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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Biology, 1979, Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI.

Medical Degree, 1983, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.

Family Practice Residency, 1983-1986, Saginaw Cooperative Hospitals, Saginaw, MI.

CERTIFICATIONS

American Board of Family Practice
Initial Board Certification- 1986
Recertification- 1992, 1999

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

8/1986-7/1988: Family Practice, NHSC Site, Brown City, MI.
7/1988-4/1996: Family Practice, Mt. Pleasant, MI.
5/1996-9/2003: Family Practice, Kaiser Permanente, Longmont Facility
7/1999-4/2003: Physician in Charge, Kaiser Permanente, Longmont Facility
3/2004-12/2005 Kaiser Permanente Prevention Department,
3/2004-2008: Kaiser Permanente Diversity Department

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Navigating the Medical Maze: Getting the Most Out of Your Health Care Interactions, Brain Injury Association of Colorado, 21st Annual Conference, Vail, Colorado, 10/3/03
Contributing Presenter of 4 hour Traumatic Brain Injury In-service for Nursing/Patient Care Staff, Boulder Community Hospital, 10/20/03
Panel Member for Kaiser Permanente Persons with disAbilities Staff Association presentations to Boulder and Broomfield Kaiser Clinic Staff on issues related to working with/caring for persons with disabilities, October-November 2003
TBI Panel Presentation to Medical Office Staff on Challenges for BI survivors dealing with the health care system, Longmont Kaiser Permanente Office, 4/04
DisAbility Etiquette, Caring and Communicating with Persons with disAbilities, Kaiser Wheat Ridge Medical Office, 5/20/04
Survival Kit for Brain Injury Survivors: Tips, Tools and Tricks to Help with Cognitive Function Challenges, Brain Injury Association of Colorado, 22nd Annual Conference, Vail, Colorado, 10/2/04
The Spirit is Able, Disability Awareness Program,
Rheumatology Department, Kaiser Permanente 11/16/04,
Franklin and Rock Creek Surgery Scheduling teams, Kaiser Permanente, 1/4/05
Brain Injury Association of Colorado, Circle Network, 1/13/05
KP National Diversity Meeting, Oakland, CA, 1/27/05
Dermatology Department, Kaiser Permanente, 2/8/05
Clinical Research Unit, Kaiser Permanente, 2/17/05
Neurology Department, Kaiser Permanente, 3/1/05
Claims and Referral Department, Kaiser Permanente, 3/15/05
Head and Neck Surgery Department, Kaiser Permanente, 5/11/05
Ken Caryl Clinic, 8/10/05
Advocacy for and diversity of disability, DU Health Psychology Program, 10/9/06

Culturally Competent Care for Persons with Disability, ongoing presentations as part of "Cultural Proficiency in the Clinical Setting" training of Kaiser Physicians, 1/2004-2008

Brain Injury Basics

The University of Denver, Graduate Child Psychology Class, 5/9/05
Practicing Prevention Programs, Kaiser Permanente worksite education presentations
Denver Developmental Resource Center, 7/12/05
Colorado BI Support Group Leaders Retreat, 8/6/05
Denver Health Continuing Education Program, 8/9/05
Mental Health Ombudsman Program, Denver, 8/23/05
Brain Injury Symposium, Pueblo, CO, 10/27/05
Goodwill Industries, Adult Care Coordinators, Colorado Springs, CO 5/10/06
Pueblo Pediatric Trauma Symposium, Pueblo CO, 5/13/06
Brain Injury Symposium, Pueblo, CO, 10/12/07

Cognitive Strategies

Goodwill Industries, Adult Care Coordinators, Colorado Springs, CO 5/10/06
The University of Denver, Postdoctoral Neuropsychology Class, 8/17/06
Brain Injury Symposium, Pueblo, CO, 10/12/06

TBI-The Unrecognized Impact of Physical Trauma, COVA Conference, Keystone, CO, 11/14/06

Brain Injury Survival Kit

Brain Injury Association of Colorado, Annual Conference, Vail, Colorado, 10/16/08
Penrose Hospital Rehabilitation Staff, Colorado Springs, CO, 12/2/08
Fort Carson Military Base, Colorado Springs, CO, 3-11-09

TBI Learnings, The University of Denver, Postdoctoral Neuropsychology Class, 10/30/08

Dealing with TBI: A Physician's Journey

Brain Day, Glenwood Springs, CO 5/6/06
University of Denver Neuropsychology and Health Psychology Clubs
Colorado TBI Trust Fund Grant Supported, 3/3/09
Fort Carson Military Base, Colorado Springs, CO, 3-11-09
Denver Health Medical Center Rehabilitation Services Team In-service, 8/27/09
BIANC-Wake AHEC, TBI 2010: Setting the Course, Cary, NC, 10/29/10
UNC Asheville, Psychology and Life Speaker Series, Asheville, CO 8/25/11

Importance of Multidisciplinary Clinic and Rehabilitation for Patients with Concussions, Warrior Recovery Center
Ribbon Cutting, Fort Carson Military Base, Colorado Springs, CO 5-18-09

Brain Fitness Training, Brain Injury Association of Colorado, Annual Conference, Denver, 10/7/09

COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Traumatic Brain Injury, Kiwanis Club of Boulder, 2/20/03

Navigating the Medical Maze: Getting the Most for Your Health Care Interactions, Chapter G PEO, Fort Collins, CO, 5/17/04

A Survival Kit for Brain Injury Survivors: Tips, Tools and Tricks to Help with Cognitive Function Challenges

Longmont BI Support Group, 9/9/04
Colorado Springs BI Support Group, 11/18/04
The Hangout South, Littleton, 3/3/05

BI 101, 3 Part Brain Injury Information Series Produced in Conjunction with Resource Coordinators from BIA Colorado, Craig, Spalding, Mapleton and North Valley Rehab Hospitals

Brain Injury Association of Colorado Office, Denver, CO
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 2/10/05
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 2/17/05
North Valley Rehabilitation Hospital, Thornton, CO
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 6/9/05
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 7/14/05
Mapleton Rehabilitation Center, Boulder, CO
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 9/13/05
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 9/20/05

Denver Options/CTAT, Aurora, CO

BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 11/7/05
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 11/10/05
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 3/6/07

BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 3/6/07
 Colorado TBI Trust Fund Grant- BI 101 Programs-
 Fort Collins, 3/13/06
 Durango, 5/4/06
 Rocky Ford, 6/2/06
 Fort Morgan 6/15/06

Brain Injury Association of Colorado Office, Denver, CO
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 9/12/06
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 9/19/06
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 1/9/07
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 1/9/07

Dickinson County Health System, Iron Mountain, MI
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 7/12/07
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 7/12/07

St. Anthony Central Hospital, Denver, CO
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics, 1/31/08
BI 101: Survival Tools to Deal with Cognitive Function Loss, 1/31/08

St. Anthony Central Hospital, Denver, CO, 3/14/09
BI 101: Brain Injury Basics and Brain Injury Survival Kit

Brain Injury Basics
 Garrison Learning Center, 2/10/05
 The Seniors Resource Center, 3/3/05
 Colorado BI Support Group Leaders Retreat, 8/6/05
 Longmont St. Vrain Rotary, Longmont, CO 11/23/05
 Longmont Optimist Club, Longmont CO, 5/18/06
 Colorado Springs BI Support Group, 5/18/06
 Upper Peninsula BI Support Group, SAIL, Marquette, MI 7/10/06
 Silver Creek HS Health Classes (5 classes, 170 students) 12/13/06, 12/14/06
 Smoky Mountain BI Support Group, Asheville, NC, 3/23/10
 Jewish Community Center, Elder Day Club, Asheville, NC 9/6/11

Brain Injury Survival Kit
 Longmont BI Support Group, Longmont, CO 10/9/08
 Dickinson County Library, Iron Mountain, MI 10/20/08
 Colorado Springs Brain Injury Support Group, Penrose Hospital, Colorado Springs, CO 2/19/09
 Hinds Feet Farm Day Program, Asheville, NC 7/19/11
 Jewish Community Center, Elder Day Club, Asheville, NC 12/13/11

Brain Fitness Training
 Highlands Ranch Brain Injury Support Group, Highlands Ranch, CO, 11/19/09
 Penrose Hospital BIAC Support Group, Colorado Springs, CO 1/19/12

Dealing with TBI: a Physician's Journey
 Smoky Mountain BI Support Group, 9/28/10

Brain Injury Survival Kit/Brain Fitness Training, Kadlec Neurological Resource Center, Kennewick, WA, 5/20/11
Brain Injury Survival Kit/Brain Fitness Training, Yakima Regional Medical Center, 6/8/11
Brain Injury Introduction, Elder Day Club, JCC-Asheville, 6/30/11

PUBLICATIONS

"Lost and Finds, Learnings from MTBI," *The Brain Stormer*, 11/02
 "Spending Time on the Other Side of the Doctor Patient Relationship," *The Permanente Journal*,
 Winter 2003
 "Similarities Between Flying an Airplane and Coping with Traumatic Brain Injury," *The Journal of Cognitive Rehabilitation*, Summer 2003
 "A Journey to a New Me", *New Heights*, Brain Injury Association of Colorado, June 2005
 "Brain Injury Survival Kit: 365 Tips, Tools and Tricks to deal with Cognitive Function Loss," Demos Medical Publishing,
 released August 2008.
 Letters to the Editor, "Physicians Should be Aware of Colleagues' Impairments" *American Family Physician*, 1/15/10

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

Colorado Permanente Medical Group's Diversity Award, 2003
Outstanding Professional, 2005, Brain Injury Association of Colorado
Outstanding Survivor, 2006, Brain Injury Association of Colorado

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

Kaiser Permanente Regional Diversity Steering Committee- 2005
Kaiser Permanente Persons with disAbility Staff Association- 2003- 2009, Co-Chair 2005
KP Pride-Board Member, 2002-2008
SILC, Statewide Independent Living Council, Appointed by Governor Bill Owens 1/2005-1/2007
 Chairperson, Education and Training Committee, 2005-2006
 Secretary, Membership Chair, 2006
MAHEC WNC BI Summit Planning Committee, fall 2011-winter 2012
WNC Fall Prevention Coalition, 1/12/12-present
WNC LGBT Elder Advocates, 1/23/12-present