

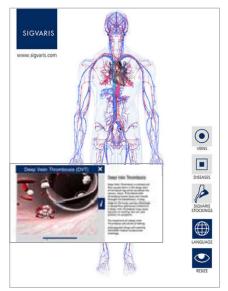
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SIGVARIS Launches New iPad App Designed to Help Physicians Better Explain Leg Health to Their Patients

Journey below the skins surface for a better understanding of leg health and venous disorders with SIGVARIS' new educational app for iPad.

PEACHTREE CITY, GA – Physicians who advise patients about their leg health now have a new tool at their fingertips. SIGVARIS' new app goes beneath the skins surface to help explain the circulatory system and leg health conditions to patients in an illustrative way that is easy to understand.



Traveling deep into the circulatory system, the new, FREE app from SIGVARIS highlights how the circulatory system works. It features interactive animations that display various medical conditions such as deep vein thrombosis (blood clots), spider veins, varicose veins, edema (swelling) and leg ulcers, making it easier for physicians to talk with their patients.

The app also highlights how graduated compression stockings can aid in helping to improve overall circulation by providing a close-up look at how these garments work from the inside out.

The SIGVARIS app is already at work at vascular clinics and medical offices around the world.

"The SIGVARIS iPad app will be a great tool in helping me explain venous diseases to my patients," says Dr. Ariel Soffer. "When you can show patients how a blood clot forms or the exact veins that have been affected by venous

insufficiency, it gives them a much clearer understanding about what is happening within their body. The appalso shows patients what happens inside their legs as they wear graduated compression stockings."

"This has increased compliance in patients who need to be wearing graduated compression every day," Soffer adds. Dr. Soffer also plans to detail this aid to physicians who attend the Vein Experts Training Academy in South Florida.

The new app is offered in four languages: English, Portuguese, German and French and is available for free in the Apple iPad app store, https://itunes.apple.com/en/app/sigvaris-phlebo-app/id781407362?mt=8. For more information about leg health or graduated compression, please visit www.sigvarisusa.com.

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