

STEVEN M. FENDLEY, M.D.
General, Robotic, and Bariatric Surgeon

Curriculum Vitae and Biography

Education: University of South Alabama School of Medicine, MD
1984

Auburn University, BS, Chemistry/Pre-Medicine
1980, Magna Cum Laude

Residency Training: University of South Alabama Medical Center Residency, General Surgery
1989

Certification: American Board of Surgery
1990-Present

Licensure: Alabama 12208
1985-Present

Practice: Wiregrass Surgical Associates
4300 West Main Street, Suite 24
Dothan, AL 36305
1989-Present

Hospital Affiliations: Flowers Hospital
4370 West Main Street
Dothan, AL 36305
1989-Present

Dothan Surgery Center
2800 Ross Clark Circle
Dothan, AL 36301
1989-2024

Southeast Alabama Medical Center
1108 Ross Clark Circle
Dothan, AL 36301
1989-2013

Hospital Positions: Medical Director, Robotic Services
Flowers Hospital
2023-Present

Medical Executive Committee
Flowers Hospital
2023-Present

Surgical Team Leader
Center for Metabolic and Weight Surgery Center of
Excellence, MBSAQIP Accredited

Flowers Hospital
2015-Present

Past Member, Board of Directors
Dothan Surgery Center

Past Member, Board of Trustees
Flowers Hospital

Past Member, Board of Trustees
Southeast Alabama Medical Center

Past Chief of Staff
Southeast Alabama Medical Center

Past Chief of Surgery
Southeast Alabama Medical Center

Past Member, Quality Risk Management Committee
Flowers Hospital

Past Member, Quality Risk Management Committee
Southeast Alabama Medical Center

Robotic Positions:

Key Opinion Leader
Intuitive Surgical
2017-Present

Site Mentor for da Vinci Robotics
Intuitive Surgical
2017-Present

Consultant for Proctoring and Surgeon-Led Training
Intuitive Surgical
2017-Present

Professional Affiliations:

Fellow of the American College of Surgeons
Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons
American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery
Medical Association of the State of Alabama
Houston County Medical Society

Honors/Memberships:

Best Resident
University of South Alabama Medical Center
1989 & 1987

Best Intern
University of South Alabama Medical Center
1985

Outstanding Student in Surgery
University of South Alabama College of Medicine
1984

Alpha Omega Alpha
University of South Alabama Medical School

Phi Kappa Phi
Auburn University

Brief Biography:

With over 38 years of experience in a high volume general surgery practice in which he is the senior partner, Dr. Steve Fendley has extensive expertise and experience in open, laparoscopic and robotic surgery. Regionally, he was among the first general surgeons to immerse himself in training on the da Vinci Robot in 2012, now having completed over 3,400 robotic cases. In the course of his high volume, full service general surgery practice, he gained proficiency in hernia repair, anti-reflux repair, EGD/colonoscopy, mastectomy, colectomy, gastric sleeve, cholecystectomy, appendectomy, hemorrhoidectomy as well other common general surgery procedures. Robotically, he specializes in hernia repair, gastric sleeves and colectomies. The opportunity to grow his skill set with the latest advancements in technology combined with his vast expertise in surgery and his aggressive pursuit of knowledge of emerging technology give him a unique and invaluable perspective on complicated and problematic general surgery cases. After completing medical school and surgical residency in Mobile, Alabama, he and his wife of over 38 years, Joyce, moved to Dothan, Alabama where he enjoys a stellar reputation in the medical community. They are the proud parents of two daughters, Michaela and Madison.

Manuscripts Published:

Poor, Alex and Fendley, S., et.al. "Single-port-access (SPA) cholecystectomy : A Multi-institutional report of the first 297 cases." Surg End (2010): 1854-1860

<http://www.pubfacts.com/author/Alex+Poor>

Tam, Le H., Steven M. Fendley, Ernest D. Graves, III, William O. Thomas, III, and Charles B. Rodning. "Incisional/Ventral Herniorraphy Employing Bilateral Reversed Anteriorrectus Abdominis Health." Clinical Anatomy 7.1 (1994): 13-20. Print.