

Specialized foot wear, accessories now available at Thunderbird Internal Medicine

Glendale, Ariz. (Feb. 21, 2011) - Diabetics who need to stay vigilant with their foot care can now find comfortable shoes, socks and inserts thanks to the availability of Dr. Comfort® footwear at Thunderbird Internal Medicine.

Part of a complete foot care regimen, Dr. Comfort® footwear is designed specifically for people with diabetes and other foot-related health issues. Products available include shoes, inserts and socks made to address these patients' special needs.

The shoes feature lightweight materials to reduce fatigue, extra width and depth in the toe box and forefoot to reduce pressure, protective features which help prevent injuries and a non-skid, long wearing outsole for increased traction. In addition to the medical considerations adopted in shoe construction, a variety of style choices are offered.

Medicare and some private insurers may pay for one pair of shoes per year. Each pair of shoes comes with a gel insert.

To schedule a fitting and a foot care evaluation, call 602.938.6960.

Thunderbird Internal Medicine has served Valley residents for more than three decades. The practice has grown to three locations and offers 15 physicians, audiology services, a full-service sleep lab and colorectal surgeons for colonoscopy. For more information, visit www.thunderbirdim.com.