

Sweeney Bio:

Dr. Sweeney grew up in the blue-collar town of Portage, Indiana to the son of an ironworker and school bus driver. He completed his undergraduate education at Michigan State University where he was a 3-year letterman on the track and field team. In 2011 he graduated from Vanderbilt University School of Medicine and went on to complete his orthopaedic residency at Emory University in 2016. He trained under Terry Peabody and Rex Haydon as a Simon Fellow at The University of Chicago before starting his career on faculty at the University of Kansas. While at Kansas he has been the orthopaedic surgery faculty advisor for the school of medicine as well as faculty advisor for the orthopaedic interest group. After 4 years in the role of Associate Program Director, Dr. Sweeney became the Program Director in April, 2023. He is passionate about the practice of musculoskeletal oncology, the education of residents and medical students, and mentorship.