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X-rays are frequently used in determining whether there may be an infection in the bone. Efficient image management can therefore reveal whether an operation is necessary or something as simple as an insole or orthotic may be sufficient.

The doctor of Podiatry and Foot Surgeon: “In our new clinic at Feldman Foot and Ankle Specialists (Photo), we have installed the *dicomPACS®* Imaging software in each patient room. All view boxes and films in both the operating room and patient rooms have been replaced by a workstation. OR Technology and Nuon Imaging Inc have made a positive impact on our clinic’s overall workflow efficiency.”

In conclusion Dr. Feldman explains: “We choose OR Technology and their Canadian distributor Nuon Imaging Inc because of *dicomPACS®* easy to use software and first rate radiographic tools, and because of Nuon Imaging’s excellent service and support. Any issues are usually fixed remotely within minutes.”

Furthermore, the doctor is looking forward to adding the *dicomPACS® MobileView* module in the coming months. “It is truly great to be able to keep up with the latest technology and features by adding new modules as and when required.”
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