  
Baltimore, MD  
1992 - 1993
- **Fellow in Microvascular Surgery**  
Brigham & Women's Hospital

- Boston, MA  
1993 - 1994
- **Assistant Professor of Surgery**  
State University of New York  
Health Sciences Center at Stony Brook  
Stony Brook, NY  
1994 - 1997 , 2002 – Present (Clinical Assistant Professor)
  - **Chief of Plastic Surgery**  
North Shore Surgi-Center  
Health Sciences Center at Stony Brook  
Smithtown, NY  
2004 - Present

## **Board Certifications**

- **National Board of Medical Examiners**  
Diplomate - 1985
- **American Board of Surgery**  
Board Certified - September 1991  
Re-Certified - October 2000  
Certificate # - 36574
- **American Board of Plastic Surgery**  
Board Certified - November 1996  
Re-Certified - April 2004  
Certificate # - 5032
- **Certificate of Added Qualification in Surgery of the Hand**  
August 1997  
Re-certified - August 2004  
Certificate # - 428

## **Licensure**

- New York State

## **Hospital Affiliations**

- North Shore SurgiCenter - Smithtown, NY
- St. Catherine's of Siena Hospital- Smithtown, NY
- Peconic Bay Medical Center - Riverhead, NY
- University Medical Center at Stony Brook - Stony Brook, NY