



#### About Kenneth Beer, MD

Kenneth R. Beer, MD, FAAD, is a board certified dermatologist and dermatopathologist who is one of a few cosmetic and surgical dermatologists to be credentialed in both specialties. He is a voluntary assistant professor at the University of Miami and a consulting associate in the department of medicine at Duke University. Dr. Beer serves on various committees, including the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery and the American Academy of Dermatology, as well as a medical expert for the Agency for Health Care Administration. By combining his dermatology and dermatopathology expertise, Dr. Beer has become a leader in skin cancer surgery and reconstruction. He conducts clinical trials in skin cancer prevention and treatment as well as many trials for cosmetic indications. Dr. Beer is known nationally and internationally as the Founder of The Cosmetic Bootcamp, the premiere training program for cosmetic dermatology and surgical training for dermatologists and physicians from across the country.

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Penn Dermatology gratefully acknowledges Kenneth R. Beer, MD, FAAD as a founding donor to the Penn Cutaneous Regeneration Initiative. Dr. Beer, a Penn medical school alumnus, has made a generous donation in support of this innovative effort.

"I am interested in funding the Skin Regeneration effort at the University of Pennsylvania because I believe, under the direction of Dr. Cotsarelis, that Penn Dermatology can do great things," notes Dr. Beer.

"I think Penn Dermatology has an opportunity to unlock the potential that skin stem cells have, not only for dermatology but for medicine in general. The University of Pennsylvania gave me the medical education that allowed me to succeed and this is my way of beginning to pay them back," he adds.

"I am very interested in stem cells and proud to support this initiative and I look forward to the day that I can use stem cells in my Palm Beach dermatology practice," says Dr. Beer.

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