

CHICAGO, IL, October 10, 2013 **/24-7PressRelease/** -- Now that summer is over, many people begin to lose sight of the appearance of their toes. While people will begin to bring out their closed toed shoes and boots, it is important to continue to maintain healthy, happy toes during the fall and winter seasons, and Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. offers helpful advice for patients in Chicago with nail fungus.

Toenail fungus is a fungal condition that develops when fungus enters and grows beneath the toenail. Although it can also affect fingernails, toenail fungus is more likely to occur in feet rather than hands. Patients can develop toenail fungus from an array of different sources. In many cases, it can be hard to diagnose the exact cause of toenail fungus, which makes it harder to prevent reoccurrence. The fungus that is responsible for the infection tends to thrive best in warm and wet environments, such as the shower or locker room.

"At Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. we want to help our patients maintain healthy feet no matter what the season is," said Dr. Marc Feder, a Chicago podiatrist. "If you have toenail fungus it is important to not go without treatment. We are available to provide appropriate treatment so your feet can remain fungus free even when closed toed shoes are your staple footwear for the upcoming season."

By following basic foot care guidelines patients can head off most common foot fungus problems. Toenail fungus thrives in warm, damp places. For this reason, Drs. Joel and Marc Feder urge their patients to take extra precautions in pools and locker rooms. Patients should also wear dry cotton socks-changing them two or three times a day if needed.

"It is also important to remember not to share shoes or socks with anyone, as this fungus can easily spread through sharing of shoes or socks. This is the same for nail clippers or nail files-don't share. By taking extra precautions you can ensure the health of your toes and feet," said Dr. Joel Feder, a Chicago podiatrist.

Patients who have already developed toenail fungus can rest easy with advanced treatments from Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. Drs. Joel and Marc Feder offer PinPointe FootLaser to help eliminate embarrassing toenail fungus. Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. was the first provider of the PinPointe FootLaser in Chicago, and continues to offer this state-of-the-art procedure to help patients eliminate toenail fungus.

The PinPointe FootLaser is an FDA cleared UVA patented Infrared Laser that heals nail fungus

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at the speed of light, without pain and pills. Treatment with the PinPointe FootLaser does not cause loss or damage to the nail, and is performed in one easy treatment session. With the PinPointe FootLaser in Chicago, treatment will take approximately 45 minutes to treat all nails. After treatment, on average, a toenail will replace itself every six to nine months, and healthy new growth should be visible by the four-month checkup.

Before patients hide their toes for the fall and winter season, Drs. Joel and Marc Feder of Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. encourage their patients to visit their office for further treatment. Just because patients can hide their toes with boots doesn't mean he or she should. The PinPointe FootLaser is available to provide relief from embarrassing Six Corners nail fungus.

Patients are encouraged to contact Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. for further consultation and treatment of toenail fungus by calling (773) 202-8800 or by requesting an appointment online at <http://www.aplfeet.com/>

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About Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd: Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. are serving patients throughout the Chicagoland area and the Near North neighborhood. Originally established in 1945 by Dr. Harold Feder, his sons, Drs. Joel and Marc Feder at the Six Corners Medical Center, now continue the original practice. Offering an array of podiatric services, including Six Corners laser toenail treatment, Affiliated Podiatrists, Ltd. continues to satisfy its' patients foot and ankle needs- time and time again.

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