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Board-Certified Emergency Medicine Physician with almost 18 years of continuous full-time active clinical practice. Clinical experience includes trauma centers, academic institutions, community settings, freestanding EDs and rural hospitals. **Assistant Director of Litigation Support, and initial SWAT case reviewer for TeamHealth, the largest national physician staffing agency in the country.** Experienced teacher. Fellowship trained by the Academy of Wilderness Medicine (FAWM) on subjects such as hypothermia, drowning, frostbite, heat stroke, altitude illness, and bites from venomous animals. Currently a candidate for a Diploma in Dive & Marine Medicine (DiDMM) with a further focus on dive injuries such as decompression sickness a.k.a. “the bends.” Co-inventor of a novel endotracheal device (RSI Prime, LLC; patent pending) that incorporates an adapted carbon dioxide detector with a modified bougie (an adjunct for difficult airways). Experienced expert witness at both deposition and trial.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Physician

Independently evaluates undifferentiated emergency presentations, applies evidence-based standards of care, supervises clinical teams, and makes diagnostic, treatment, and disposition decisions. Includes significant experience in both the main campus Emergency Department and the Freestanding Emergency Departments in all three hospital systems.

HCA Florida Orange Park Hospital, Orange Park, FL 2012-present
Level 2 trauma center

HCA Florida Capital Hospital, Tallahassee, FL 2012-present

HCA Florida Memorial Hospital, Jacksonville, FL 2011-present

MEDICOLEGAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director for Litigation Support – TeamHealth 2026-present

Provides strategic and operational leadership for the SWAT program at the largest physician staffing agency in the country, supervising all SWAT reviewers and overseeing onboarding and retention. Establishes quality standards and review processes to ensure timely, high-quality SWAT reports that support case triage, settlement strategy, and trial readiness.

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TeamHealth SWAT reviewer 2024-present
Initial medical malpractice case reviewer for the largest national physician staffing agency in the country. Responsible for early-stage evaluation of alleged deviations from the standard of care, causation analysis, and documentation review, with findings used to inform settlement strategy and trial determination.

Emergency Medicine Expert Witness 2023-present
Independent expert witness providing standard-of-care analysis, case review and deposition/trial testimony, including federally compliant expert reports. Over 80 case reviews across Emergency Department, prehospital/EMS, and environmental injury matters.

EDUCATION

University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, OK 2003-2007
Doctor of Medicine

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK 1997-2003
B.S. Microbiology, Minors in Chemistry & Spanish

POST-DOCTORAL TRAINING

Wilderness Medical Society, HCA Florida Orange Park 2021-2022
Fellow of the Academy of Wilderness Medicine (FAWM)

University of Florida, Jacksonville, FL 2008-2011
Level 1 trauma center
Emergency Medicine Resident

University of Oklahoma, Tulsa, OK 2007-2008
Intern in Pediatrics

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

American Board of Emergency Medicine 2012-present
Board-Certified

State of Florida 2011-present
Medical License

State of Georgia 2011-present
Medical License (inactive)

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

HCA Florida Orange Park Hospital, Orange Park, FL 2019-2024
Instructor in Medicine
Level 2 trauma center

HCA Florida Orange Park Hospital, Orange Park, FL 2020-2022
Clinical Core Faculty
Level 2 trauma center

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Wilderness Medical Society 2021-present

PRESENTATIONS

Emergency Medicine Graduate Medical Education lectures given at HCA Florida Orange Park to resident physicians in varying fields:

1. Tickborne Illnesses 2022
2. Acute Coronary Syndrome 2022
3. Tetanus 2021
4. Hypothermia 2021
5. Heat Illness 2021
6. Pneumothorax 2021
7. Envenomations 2021
8. Intro to Wilderness Medicine 2021
9. Necrotizing Fasciitis 2021
10. Cricothyrotomy 2021
11. Diarrhea & Dehydration 2021
12. Biological Warfare Agents 2021
13. Ankle & Foot Injuries 2021

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14. The Bougie	2020
15. Penile Entrapment	2020
16. High Altitude Illness	2020
17. Frostbite	2020
18. Hypothyroidism	2020
19. Adrenal Insufficiency	2020
20. Neurogenic Shock	2020
21. Dementia	2020
22. Primary Headaches	2020
23. Chemical Injuries	2019
24. Seizures	2019
25. Thoracic Outlet Syndrome	2019
26. Venous Thromboembolism	2019
27. Arteriovenous Fistulas	2019
28. Emergent Ophthalmologic Procedures	2019
29. Medical & Surgical Issues in Pregnancy	2019
30. Foleys	2019

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