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EDUCATION:

1970-1974	Bachelor of Science (Cum Laude) Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY
1974-1978	Doctor of Medicine (Magna Cum Laude) State University of New York-Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:

1978-1983	Resident in General Surgery (Chief Resident – 1982-1983) University of Illinois Hospital, Chicago, IL
1983-1984	Fellow-Traumatology/Critical Care Medicine Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems, Baltimore, MD

CERTIFICATION:

Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners, 1978, Certificate #193289
Diplomate, American Board of Surgery, 1984 (Recertified 1994, 2004), Certificate #29985
Added Qualifications in Surgical Critical Care, 1987 (Recertified 1995, 2006), Certificate #079
Certification in Nutrition Support, 1996

MEDICAL LICENSURE: New York – 1999-present (2008), 213499; New Jersey 1984-present, MA44101(inactive); Ohio 1989-2001, #35-05-8405;; Maryland 1983-84, #D29534; Illinois 1978-84, #036-059574; DEA #AF9127336, Medicare # F10643801, UPIN C58723, NYS Medicaid # 1I-01361664-3, NPI 1528145406

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS:

1984-1989	Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ Co-Director, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, 1988-1989
1989-1998	The Ohio State University Hospitals and Arthur G. James Cancer Hospital and Research Institute, Columbus, OH Co-Director, Surgical, Neurosurgical and Burn Intensive Care Units Director, Nutrition Support Service, Attending Surgeon
1989-1998	Program Director, Surgical Critical Care Fellowship, The Ohio State University Hospitals
1993-1994	Program Director, Residency Program in General Surgery, The Ohio State University Hospitals
1994-1998	Board of Directors, Comprehensive Weight Management Center, The Ohio State University Hospitals
1995-1999	Grant Medical Center, Columbus, OH - Attending Surgeon

1998-1999	Columbus Community Hospital, Columbus, OH - Attending Surgeon
1999-2004	St Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center, New York, NY Director, Division of Bariatric Surgery
2005-2007	Chairman, Department of Surgery; Director, Bariatric Surgery Program North Shore University Hospital at Glen Cove, Glen Cove , NY
2005-2008	Attending Surgeon, North Shore University Hospital at Glen Cove, Glen Cove , NY
2008-present	Affiliate staff, North Shore University Hospital at Glen Cove, Glen Cove , NY

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS:

1980-1982	Assistant in Surgery
1982-1983	Instructor, Department of Surgery, University of Illinois School of Medicine, Chicago, IL
1984-1998	Instructor, Advanced Trauma Life Support,
1984-1999	American College of Surgeons, New Jersey & Ohio Faculties NJ Prehospital Trauma Life Support Course and Instructor Workshop
1984-1989	Assistant Professor of Surgery, Department of Surgery, UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Brunswick, NJ
1987-1990	Visiting Professor, Department of Nutrition, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
1989-1998	Associate Professor of Surgery and Anesthesiology, Departments of Surgery and Anesthesiology, Ohio State University College of Medicine, Columbus, OH
1989-1996	Chief, Section of Surgical Critical Care and Trauma, Department of Surgery, Ohio State University College of Medicine, Columbus, OH
1992-1993	Interim Director, Division of General Surgery, Ohio State University College of Medicine
1993-1998	Associate Professor of Human Nutrition, Ohio State University College of Human Ecology, Columbus, OH
1998-1999	Adjunct Professor of Human Nutrition, Ohio State University College of Human Ecology, Columbus, OH
1997-1999	Melton Center for Jewish Studies, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
1999-2004	Associate Professor of Clinical Surgery Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, NY

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES (Year elected):

American Association for the Advancement of Science (1997)
 American Association for the Surgery of Trauma (1988)
 American College of Chest Physicians – Fellow (1997)
 American College of Critical Care Medicine – Fellow (1990)
 American College of Surgeons – Fellow (1987)
 American Federation for Clinical Research (1988)
 American Institute of Nutrition (1993)
 American Medical Association (1983)
 American Obesity Association (1996)
 American Physicians' Fellowship for Medicine in Israel (1997)
 American Society for Bariatric Surgery (1997)
 American Society for Clinical Nutrition (1993)
 American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition (1984)
 Association for Academic Surgery (1984)
 Central Surgical Association (1991)
 Eastern Association for the Surgery of Trauma (1987)
 International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity (1997)

International Association for the Surgery of Trauma and Surgical Intensive Care (1991)
New York Surgical Society (2004)
North American Association for the Study of Obesity (1992)
Robert M. Zollinger Surgical Society (1990)
Shock Society (1985)
Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons (1991)
Society of Critical Care Medicine (1984)
Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine (1991)
Societe Internationale de Chirurgie (1991)
Society of Laparoscopic Surgeons (1991)
Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract (1989)
Southeastern Surgical Congress – Fellow (1985)
Surgical Infection Society (1987)
Warren H. Cole Society (1985)

HONORS AND AWARDS:

Outstanding Surgical Attending - UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Surgical Housestaff, 1989
Guest Examiner, American Board of Surgery, 1992
Visiting Professor, Departments of Surgery and Anesthesiology, Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel, July 1995
Visiting Professor, Dept of Surgery, University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago, IL, October 1995
Visiting Professor, Department of Religion, Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH, April 1996
Interdisciplinary Team Award for Excellence in Patient/Health Education, OSU Hospitals, 1996
Ohio Dietetic Association Outstanding Contribution Award - 1997
Academy of Surgical Research - C. William Hall Award for Outstanding Research Paper - 1997
Visiting Professor, Department of Religion, Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH, April 1998
Visiting Professor, Department of Surgery, Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel, December 2003, December 2004

JOURNAL EDITOR/REVIEWER:

Editorial Boards: Obesity Surgery (2001-2007); Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases (2004-2008); Medical Editor – WLSLifestyles (2003-2008); ObesityHelp (2003-2005); Bariatrics Today (2004-2008); Medical Update for Psychiatrists (Editor-Surgery Section, 1996-1998)
Reviewer: American Journal of Medicine, Annals of Pharmacotherapy, Annals of Surgery, Archives of Surgery, Chest, Clinical Intensive Care, Critical Care Medicine, J Clinical Endocrinology and Metabolism, International Journal of Obesity, Journal of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition, Journal of Trauma, Obesity Research, Obesity Surgery, Southern Medical Journal, Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases

PUBLICATIONS (REFEREED JOURNALS):

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2. **Flancbaum L**, Guterman H, Gessner P, Spiegel A: "Sidewalk" Blood Pressure Screening: Effective and Low Cost Method. NYSJ Med 944-48, May 1978.
3. Shiu MH, **Flancbaum L**, Hadju S, Fortner J: Malignant Soft Tissue Tumors of the Anterior Abdominal Wall. Arch Surg 115:152-155, February 1980.
4. Dauterive A, **Flancbaum L**, Cox EF: Blunt Intestinal Trauma: Modern Day Review. Ann Surg 201:198-203, 1985.

5. **Flancbaum L**, Vilogi J, Myers RAM: Blunt Trauma: Combined Anterior Urethral and Bladder Ruptures in One Patient. *J Trauma* 25:665-666, 1985.
6. **Flancbaum L**, Majerus T, Cox EF: Acute Post-Traumatic Acalculous Cholecystitis. *Am J Surg* 150:252-256, 1985.
7. **Flancbaum L**, Morgan AS, Esposito T, Cox EF: Non-Left Sided Diaphragmatic Rupture Due to Blunt Trauma. *Surg Gynecol Obstet* 161:266-270, 1985.
8. **Flancbaum L**, Wright J, Trooskin SZ, Militello P, Cowley RA: The Role of Orotracheal Intubation in Patients With Suspected Laryngeal Injuries. *Am J Emer Med* 4:167-170, 1986.
9. **Flancbaum L**, Dauterive A, Cox EF: Splenic Conservation Following Multiple Trauma in Adults. *Surg Gynecol Obstet* 162:469-473, 1986.
10. Morgan AS, **Flancbaum L**, Esposito T, Cox EF: Blunt Injury to the Diaphragm: An Analysis of 44 Patients. *J Trauma* 26:565-568, 1986.
11. Trooskin SZ, Epstein HL, **Flancbaum L**: Large Bowel Obstruction During Pregnancy Secondary to an Impinging Leiomyoma. *Contemporary Surgery* 28:80-84, 1986.
12. Kaufman JL, Demas C, Stark K, **Flancbaum L**: Catheter-Related Septic Central Venous Thrombosis--Current Therapeutic Options. *West J Med* 145:200-203, 1986.
13. **Flancbaum L**, Wright J, Siegel JH: Emergency Surgery in Patients With Post-Traumatic Myocardial Contusion. *J Trauma* 26:795-803, 1986.
14. Krasna MJ, **Flancbaum L**: Electrocardiographic Changes in Cardiac Patients With Acute Gallbladder Disease. *Amer Surg* 52:541-543, 1986.
15. Dreyfuss D, **Flancbaum L**, Krasna IH, Tell B, Trooskin SZ: Trans-Rectus Traumatic Hernia: Report of Two Cases. *J Trauma* 26:1134-1136, 1986.
16. Trooskin SZ, **Flancbaum L**, Greco RS: Peritoneal Lavage for Blunt Trauma in the Awake Patient. *Infec in Surg* 5:673-682, 1986.
17. Tell B, Majerus TC, **Flancbaum L**: Dobutamine in Elderly Septic Shock Patients Refractory to Dopamine. *Intens Care Med* 13:14-18, 1987.
18. Buckman R, Trooskin SZ, **Flancbaum L**, Chandler J: The Management of Stable Patients With Sternal Fractures. *Surg Gynecol Obstet* 164:261-265, 1987.
19. **Flancbaum L**, Trooskin SZ, Zarish S: The "Lipstick" Sign: A Clue to the Presence of Occult Cervical Spine Injury. *Emer Med Svcs*, 16:36-38, 1987.
20. Dreyfuss DC, Kaufman JL, **Flancbaum L**, Stark KR, Dinerstein CR: Improved Operative Exposure of Infrapopliteal Vessels in Combined Vascular and Orthopedic Injuries. *J Vasc Surg* 6:422-423, 1987.
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22. Demas C, **Flancbaum L**, Scott G, Trooskin SZ: Management of Severe Blunt Cardiac Injury Using the Intra-aortic Balloon Pump. *Am J Emer Med* 5:499-502, 1987.

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25. **Flancbaum L**, Dauber M, Demas C, Boyarsky AH, Trooskin SZ: Early Diagnosis and Treatment of Blunt Diaphragmatic Injury. *Amer Surg* 54:195-199, 1988.
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56. Hsu HC, **Flancbaum L**, Kasziba E, Merrill GF, Fisher H: The Role of Histamine and Serotonin in Compound 48/80-Induced Gastric Acid Secretion in the Isolated, Perfused Rat Stomach. *Dig Dis Sci* 36:1708-1714, 1991.

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63. Gregory JS, **Flancbaum L**, Smead WL, Reilley TE, Jonasson O: Treatment of Intraoperative Hypothermia During Elective Aortic Surgery Using Extracorporeal Veno-Venous Recirculation. *Surgery* 114:40-45, 1993.
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62. Ziegler D, **Flancbaum L**, Wright JG, Choban PS, Reilley TE, Smead WL, Burge JC: A Randomized Prospective Study of Preoperative Invasive Hemodynamic Monitoring with Optimization of Cardiovascular Status in Patients Undergoing Elective Vascular Surgery. Midwest Vascular Surgery Society. Chicago, IL, September 1995.
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65. **Flancbaum L**: Surgical Treatment of Obesity, University of Wisconsin CME Course: Update on Obesity. Madison, WI. April 1996.
66. **Flancbaum L**, Lehv M, Caniano D: Bioethical Lessons from the Holocaust: A novel approach to teaching medical ethics. First International Conference on Holocaust Education. Jerusalem, Israel, October 1996.
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69. Cook CH, Howard B, Choban PS, Reilley TE, **Flancbaum L**: Long Term Outcome of Surgical Intensive Care Unit Patients Discharged to Extended Care Facilities. Society of Critical Care Medicine. San Diego, CA, February 1997.
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71. Gagliardi R, Dick MR, Choban PS, Dasta JF, **Flancbaum L**: A Randomized, Prospective Trial Comparing Low-Dose Dopamine and Furosemide in the Treatment of Critically Ill Patients with Oliguria. American Association for the Surgery of Trauma, Honolulu, HI, September 1997.

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76. **Flancbaum L**: Semi-Starvation. Postgraduate Course on *Essentials of Bariatric Surgery*. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. Orlando, FL, June 1998
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78. Choban PS, **Flancbaum L**. The impact of limb length on weight loss following Roux-en-Y gastric bypass: a randomized prospective trial. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. San Diego, CA, June 1999
79. Choban PS, **Flancbaum L**. Insurance Decisions About Obesity Surgery – A New Type of Randomization? North American Association for the Study of Obesity. North American Association for the Study of Obesity. Charlotte, North Carolina, November 1999.
80. **Flancbaum L**. Using Jewish Medical Ethics to Appreciate the Relative Among the Absolute. Third Miami International Conference on Torah & Science: Absolute Standards in a World of Relativity. Miami Beach, FL, December 1999.
81. **Flancbaum L**: Energy Metabolism. Postgraduate Course on *Essentials of Bariatric Surgery*. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. Memphis, TN, June 2000
82. **Flancbaum L**, Choban PS. Weight Loss Following Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass in Patients With and Without Diabetes Mellitus. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. Memphis, TN, June 2000
83. Surgical Treatment of Severe Obesity. www.Healthology.com. Webcast, New York, NY, November 2000.
84. Gholam PM, Kotler DP, **Flancbaum L**. Hepatic Histopathologic Findings in Morbidly Obese Patients Undergoing Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. Washington, DC. June, 2000.
85. Johnson JA, Ynada Y, **Flancbaum LJ**, Albu J. Cytokine release in deep subcutaneous abdominal and visceral adipose tissue depots. American Diabetes Association, Philadelphia, PA, May 2001.
86. Moize V, Geliebter A, Gluck M, Yahav E, Colarusso T, Drake V, **Flancbaum L**. Obese patients undergoing Roux-en-Y gastric bypass surgery show inadequate protein intake, unrelated to protein intolerance. North American Association for the Study of Obesity. Quebec, Canada, November 2001.

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89. **Flancbaum L**. Physicians and Genocide: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. Genocides of the Twentieth Century, London, England, January 2002
90. **Flancbaum L**. Mechanisms of Weight Loss after Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass for Severe Obesity. British Obesity Surgery Society/Association of General Surgeons of Great Britain and Ireland. Manchester, UK, May 2003
91. Belsley S, **Flancbaum L**. Predictors of perioperative morbidity and mortality after Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass. Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. Orlando, FL, May 2003.
92. Geliebter A, Gluck M, Lorence M, Sorbara M, Kapoor K, Heymsfield S, **Flancbaum L**. Early Changes in Body Composition following Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass for Obesity. Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. Orlando, FL, May 2003.
93. **Flancbaum L**. Update on Bariatric Surgery in the United States. Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical Center, Jerusalem, Israel, December 2003.
94. Wilson T, Drake V, Colarusso T, **Flancbaum L**. Preoperative Nutritional Status of Patients Undergoing Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass for Morbid Obesity. Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. New Orleans, LA, May 2004.
95. Gholam P, **Flancbaum L**, Charney DA, Reinert S, Kotler DP. Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease in Severely Obese Subjects: Demographic, Biochemical and Metabolic Correlates of Disease Severity. American Association of Liver Disease. New Orleans, LA, May 2004.
96. Drake V, Colarusso T, **Flancbaum L**. Initial Experience with Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass in HIV-Infected Patients. American Society for Bariatric Surgery. San Diego, CA, June 2004
97. Lorence M, Geliebter A, Gluck M, Abraham M, Takahashi M, Morrow J, **Flancbaum L**: Severely obese presurgical restrained eaters report eating less in response to negative emotions and positive and negative situations. NAASO, Las Vegas, NV, Nov 2004
98. Morrow J, Geliebter A, Gluck M, Lorence M, Abraham M, Takahashi M, **Flancbaum L**: Self-esteem and body image satisfaction in a morbidly obese pre-gastric bypass surgery (GBS) population: Correlated more with BMI than waist hip ratio (WHR). NAASO, Las Vegas, NV, Nov 2004
99. Abraham M, Geliebter A, Gluck M, Lorence M, Heymsfield S, **Flancbaum L**: Obese subjects undergoing Roux-en-Y gastric bypass surgery lose less lean mass than fat mass, which is a better predictor of the change in resting energy expenditure (REE). NAASO, Las Vegas, NV, Nov 2004

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (REGIONAL):

1. Initial Management of the Multiply Injured Patient. University of Missouri School of Medicine. Kansas City, MO. February 1984.

2. Blunt Abdominal Trauma: Lessons Learned. Mt. Sinai School of Medicine. New York, NY. December 1984.
3. Morgan AS, **Flancbaum L**, Esposito T, Cox EF: Blunt Injury to the Diaphragm: An Analysis of 44 Patients. Connecticut Chapter of the American College of Surgeons, Hartford, CT. December 1984.
4. Modern Surgical Treatment of Peptic Ulcer Disease. St. Mary's Hospital. Orange, NJ. June 1985.
5. Chest Injury Management in the Field. Controversies in the Management of the Acutely Injured: A Symposium for Pre-Hospital and Emergency Dept. Providers. UMDNJ-Rutgers Medical School, New Brunswick, NJ. October 1985.
6. Commentary: American Cancer Society Rectal Examinations and Sigmoidoscopy Recommendations. New Jersey Obstetrical and Gynecological Society and the New Jersey Section, District III, ACOG. New Brunswick, NJ. October 1985.
7. Course Director. Aeromedical Evacuation by Helicopter: An Overview. A Symposium for Prehospital and Emergency Department Health Care Providers. UMDNJ-Rutgers Medical Center, New Brunswick, NJ. September 1986.
8. Modern Surgical Treatment of Peptic Ulcer Disease. West Jersey Hospital Systems. Voorhees, NJ. January 1987.
9. Advances and Recent Developments in Nutritional Support for Surgical Patients. West Paterson, NJ. April 1987.
10. Recent Advances in Nutritional Support of Critically Ill Patients. Jersey Shore Medical Center, Neptune, New Jersey, September 1987.
11. Recent Advances in Nutritional Support of Critically Ill Surgical Patients. St. Francis Medical Center, Trenton, New Jersey. December 1987.
12. Current Management of Hepatic Trauma. Jersey Shore Medical Center, Neptune, New Jersey, December 1987.
13. Treatment of Peptic Ulcer Disease. NJ Academy of Medicine Roving Symposium, Woodbridge Developmental Center, Woodbridge, New Jersey, March 1988.
14. Nutrition Support. NJ Academy of Medicine Roving Symposium, North Princeton Developmental Center, Princeton, New Jersey, March 1989.
15. Surgical Treatment of Peptic Ulcer Disease. Wright State University School of Medicine, Dayton, Ohio, April 1990.
16. Nutrition Support Strategies in the Hypermetabolic Patient. Nutrition Support Management Interdisciplinary Conference. OSU College of Medicine, Columbus, Ohio, May 1990.
17. Pathophysiology and Management of Multiple Systems Organ Failure. Symposium on Drug Therapies in Critical Care. OSU College of Pharmacy, Columbus, Ohio, May 1990.
18. Moderator: Panel on Surgical Critical Care, American College of Surgeons, Ohio Chapter. Columbus, Ohio May 1991.

19. "Initial Resuscitation and Hemodynamic Support of Sepsis and Septic Shock", American College of Surgeons, Ohio Chapter. Columbus, Ohio, May 1991.
20. Moderator: Fluid and Electrolyte Management of Nutrition Support. Ohio Society of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition, Columbus, Ohio, May 1991.
21. Enteral Nutrition Support in the Elderly Hospitalized Patient. Annual Update on Nutrition, OSU College of Medicine, Columbus, Ohio, December 1991.
22. Enteral Nutrition Support in Hospitalized Patients. Defiance Clinic, Defiance, Ohio, March 1992.
23. Infections in the Intensive Care Unit. Ross County Medical Society, Chillicothe, Ohio, May 1992.
24. Current Surgical Management of Peptic Ulcer Disease. Trumbull Memorial Hospital, Warren, Ohio, July 1992.
25. Treatment of Perforated Duodenal Ulcer. Mary Ruttan Hospital, Bellefontaine, Ohio, September 1992.
26. Surgical Treatment of Clinically Severe Obesity. Central Ohio QU/UR Forum, Columbus, Ohio, November 1992.
27. Morphine Cholescintigraphy in the Evaluation of Hospitalized Patients with Suspected Acute Cholecystitis. Columbus Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, January 1993.
28. Urine Output and Serum Aldosterone Levels in Oliguric ICU Patients Receiving Low Dose Dopamine. Columbus Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, January 1993.
29. Efficacy of Hypocaloric Feedings in Obese Hospitalized Patients Receiving Total Parenteral Nutrition. Robert M. Zollinger Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, May 1993
30. Morphine Cholescintigraphy in Hospitalized Patients with Suspected Acute Cholecystitis. Robert M. Zollinger Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, May 1993.
31. Localization of IL-1 within Tissue Fixed Pulmonary Cells in a Murine Model of ARDS. Robert M. Zollinger Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, May 1993.
32. Preliminary Results of a Prospective Randomized Trial of Preoperative Optimization for Peripheral Vascular Surgery. Columbus Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, January 1994.
33. Acute Acalculous Cholecystitis in Hospitalized Patients. Columbus Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, January 1995.
34. Update on Nutrition Support - 1995. Mary Ruttan Hospital, Bellefontaine, Ohio, May 1995.
35. Resource utilization and outcome in a tertiary care surgical intensive care unit. Columbus Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, January 1996.
36. Eugenics and Medicine in the Third Reich, Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH, April 1996
37. Update on the Treatment of Obesity. Licking Memorial Hospital, Newark, OH, April 1996
38. Update on the Surgical Treatment of Obesity. Columbus Health Dept Home Visiting Nurses, Columbus, OH, April 1996

39. Perioperative Management of General Surgery Patients. Department of Family Medicine Grand Rounds, Columbus, OH, May 1996
40. Factors influencing hospital charges for critically ill surgical patients. Robert M. Zollinger Surgical Society, Columbus, OH, September 1996.
41. Jewish Medical Ethics: Mini-Course. Leo Yassenoff Jewish Center Adult Education Program. Columbus, OH, September - October 1996.
42. Jewish Medical Ethics. Agudas Achim Sisterhood, Columbus, OH, October 1996.
43. Jewish Medical Ethics Faculty Learn-In Series. Ohio State Hillel Foundation, Columbus, OH, January-June 1997.
44. Moderator, 1997 Feibel Lecture on Judaism and Law: Life, Death and Dying in Jewish Law. OSU College of Law, Columbus, OH, March 1997.
45. Medicine Under the Nazis: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. Ohio State Hillel Foundation, Columbus, OH, April 1997
46. Moderator, Judaism and Transplantation. Leo Yassenoff Jewish Center, Columbus, OH, June 1997
47. The Role of Physicians and Scientists in the Third Reich. Department of Philosophy, The Ohio State University, Newark, OH, May 1997
48. Jewish Views about Death and Dying. Congregation Beth Tikvah, Columbus, OH, February 1998.
49. Medicine Under the Nazis: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH, March 1998
50. Introduction to Jewish Medical Ethics and Jewish Law. Judaism and Medical Ethics. Hidden Valley, PA. April 1998.
51. Roles and Responsibilities in Judaism. Judaism and Medical Ethics. Hidden Valley, PA. April 1998.
52. Ethical Issues at the End of Life. Judaism and Medical Ethics. Hidden Valley, PA. April 1998.
53. Ethical Issues of Procreation. Judaism and Medical Ethics. Hidden Valley, PA. April 1998.
54. Bioethics and the Holocaust. Judaism and Medical Ethics. Hidden Valley, PA. April 1998.
55. Medicine Under the Nazis: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. Cleveland Holocaust Council, Cleveland, OH, May 1998
56. Contemporary Jewish Approaches to Medical Ethics. Congregation Tifereth Israel, Columbus, Ohio, January-March 1999
57. Is the Glass Half Empty or Half Full? Ethics as a Measuring Cup. Shaare Torah Congregation, Pittsburgh, PA, February 1999
57. Medicine Under the Nazis: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. College of Notre Dame, Cleveland, OH, May 1999

58. Current Treatment of Clinically Severe Obesity. Department of Surgery, Beth Israel Medical Center, New York, NY, September, 1999
59. Mechanisms of Weight Loss after Surgery for Severe Obesity. Obesity Research Center, Columbia University, New York, NY, September 1999
60. Current Surgical Management of Clinically Severe Obesity. Division of Endocrinology, Beth Israel Medical Center, New York, NY, September, 1999
61. Current Treatment of Clinically Severe Obesity. Department of Surgery, Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, NY, October, 1999
62. Current Surgical Management of Clinically Severe Obesity. Department of Medicine, Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, NY, March 2000
63. Current Surgical Management of Clinically Severe Obesity. Department of Surgery, Stamford Hospital, Stamford, CT, September 2000
64. Nutrition Support of Hospitalized Obese Patients. Nutrition Support Service. Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY, November 2000
65. Current Surgical Management of Clinically Severe Obesity. Department of Medicine, St Luke's Roosevelt Hospital Center, New York, NY, December 2000
66. Jewish Medical Ethics and the Ethical Divide. Old Broadway Synagogue, New York, NY, May 2001
67. Nutritional Formulas: Rationale and Practice. College of St Elizabeth. Morristown, NJ June 2000.
68. Roles and Responsibilities in Jewish Medical Ethics. Old Broadway Synagogue, New York, NY, November 2001
69. Jewish Views of Death, Dying and the Treatment of the Terminally Ill. New York University Jewish Students Association. November 2001.
70. Nutritional Formulas: Rationale and Practice. College of St Elizabeth. Morristown, NJ. June 2002.
71. Surgical Treatment of Obesity. Weight Management: Theory to Practice. College of St Elizabeth. Morristown, NJ. August 2002
72. Morbid Obesity as a Disease. Postgraduate Course in Laparoscopic Gastric Bypass. New York-Presbyterian Hospital, New York, NY, November 2002
73. Current Surgical Management of Obesity. Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, NY. November 2002.
74. Overview of Jewish Medical Ethics, Beth Shalom Synagogue, Teaneck, NJ, March 2003.
75. Contemporary Jewish Approaches to Medical Ethics (10 sessions), Melton Adult Mini-School, 2005
76. Risk management in Bariatric Surgery: A Surgeon's Perspective. Association for Healthcare Risk Management of NY. New York, NY, March 2005

77. Doctors and Genocide: From Hippocrates to Hypocrisy. Center for the Study of Science and Religion, Columbia University, New York, NY, September 2005
78. Jewish Religious Perspectives on Death and Dying. St Francis Hospital, Roslyn, NY, November 2005
79. Complications of Bariatric Surgery. Obesity Treatment: Concepts and Controversies. NJASPEN. College of St Elizabeth. Morristown, NJ. November 2008