



DR. DEV ANAND GALAGALI

Associate Consultant - Orthopaedics

Qualification

MBBS | Master of Surgery (Orthopaedics)

Overview

Dr. Dev Anand Galagali is a technically adept orthopaedic surgeon in Malleshwaram with specialised expertise in foot and ankle surgery, trauma, and joint reconstruction. He is currently practising as an Associate Consultant – Orthopaedics at Manipal Hospital Malleshwaram, Bangalore, bringing over 3 years of focused clinical and surgical experience in orthopaedics, including advanced training in complex deformity correction, ankle preservation procedures, and arthroplasty. With focused training through MS Orthopaedics and dedicated fellowships in foot and ankle surgery, Dr. Galagali has developed a refined clinical practice centred on both routine and highly specialised orthopaedic conditions. His expertise in foot and ankle disorders, combined with hands-on exposure to high-volume surgical centres, contributes to his growing recognition as one of the best orthopaedic doctors in Malleshwaram for lower limb and sports-related conditions. Dr. Galagali's surgical expertise spans a wide range of procedures, particularly in foot and ankle orthopaedics. He routinely performs flatfoot corrections, deformity corrections, ankle arthroscopy, ligament reconstructions, and fusion procedures for advanced arthritis.

His clinical work also includes the management of Charcot foot and ankle, a complex condition requiring meticulous planning and staged reconstruction. He has a keen interest in total ankle arthroplasty and has undergone specialised international exposure in this domain, further strengthening his ability to manage ankle arthritis with both joint-preserving and replacement strategies. In addition to foot and ankle surgery, he is proficient in trauma care and general orthopaedics. His experience includes managing fractures, performing fixation procedures, and addressing post-traumatic complications. He is also actively involved in knee and hip arthroplasty, including joint replacement surgeries, as well as arthroscopic procedures for ligament injuries and sports-related conditions. This breadth of experience allows him to provide comprehensive orthopaedic care across age groups and clinical complexities. Dr. Galagali's clinical approach is grounded in detailed evaluation, functional restoration, and long-term outcome optimisation. He places emphasis on understanding biomechanical alignment and tailoring surgical interventions accordingly, particularly in deformity correction and reconstructive procedures. His decision-making integrates both conservative and surgical pathways, ensuring that treatment plans are individualised and aligned with patient needs and activity levels. Academically, he has an extensive portfolio of publications in reputed journals such as Journal of Clinical Orthopaedics and Trauma, BMJ Case Reports, and Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery. His research work focuses on foot biomechanics, deformity correction, arthroscopy techniques, and trauma outcomes. He has also contributed to textbook chapters and serves as a reviewer and editorial board member for orthopaedic journals, reflecting his active engagement in advancing the field. His academic contributions and surgical precision further establish him among the best orthopaedic doctors in Malleshwaram for specialised orthopaedic care. Dr. Galagali is fluent in English, Kannada, Hindi, and Telugu, enabling effective communication with a diverse patient population. He is known for his structured consultations, where he

clearly explains diagnoses, imaging findings, and treatment options, helping patients make informed decisions about their care.

Fellowship & Membership

- Clinical Fellowship in Foot and Ankle Surgery - Centre of Excellence in Foot and Ankle, Kantonsspital Baselland, Bruderholz and Liestal, Switzerland, 13 October 2025 to 24 October 2025
- Clinical hands-on fellowship with comprehensive education in orthopaedic foot and ankle conditions under Prof Beat Hintermann, pioneer of modern total ankle replacements
- Main focus on total ankle replacements for ankle arthritis
- Also involved deformity corrections, flatfoot corrections, ankle ligament and sports injuries, acute and neglected trauma, and Charcot reconstructions
- Fellowship in Foot and Ankle Surgery (IFAS), Indian Foot and Ankle Society (IFAS), Ramaiah Medical College and Hospitals, Bengaluru, Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Trauma and Orthopaedics, Bengaluru, September 2023 to March 2024
- Performed and assisted multiple surgical procedures in foot and ankle surgery at Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Orthopaedics and Trauma and Ramaiah Medical College and Hospitals under supervision of Dr Ajoy SM and Dr Shekar M
- Included deformity corrections, management of Charcot foot, fusions for arthritis, flatfoot corrections, foot and ankle trauma, foot and ankle arthroscopy, and ligament injuries around the ankle
- Closely associated with Ramaiah Tissue Bank, Bengaluru
- Certifications
- Adult and Paediatric Basic Life Support Certified medical practitioner 2019 and 2022
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program Certified 2019

- Licenses
- Karnataka Medical Council Licensing number KMC 136226 2020 onwards
- Delhi Medical Council Licensing number DMC 112953 2024 onwards
- Memberships
- Indian Foot and Ankle Society life member since 2023
- Karnataka Orthopaedic Association life member since 2023
- Bangalore Orthopaedic Society life member since 2025

Field of Expertise

- Foot and Ankle Surgery
- Arthroscopy and Sports Surgery
- Hip, Knee and Shoulder Joint Arthroplasty
- Paediatric Orthopaedics
- Ilizarov, Deformity Correction and Limb Reconstruction Surgery
- Spine Surgery
- Orthopaedic Oncology

Languages Spoken

- English
- Hindi
- Kannada

Talks & Publications

- Philips, Alphy Cherian; Bhatia, Aanchal; Galagali, Dev Anand. Conservative Management of Pediatric Flat Foot: A Review of Literature. Journal of Orthopaedic Trauma and Reconstruction

- 2(2): 34–38, Jul–Dec 2025. DOI: 10.4103/OTR.OTR_21_25
- Shraavan, Y. C.; Philips, Alphy Cherian; Galagali, Dev Anand; Ajoy, Shiv Manik. Use of Ring External Fixator in a Case of Open Lisfranc Injury. *Journal of Orthopaedic Trauma and Reconstruction* 2(2): 50–53, Jul–Dec 2025. DOI: 10.4103/OTR.OTR_18_25
 - Yelemele Chandrashekhar S; Philips AC; Ajoy SM; Galagali DA. Extra-osseous talotarsal stabilisation device for a flail-deformed foot. *BMJ Case Reports* 2025;18(4):e265106. DOI: 10.1136/bcr-2025-265106
 - Raccha R; Galagali DA. A Novel, Low-cost Distraction Technique for Ankle Arthroscopy – A technical note. *Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery (Asia Pacific)* 2024. DOI: 10.5005/jp-journals-10040-1373
 - Bhatia A; Ajoy SM; Galagali DA; Kotian R; Singh I. Correlation of Progressive Collapsing Foot Deformity with varus knee alignment in young adults – A case control study. *Journal of Clinical Orthopaedics and Trauma* 2024. DOI: 10.1016/j.jcot.2024.102526
 - Bhatia A; Ajoy SM; Galagali DA; Debur R. Electromyographic Analysis of Large Muscle Activity in Progressive Collapsing Foot Deformity. *Foot & Ankle Specialist* 2024. DOI: 10.1177/19386400241265547
 - Ajoy SM; Graham ME; Galagali DA. Weightbearing Dynamic Foot and Ankle Fluoroscopy – A useful diagnostic examination with emphasis on the talotarsal joint: A technical note. *Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery (Asia Pacific)* 2024. DOI: 10.5005/jp-journals-10040-1355
 - Gowda CS; Mirza K; Galagali DA. Rotator Cuff Tears: Correlation Between Clinical Examination, MRI and Arthroscopy. *Cureus* 2024;16(3):e56065. DOI: 10.7759/cureus.56065
 - Ajoy SM; Bhatia A; Galagali DA. Foot length – A reliable predictor of posterior tibial tendon thickness: A cadaveric study.

- Journal of Clinical Orthopaedics and Trauma 2023;44:102252. DOI: 10.1016/j.jcot.2023.102252
- Ajoy SM; Bhatia A; Galagali DA. Hallux Valgus: An unusual presentation of forefoot Charcot arthropathy. Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery (Asia Pacific) 2023. DOI: 10.5005/jp-journals-10040-1310
 - Kumar Y; Bhatia A; Ajoy SM; Galagali DA. Rare giant schwannoma of superficial peroneal nerve on dorsum of foot. BMJ Case Reports 2023;16(7):e255118. DOI: 10.1136/bcr-2023-255118
 - Galagali DA; Bhatia A; Kumar P; Ajoy SM. Fresh Fractures: A new indication for use of bone allografts – A 10-year data analysis. Journal of Orthopaedics (JOIO) 2023;57:1490–1496. DOI: 10.1007/s43465-023-00953-z
 - Galagali DA; Bhatia A; Ajoy SM; Vohra R. Navicular Tuberosity: A surface landmark for the masterknot of Henry. Indian Journal of Orthopaedics 2023;57(7):1100–1104. DOI: 10.1007/s43465-023-00883-w
 - Thoppanahalli Venkatesh R; Galagali DA; Bhatia A. Negative pressure therapy in distal femur fracture with internal degloving injury. BMJ Case Reports 2023;16:e253009. DOI: 10.1136/bcr-2022-253009
 - Mundra M; Mohanty S; Galagali DA; Michael Raj J; Shubha AM. Renal histopathological changes in children with congenital ureteropelvic junction obstruction. Clinical Pediatrics 2024. DOI: 10.1177/00099228241261489
 - Nagaraj D; Kiran PR; Abhishek G; Galagali DA; Babu S; Angeline N. Knowledge and perceptions of infertility among adults in Anekal Taluk Hospital, Karnataka. International Journal of Advanced Community Medicine 2023;6(2):52–56
 - Publications in Books - Singh I; Galagali DA. Foot care for Seniors: Steps to stay mobile, Orthocare for Elderly, IOA DOA eBook 2025

- Galagali DA. Orthopedics in Adolescent Health, IAP Color Atlas of Pediatrics, Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers 2024
- Galagali DA; Achar SYC. Orthopedics in Adolescent Health, IAP Color Atlas of Pediatrics, Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers 2024
- Abstracts Published - Applied anatomy of the medial aspect of the foot – a cadaveric study, IFASCON 2022, Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery (Asia Pacific) 2022. DOI: 10.5005/jfasap-9-s1-s189
- Effect of Progressive Collapsing Foot Deformity on activity of large muscle groups of the lower limb – IFASCON 2023, Journal of Foot & Ankle Surgery (Asia Pacific) 2023. DOI: 10.5005/jp-journals-10040-1322
- Articles in Press - Decreased Evertor Strength Following Peroneus Longus Tendon Harvest for ACL Reconstruction – Bone and Joint Journal
- Authors – Kotian R; Ajoy SM; Panduranga R; Vishweshwara RD; Galagali DA; Singh I; Patil S; Jagadish S
- Book Chapter in Press - Allografts in Foot and Ankle Disorders – Advanced Foot and Ankle Surgical Techniques: A Practical Guide, Springer Nature Authors – Galagali DA; Ajoy SM
- Articles Under Review - Functional and radiological outcomes after direct fixation of posterior malleolar fractures through posterolateral approach – Journal of Clinical Orthopaedics and Trauma Authors – JSRG Saran; Ajoy SM; Galagali DA; Issac NV
- Editorial Board Membership - Section Editor – Foot and Ankle, Journal of Orthopaedic Trauma and Reconstruction (Karnataka Orthopaedic Association journal)