

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**BRUCE GREGORY WITKIND, M.D., F.A.C.S.**

**NEUROSURGERY**

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**EDUCATION**

**Undergraduate** 1975

**PERSONAL**

Date of Birth January 21, 1953  
Place of Birth Newark, New Jersey  
Marital Status Single

**ADDITIONAL LOCATIONS**

Pensacola, Florida  
Miami, Florida

**Medical School** 1979

B.A.  
University of Pennsylvania  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Magna Cum Laude

M.D.  
University of Miami  
School of Medicine  
Miami, Florida

**Honorary Societies**

Phi Beta Kappa

**TRAINING**

**Internship** July 1979 - June 1980

General Surgery  
Mount Sinai Hospital  
New York, New York  
Arthur H. Aufses, Jr., M.D.  
Program Director

**Residency** July 1980 - June 1984

Neurological Surgery  
Mount Sinai Hospital  
New York, New York  
Leonard I. Malis, M.D.  
Program Director

**TRAINING, Continued**

<b>Residency</b>	July 1984 - June 1985	Chief Resident Neurological Surgery Mount Sinai Hospital New York, New York Leonard I. Malis, M.D. Program Director
<b>Fellowship</b>	January 1983 - January 1984	Clinical Research Fellow Surgical Neurology Branch National Institutes of Health Bethesda, Maryland Paul L. Kornblith, M.D. Program Director

**PRIVATE PRACTICE EXPERIENCE**

Private Practice Neurosurgery	July 1985 - Present
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**HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS**

**Gulf Coast Medical Center**  
449 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Panama City, Florida 32406-5309

**Bay Medical Center**  
615 North Bonita Avenue  
Panama City, Florida 32401

**Northwest Florida Surgery Center**  
767 Airport Road  
Panama City, Florida 32405

**BOARD CERTIFICATIONS**

<b>May 1992</b>	Diplomate, American Board of Neurological Surgery
<b>July 1980</b>	National Board of Medical Examiners

**NATIONAL CERTIFICATIONS**

F.A.C.S.                   **1994**                    *Fellow, American College of Surgeons*

**LICENSURE**

**Florida**                    **#46328**  
**New York**                **#144311**

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

<i>Chief Executive Officer</i>	<i>February 2002-Present</i>	<i>Sleep Disorder Center Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32569</i>
<i>Chief Executive Officer</i>	<i>February 2002-Present</i>	<i>Sleep Disorder Center Crestview, Florida 32536</i>
<i>President</i>	<i>July 1999 - Present</i>	<i>Bruce G. Witkind, M.D., F.A.C.S. Consulting Destin, Florida 32541</i>
<i>Expert Medical Advisor</i>	<i>March 1999 - Present</i>	<i>Division of Workers' Compensation Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security</i>
<i>Medical Director</i>	<i>1997 - 1999</i>	<i>Department of Physical Therapy White-Wilson Medical Center Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>
<i>Medical Director</i>	<i>January 1997 - 1998</i>	<i>Columbia Rehabilitative Services Fourth Street Facility Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>
<i>Medical Director</i>	<i>January 1997 - 1998</i>	<i>Rehabworks , Columbia Fort Walton Beach Medical Center/ Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>
<i>Medical Director</i>	<i>1992 - 1994</i>	<i>Occupational Therapy and Rehabilitative Services Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>
<i>Medical Director</i>	<i>1992 - 1996</i>	<i>Panhandle Rehabilitation Injury Management &amp; Evaluation, Inc. (P.R.I.M.E.)-Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>

**COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS**

<i>Board of Directors</i>	<i>2006-Present</i>	<i>Destin on the Gulf Condominium Association</i>
<i>Board of Directors</i>		<i>Beach Community Bank Advisory Board</i>
<i>Board of Directors / Member</i>		<i>The Krewe of Bowlegs</i>
<i>Board of Directors</i>	<i>1988 - 1990</i> <i>1993 - 1996</i>	<i>Speech &amp; Hearing Center of Fort Walton Beach</i> <i>Fort Walton Beach, Florida</i>

**PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

*Appointment: **Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs (CEJA)**, Florida Medical Association, 2004*

*Florida Neurosurgical Society, **IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT**, 2004-Present*

*Florida Neurosurgical Society, **PRESIDENT**, 2002-2004*

*Florida Neurosurgical Society, **TREASURER**, 2000-2002*

*Florida Neurosurgical Society, **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**, 1999-Present*

*Member, American Board of Neurological Surgery, 1992-Present*

*Phi Delta Epsilon (Alumni Association)*

*Florida Medical Association, Inc.*

*Florida Representative to Council of State Neurosurgical Societies, 2002-Present*

*Reference Committee Member, Council of State Neurosurgical Societies-Present*

*Okaloosa County Medical Society*

*American Association of Neurological Surgeons (A.A.N.S.)*

*North American Spine Society (N.A.S.S.)*

*Fellow, American College of Surgeons (F.A.C.S.)*

*Member, Joint Section on Pain*  
*(A Joint Section of The American Association of Neurological Surgeons and Congress of Neurological Surgeons)*

*Member, Joint Section on Disorders of the Spine and Peripheral Nerves*  
*(Joint Section, The American Association of Neurological Surgeons-Congress of Neurological Surgeons)*

### **PUBLICATIONS**

1. Isner, J.M., Cohen, S.R., Ferrans, V.J., **Witkind, B.G.**, Vermani, R., Gottdiener, J.S., and Roberts, W.C.: *The Anthracycline Heart: Analysis of 69 Patients Treated with Either Adriamycin or Daunorubicin Showing a Lack of Correlation Between Clinical and Morphologic Findings. Laboratory Investigation* 42:29, 1980.
2. Isner, J.M., Cohen, S.R., Ferrans, V.J., **Witkind, B.G.**, Vermani, R., Gottdiener, J.S., and Roberts, W.C.: *The Anthracycline Heart: Analysis of 69 Patients Treated with Either Adriamycin or Daunorubicin Showing a Lack of Correlation Between Clinical and Morphologic Findings. American Journal of Cardiology* 45:396, 1980.
3. Isner, J.M., Cohen, S.R., Ferrans, V.J., **Witkind, B.G.**, Vermani, R., Gottdiener, J.S., and Roberts, W.C.: *Non-Specificity and Insensitivity of the Electrocardiogram as an Indicator of Anthracycline Toxicity: Analysis of 56 Necropsy Patients. Clinic Research* 28:183A, 1980.
4. Isner, J.M., Cohen, S.R., Ferrans, V.J., **Witkind, B.G.**, Vermani, R., Gottdiener, J.S., and Roberts, W.C.: *Clinical and Morphologic Findings After Anthracycline Chemotherapy: Analysis of 64 Patients Studied at Necropsy. American Journal of Cardiology* 51:1167, 1983.

### **RECOGNITIONS**

Physician's Advisory Board, National Republican Congressional Committee	2004 Physician of the Year
Physicians' Advisory Board, National Republican Congressional Committee	2003-Present
Lumbar Interbody Spine Fusion Certificate	10/17/97 Jacksonville, Florida

### **LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS**

Presentation to the Emerald Coast Chapter of Critical Care Nurses - "Implantation of Chemotherapeutic Agents for the Management Of Glioblastomas"	11/17/98 Ft. Walton Beach, Florida
Presentation at the Bays Medical Society Annual Emerald Coast Medical Review Cruise- "Diagnosis and Management of Malignant Brain Tumor"	August 5-12, 2000