UAB Medicine is pleased to welcome Associate Professor Adam W. Beck, M.D., F.A.C.S. He joins the Department of Surgery and will serve as Director of the Division of Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy.

Dr. Beck attended the University of South Alabama in Mobile, Ala., where he received his bachelor of science degree in biomedical science, graduating magna cum laude in 1996. He completed his medical degree here at the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine in June 2000. Dr. Beck completed his general surgery residency and a research fellowship at the University of Texas-Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, Texas. Dr. Beck completed his vascular surgery fellowship at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, N.H., in 2009 and a fellowship in advanced endovascular techniques at the University Medical Center of Groningen in The Netherlands.

Dr. Beck serves as a member of the American Medical Association, the Society for Vascular Surgery, the Eastern Surgical Society, the Academy for Healthcare Improvement, the Southern Association for Vascular Surgery and as a fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

Beck also founded, previously served as the medical director of, and now serves as a member of the Southeastern Vascular Study Group (SEVSG), which is a regional group of the Society for Vascular Surgery Vascular Quality Initiative (SVS VQI). The SEVSG is a cooperative group of clinicians, hospital administrators and research personnel organized to improve the care of patients with vascular disease in the states of Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. He also currently serves on the Governing Council of the SVS VQI and as Chair of the SVS VQI Arterial Quality Committee.

Dr. Beck’s clinical interests span the field of vascular surgery, including open and endovascular treatment for aortic, cerebrovascular, mesenteric and peripheral artery disease, with a specific interest in complex aortic disease, including aortic dissection, suprarenal and thoracoabdominal aortic aneurysms. His research interests include the use of customized endovascular aortic devices for the treatment of aortic conditions, surgical quality and outcomes, and the detection, prevention and treatment of spinal cord ischemia, which can develop after aortic surgery.

To refer a patient or consult with Dr. Beck, call 1-800-UAB-MIST (1-800-822-6478).