

# Biography of Francis Herrbold

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Francis Herrbold, a highly recognized Cardiovascular Surgeon from Pensacola Beach, Florida, has significantly contributed to medicine for over two decades. He embarked on his academic journey at Green Bay Southwest High School and completed his Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Marquette University. He then received a Master's degree in Physiology and a Medical Degree from the University of Florida. He completed his General Surgery Residency at the Medical College of Wisconsin and his Cardiovascular Surgery Fellowship in 2005 at the University of Florida.

### Career

He has an impressive career record. He worked at the Phoebe Putney Health System in Albany, Georgia, from 2005 to 2020, where he proved himself a dedicated and skilled surgeon. He then joined HCA/West Florida Hospital, where he continues to work today.

Herrbold's proficiency in surgical skills, including valve replacement/repair, aortic aneurysm repair, and aortic dissection repair, has earned him immense recognition and respect in his field. He has been regularly rated among the top 100 cardiovascular surgeons and has multiple positive reviews on physician rating sites, including Health Grades.

His magnificent surgical skills earned him the prestigious Golden Scalpel Recipient title in 2003. He is also dual Board-Certified in Thoracic and General Surgery.

### Awards & Recognitions

Francis has earned numerous awards and recognitions throughout his career. He established the prestigious Mark W. Herrbold Memorial Award, which is a University of Florida endowment award presented annually to a medical student who demonstrates exceptional dedication and perseverance in the pursuit of their medical education. He was also selected for the Heart to Heart mission trip in the Dominican Republic on two occasions in 2016 and 2019. Notably, he was honored as a Golden Scalpel Recipient in 2003 and has consistently ranked among the top 100 Cardiovascular Surgeons, showcasing his commitment to excellence in patient care and surgical outcomes.

### **Hobbies**

When not performing life-saving surgeries, he loves boating and fishing, hobbies he picked up from his Father. He is also an active member of Florida Fun Fishers. He cherishes the peace and freedom he experiences while boating and fishing and values the camaraderie of the fishing club.

### **Charity Work**

Besides his job and hobbies, he has been actively involved in charitable endeavors. Along with supporting Tunnels to Towers, he is also a generous donor to the Mark Herrbold Memorial Award and the University of Florida Endowment.

Francis Herrbold, M.D., continues to contribute substantially to cardiovascular surgery while harmoniously balancing his personal life and hobbies. His dedication to his profession and commitment to the community inspire many.