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Dr. Wayne Whitney earned his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree from Louisiana State University in 1982. After spending a year in general practice in Houston, he pursued advanced training with a one-year internship and a three-year surgical residency at The Animal Medical Center in New York. Dr. Whitney became board-certified by the American College of Veterinary Surgeons in 1989. That same year, he joined Gulf Coast Veterinary Specialists at its inception.

Dr. Whitney's career has been dedicated to advancing canine arthroscopy, particularly focusing on improving techniques for cranial cruciate ligament injuries. He is a co-author of the influential textbook Small Animal Arthroscopy and has built a reputation for his expertise in sports medicine, particularly working with field trial and agility dogs. In recognition of his contributions to the field, Dr. Whitney was named a Founding Fellow in Minimally Invasive Surgery - Small Animal Orthopedics (arthroscopy and fracture repair) by the American College of Veterinary Surgeons in 2018.