

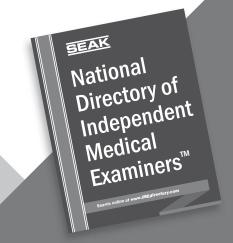
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Licenses: AL, MS, FL, DE
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Management - Medicine, Acute and
chronic spine pain, CRPS,
medication management of acute

and chronic pain, Interventional pain treatments, Neuromodulation. Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 15

Times Deposed/Testified: 25+ Richard Rex Harris, MD

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Years in Practice: 40 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Please see ad on p. 2

Decontee Jimmeh, MD

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Years in Practice: 11 IMEs Performed: 50+ Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: SEAK

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IMEs Performed: 100-200

Years Performed IMEs: 25

Times Deposed/Testified: 20-50

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Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: 1 Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and Certified Independent Chiropractic Examiner (CICE) IME Certification: CICE

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IME Certification: FAADEP

Paul Lynch, MD

Scottsdale, AZ Phone: (480) 310-3878 Licenses: AZ, FL, NV, TX, CA, WA,

Specialty: Anesthesiology, Pain Management - Medicine, Pain Management/Medicine, Interventional Pain Management, Back Pain, Neck Pain, Nerve Blocks, Intrathecal Pumps, Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, Spinal Cord Stimulation, Spinal Injections, Epidural, Cervical Injections, Radiofrequency, Medication Errors, Narcotic Prescriptions and Overdose, opioids

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

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Morse Hand and Plastic Surgery & Morse Medical Consulting Queen Creek, AZ Phone: (703) 757-6190 Cell: (571) 439-6730 www.morsehandandplasticsurgery.com Additional Locations: Orlando, Florida Licenses: AZ/CA/FL/NV/VA Specialty: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Hand Surgery, (1) General Reconstructive Plastic Surgery and Orthopedic Hand & Upper Extremity Surgery as well as Cosmetic Surgery (2) General Medicine and Surgery having spent 23 years in the US Navy caring for healthy and injured Marines and Sailors returning from Afghanistan, Iraq, Syria and Kuwait (3) NASA Flight Surgeon (4) BLS/ACLS/ATLS Trained and Instructor Years in Practice: 39 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 20

Times Deposed/Testified: 10 Ralph N. Purcell, MD

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Licenses: AZ, WA, AK, OR, CO, NV,
UT, ID
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Surgery, Board Certified Practicing
Orthopedic Surgeon, Fellowship
Trained in Hand Surgery, Fellow of
Association of Extremity Nerve
Surgeons, Sports Medicine, Trauma,
Impairment Ratings, Expert Witness,

Association of Extremity Nerve Surgeons, Sports Medicine, Trauma, Impairment Ratings, Expert Witness, Industrial Injuries, Athletic Injuries, Motor Vehicle Injuries, Extremity Surgery, Spine. Attending Ortho Surgeon Columbia U.- 15 yrs., Harvard, Columbia and New York U. Trained, National Lecturer on IMEs and Injury Causation. Extensive Deposition and Trial Experience. Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: 3,000+

Years Performed IMEs: 28

Times Deposed/Testified: 350 IME Training: Hundreds of hours atty consultations IME Certification: National Lecturer on IMEs

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Specialty: Psychiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Chronic pain, PTSD, worker's comp, personal injury, medical malpractice, chronic opioid management, psychopharmacology, file review, IMEs. Board Certification in Psychiatry. Subspecialty Board Certification in Pain Medicine.

Years in Practice: 41 IMEs Performed: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 28 Times Deposed/Testified: 70 IME Training: SEAK

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Pain Management - Medicine, Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon. Fellow of the American Academy of Disability Evaluating PHysicians, Fellowship trained in Sports Medicine. Laser Surgery, Spine, Ankle, Pain Management, Foot, Hip, Elbow, Wrists, Arthroscopic Surgery, Total Joints, Impairment Ratings, IME's, Expert Witness Years in Practice: 21 IMEs Performed: 1,500 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 73 IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP, and Fellowships: Amer Acad of Dis & Impairment Physicians, Am Acad of Minimally Invasive Spinal Med & Sx Please see ad on p. 4

ARKANSAS

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Rehabilitation - Physiatry,
Occupational Medicine, 18 yrs. exp.,
IME/2nd opinion, workers
compensation, personal injury,
impairment; Board Certified - Am.
Board of PM&R
Years in Practice: 29

Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 1,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 29 Times Deposed/Testified: 250+ IME Training: SEAK





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Board Certification

American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery

Member

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Anesthesiology Pain Management

Dr. Paul Lynch is a double board-certified and Fellowship-trained interventional pain physician and Anesthesiologist. Dr. Lynch has managed pain practices in 16 different states with a focus on safely performing complex procedures. Dr. Lynch has testified for the plaintiff and defense on cases including the standard of care for prescribing opioids and other pain medications, simple and complex pain management procedures and sedation or anesthesia for procedures.

Experience:

- 15 years performing IMEs
- Deposed/Testified 20 times

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Attending Orthopedic Surgeon at Columbia University – over 15 years

Extensive IME, deposition, and trial experience – over 25 years

Licenses: Arizona, Oregon, Washington, Alaska, Nevada, Utah, Idaho

National lecturer on topics including IMEs, injury causation, and impairment rating

CALIFORNIA

Farr Ajir, MD, MBA, FACS

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Specialty: Neurosurgery, Neurology, Dr. Farr Ajir is a practicing Board Certified Neurosurgeon with more than 40 years of experience in the treatment of disorders of the brain and spine. He is also certified by the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners (CIME) and provides expert reviews and medical-legal opinions as an expert neurosurgeon. Dr. Ajir is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons (FACS), and a member of the **Congress of Neurological Surgeons** and the California Association of Neurological Surgeons.

Years in Practice: 40 Years Performed IMEs: 10 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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INJURY, IMES, MEDICAL MALPRACTICE

Years in Practice: 23 IMEs Performed: >100 Years Performed IMEs: >10 Times Deposed/Testified: >50

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Years in Practice: 44 IMEs Performed: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 26 Times Deposed/Testified: 18 IME Training: SEAK

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Years Performed IMEs: 4





Michael A. Steingart, DO

Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon

Fellow of the International Academy of Independent Medical Examiners
Fellow in Sports Medicine from the University of Arizona Medical School
Fellow of the American Academy of Minimally Invasive Spinal Medicine and Surgery

Dr. Steingart has a busy orthopedic practice for more than 27 years. He has over 17 years of litigation support including independent medical exams, disability ratings, case reviews and medical legal expertise for both plaintiff and defense.

He was trained in general orthopedic surgery and has specialized in back/spine issues and extremities for surgical and non-surgical orthopedics. Dr. Steingart has extensive training and experience in proper diagnosis and treatment of injuries and ailments of the musculoskeletal system. He has diagnosed and successfully treated injuries that occurred in the following, but not limited to: workplace, motor vehicle, sports and industry.

Areas of Expertise:

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Additional Locations: Thousand Oaks, CA; Glendale, CA; Northridge, CA

Licenses: CA, IL, WI Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,

Specialty: Orthopedic Surger Orthopedics

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 35 IME Training: CA QME licensing exam and recertification IME Certification: CA, QME

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La Jolla, CA

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Additional Locations: Escondido, CA Corona, CA Santa Ana CA, chula vista

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 200+

Nelhs Betancourt, MD, MPH, DABT, CIME, CHCQM

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Additional Locations: Bakersfield, Moreno Valley, San Bernardino, Whittier, Inglewood, W. Covina

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Internal Medicine, My areas of expertise are Internal and Occupational Medicine and Occupational Toxicology. My emphasis is on causation of conditions related to work exposure, including cancer, solvents, pesticides, asbestos and other dusts, work stress and heart disease and impairment/ disability determination.

Years in Practice: 30
IMEs Performed: Hundreds
Years Performed IMEs: 20
Times Deposed/Testified: 100+
IME Training: SEAK, ABIME
IME Certification: CIME

Andrew Bokarius, MD, QME, FAWM

IbisMed Richmond, CA Phone: (323) 596-1565 Licenses: CA Specialty: Emergency Medicine, Expert Reviewer for MBC Qualified Medical Examiner and extensive experience in IMEs for DWC

Years in Practice: 6 IMEs Performed: 50+ Years Performed IMEs: 2 Times Deposed/Testified: 1 IME Certification: Expert Reviewer Training for Medical Board of California

Nachman Brautbar, MD

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Licenses: CA, NV

Specialty: Internal Medicine,
Toxicology - Medical Toxicology, Dr.
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His list of past and present academic
appointments include: Associate
Professor of Pharmacology and
Clinical Professor of Medicine at the
University of Southern California,
Keck School of Medicine. He
specializes in the toxicological and
internal medicine aspects of injury

in the workplace and environment, product liability, personal injury and standard of care. Years in Practice: 41

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CA and Antioch, C Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, I treat nearly all non-spine Orthopedic conditions including sports medicine injuries, arthroscopic surgery, hip/knee/ shoulder replacement, peripheral nerve entrapment syndromes, and fractures. I treat Workers Compensation patient regularly. I am in active practice as a General Orthopedic Surgeon and routinely perform arthroscopic and joint replacement surgeries.

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 14 Times Deposed/Testified: 300+ IME Training: Retired QME

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Practice: 45 Years

Specialty 1:Internal MedicineCertification:American Board of Internal Medicine;Specialty 2:NephrologyAmerican Board of Nephrology;Specialty 3:ToxicologyAmerican Board of Forensic Medicine

Academic Appointments: Emeritus Professor at University of Southern California, Keck School of Medicine

Specialty Focus: Dr. Nachman Brautbar is a board-certified internist and nephrologist, with a specialization in toxicology. His list of past and present academic appointments include: Associate Professor of Pharmacology and Clinical Professor of Medicine at the University of Southern California, Keck School of Medicine. He specializes in the toxicological and internal medicine aspects of injury in the workplace and environment, pharmacotoxicology, product liability, personal injury and standard of care.

<u>Services Provided</u>: Review of records, material safety data sheets, assessment of levels of exposure and establishing elements required for causation. Medical and scientific literature regarding general causation. Differential diagnosis to establish causation. Expert consultation, opinion and testimony.

Dr. Brautbar has testified in Federal and State Courts and has been qualified as an expert in Internal Medicine, Occupational Medicine, Toxicology and Nephrology. Dr. Brautbar has consulted and testified on behalf of plaintiffs and defendants, and for independent medical evaluations.

Dr. Brautbar is a treating, consulting and evaluating physician. In his reports, causation analysis, TD, TTD disability ratings, vocational rehabilitation and apportionment are addressed.



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Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 26

Kevin J. Cebula, DDS

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Licenses: CA

medicine.
Years in Practice: 22
IMEs Performed: 40
Years Performed IMEs: 7
Times Deposed/Testified: 12

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Licenses: CA
Specialty: Pain Management Medicine, Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Dr.
Hamilton Chen is board certified by

the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners. Dr. Chen is also board certified in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation and Pain Medicine. Dr. Chen has extensive experience with medical and interventional pain management, neuromodulation including spinal cord stimulation, peripheral nerve stimulation, and intrathecal pumps. Years in Practice: 11

Years Performed IMEs: 2 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME Please see ad on p. 7

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ligamentous surgery, fracture care, and total joint replacement. Years in Practice: 12

Years Performed IMEs: 12 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Wayne K. Cheng, MD

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, I am considered an authority on minimal invasive spine surgery and complex spine deformity reconstructions. Fellowship trained at Duke University Medical Center in 2002 and board certified, I graduated from the Loma Linda University School of Medicine in 1988 and finished residency at Martin Luther King, Jr./Drew Medical Center in Los Angeles, California.

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 300+ Years Performed IMEs: 7 Times Deposed/Testified: 65



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Dr. Chen has extensive experience with medical and interventional pain management, neuromodulation including spinal cord stimulation, peripheral nerve stimulation, intrathecal pumps, musculoskeletal ultrasound, and EMG/NCV. Dr. Chen also regularly performs evaluations for work-related disability, personal injury, and disability evaluations, as well as providing comprehensive reports in accordance with standard guidelines such as the AMA Guides and other current scientific standards.

11 Years in Practice

IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Glenn D. Cohen, MD

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Dr. Cohen's qualifications include board certification in Orthopedic Surgery and Subspecialty Certificate in Surgery of the Hand. He maintains a successful surgical practice treating all conditions of the Hand, Wrist, and Elbow. Extensive experience in the capacity of Expert Witness, Independent Medical Evaluator, Qualified Medical Evaluator, Agreed Medical Evaluator, and medical record reviewer.

Years in Practice: 16 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK

John F. Cook, Jr., M.D.

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Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Double Board Certified Orthopedic Hand Wrist

and Upper Extremity Specialist, IME, AME, QME

Years in Practice: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ABIME, and CIME, CEDIR IME Certification: CIME, and CEDIR

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Additional Locations: Anaheim
Licenses: TX, CA
Specialty: Spinal Medicine,
Orthopedic Surgery
Years in Practice: 20
IMES Performed: 15+
Years Performed IMEs: 3
Times Deposed/Testified: 10
IME Training: ABIME
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Suzie Dupee, MD

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Licenses: CA
Specialty: Forensic Psychiatry,
Psychiatry, Sexual abuse/assault
PTSD Personal injury Employment

issues Child & Adolescent forensic evaluations Child Custody evaluations and family law Fitness for Duty Disability evaluations

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 1000s Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 100s IME Training: SEAK

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Licenses: CA

Specialty: Neuropsychology,
Forensic Psychology, Traumatic
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injury, concussion, post-concussion
syndrome, post-traumatic stress
disorder (PTSD), chronic pain,
depression, emotional damages,
catastrophic injury, electrical injury,
toxic tort, personal injury, expert
witness, independent medical
examination (IME), disability
evaluation, defense base act, fitness
for duty, neuropsychological testing,

psychological testing, symptom validity testing.

Years in Practice: 21+ IMEs Performed: 60 Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK





William Dillin MD

The concepts of evidence-based medicine have been the cornerstone of Dr. Dillin's education during his spine surgery fellowship in Neurosurgery and Orthopaedic Surgery and the format for decision making in his subsequent practice.

The critical analytic features inherent in the 'best evidence' approach to patients have permeated his writing and his lectures, allowing flexible adaptation as the science has changed. Since July 1985, Dr. Dillin has been exclusively devoted to clinical spine, interventional spine and spine surgery practice. The combination of clinical critical thinking in conjunction with evidence-based medicine practice, allows spine specialty focus on any **Independent Medical Evaluations** or **Medical-Legal Reviews**.

He is in clinical practice performing spine surgery, spine interventions and evaluating patients with spine conditions. He is licensed in **California**, **Texas**, **Arizona**, **Florida** and **Nevada**. Dr. Dillin was a former partner at the Kerlan-Jobe Orthopaedic Clinic and was an associate of the Cedars-Sinai Kerlan-Jobe Institute.

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Coastline Surgery Center Santa Ana, CA Phone: (614) 427-9296 Cell: (614) 327-5661 Additional Locations: Nashville,

Tennessee; Columbus, Ohio; Ft.

Lauderdale, Florida

Licenses: Callifornia, Ohio, Tennessee,

Florida

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, I have initiated a start-up and maintenance of an occupational clinic for 13 years. I have performed injured worker care, urine and serum laboratory screens, and worked as a Medical Review Officer. I have performed Disability Examinations, Permanent Partial Exams, **Independent Medical Examinations** (IMEs), Alternative Dispute Resolutions (ADRs), and file reviews for government and third parties. I have performed over 5000 independent medical examinations over the past 22 years.

Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: >5000 Years Performed IMEs: 22 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, ABIME

IME Certification: CIME

Emin Gharibian, Psy.D.

Verdugo Psychological Associates La Crescenta, CA Phone: (818) 253-1161 verdugopsych.com/

Additional Locations: Los Angeles, California

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Forensic Psychology, Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI), Stroke, Dementia, Neurocognitive Disorders, **Substance-Induced Neurocognitive Impairment, Post-Traumatic Stress** Disorder (PTSD), Emotional Distress and Damages, Mood and Anxiety disorders, Somatic Symptom Disorders, Chronic Pain, Discrimination (employment, racial, gender and sexual), Personal Injury, IME/ AME, Disability Evaluations, Worker's Compensation, Fitness for **Duty, Pre-Employment Evaluations,** and Violence Risk Assessment.

Years in Practice: 4 IMEs Performed: 40+ Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 10+ IME Training: American Academy of Forensic Psychology, Two Year Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Neuropsychology

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Craig B. Grether, Ph.D.

Craig B. Grether, Ph.D. Carlsbad, CA

Phone: (760) 477-8585 Licenses: CA

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Neuropsychology/ Neurocognitive Deficits, Traumatic Brain Injury, PTSD, Forensic Psychology, Psychological Disability

Assessment, Fitness for Duty Evaluations, Workers Compensation Qualified Medical Evaluations.

IMEs Performed: 70 Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: QME continuing

education

Joseph Hadi, MD

Years in Practice: 49

Joseph Hadi MD PC Encino, CA Phone: (310) 846-9010

www.calipain.com Additional Locations: California, New

York, NY

Licenses: CA, FL, NY, NV
Specialty: Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain
Management - Medicine, I'm double
boarded in Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation and Pain Medicine.

My practice focus is on

interventional pain management and electrodiagnostic testing (EMG/NCV). For the past several years I have been performing peer reviews, utilization reviews and IME for SD and LTD. I travel frequently to the states I am licensed in to perform IME.

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 2+ Times Deposed/Testified: 1



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Eric Isero, D.C., QME

Millbrae, CA Phone: (650) 703-7076 Additional Locations: CA - Los Angeles, Salinas, San Pablo, San Leandro: Idaho - Sun Vallev Licenses: California, Idaho Specialty: QME, Chiropractic, I specialize in workers' compensation and industrial medicine. I perform California State QMEs, AMEs, and IMEs in 11 locations in Northern and Southern CA as well as Idaho. I also perform remote disability evaluations, DMO exams, and utilization reviews. I am available for NEXUS military examinations. I am also a certified ergonomic assessment specialist (CEAS).

Years in Practice: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 23 IME Training: ACOEM IME Certification: QME

Robert Scott Johnson, MD, JD, LLM

San Francisco Psychiatry
San Francisco, CA
Phone: (415) 926-7774
www.SanFranciscoPsych.com
Licenses: CA, TX, MA
Specialty: Forensic Psychiatry,
Psychiatry, IMEs, testamentary
capacity, fitness for duty, capacity to

refuse treatment, medical malpractice, suicide, negligence, psychiatrist malpractice, PTSD, emotional distress, psychiatric disability, emotional harm, wrongful termination, stalking, malingering, threat assessment, security clearance

Years in Practice: 7

Years in Practice: 7

IMEs Performed: 200

Years Performed IMEs: 3

Times Deposed/Testified: 10

IME Training: SEAK, and Harvard/

Mass Gen'l 1-year forensic psychiatry
fellowship

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Stephanie Johnson, PsyD

Upland, CA Phone: (909) 999-5220 Cell: (714) 264-4909 Licenses: CA

Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Services include psychological consultation, personal injury evaluations of adults and children, and worker's compensation evaluations.

Years in Practice: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 1 IME Training: SEAK

Clement K. Jones, MD

Clement K. Jones, MD, PC San Francisco, CA Phone: (415) 563-6325 clementjonesmd.com Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, (Spine & Neck): Orthopaedic Spine Surgery Cervical, Thoracic and Lumbar Spine Surgery Spinal Fusion and Reconstructive Surgery Artificial Disc Replacement Surgery Spinal Deformity Surgery Revision Spine Surgery Minimally-Invasive Spine Surgery

Years in Practice: 27 IMEs Performed: 50+ Years Performed IMEs: 5+ Times Deposed/Testified: 200

Barbara J. Justice, MD

Equity Evals Anaheim, CA Phone: (818) 594-5180 www.barbarajjusticemd.com Additional Locations: Santa Ana, CA Specialty: Forensic Psychiatry, Psychiatry

Years in Practice: 40 Times Deposed/Testified: 200+

John D. Kaufman, M.D.

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Additional Locations: Palmdale,
California

Cantonna
Licenses: California, Nebraska
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Orthopedics, I am board certified in
orthopedic surgery and a fellow of
the American Academy of
Orthopedic Surgeons. I have
expertise in general orthopedic
conditions, sports medicine,
osteoporosis, back and neck injuries
and other bone and joint conditions.
I am experienced in medical legal
evaluations, depositions and
testifying as an expert witness.
Years in Practice: 30
Years Performed IMEs: 25

Salma S. Khan, MD

San Francisco, CA Phone: (415) 742-7444 drskhanmd.com/ Licenses: CA

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, I have done Peer Reviews, IME's, and Standard of Care assessments for the Medical Board of California. I have experience consulting in regards to county jail and prison system. I have



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Civil Forensic Psychiatry

Specialty Focus: PTSD IMEs, Private Disability Insurance IMEs, Corporate Fitness-for-Duty, Employment Litigation IMEs, Personal Injury IMEs, FAA HIMS Pilot Evaluations

Licenses: CA, MA, TX

IME Training: 1-yr Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship Harvard, SEAK IME course

Dr. Scott Johnson, MD, JD, LLM is board certified in psychiatry and forensic psychiatry. He completed forensic psychiatry training at Harvard/Mass General and general psychiatry training at Baylor. He is licensed in CA, TX and MA, and has been practicing since 2011. He has 20 peer-reviewed publications, 2 book chapters, 12 psychiatric awards, 6 of which are national awards.



extensive experience evaluating forensic patients. I have extensive experience doing inpatient work. **Qualified Medical Evaluator since** 2001. I have been an Independent Medical Evaluator for various California agencies. Defense Base Act IME's and Department of Labor IME's.

Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 150+ Years Performed IMEs: 19 Times Deposed/Testified: 25+

Michael Krosin, MD

East Bay Orthopedic Trauma and Reconstruction Castro Valley, CA Phone: (510) 750-1967 Cell: (510) 316-7035 www.eastbayortho.net Additional Locations: Oakland, CA Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Foot & Ankle, Dr Michael Krosin is a board certified fellowship-trained orthopedic surgeon. He has extensive experience in orthopedic injuries, post traumatic injuries, knee and hip replacement and foot and ankle surgery. He is thorough, meticulous and timely in his evaluations. Please email or text him for additional information.

Years in Practice: 11 IMEs Performed: 5 Years Performed IMEs: 2 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 Please see ad on p. 12

Lorne S. Label, MD, MBA

California Neurological Specialists,

Thousand Oaks, CA Cell: (818) 590-6436 www.cns-neurology.com

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Neurology, Acupuncture, Adult and Pediatric Neurology, special interest in head trauma, dementia, headaches, ADHD, nerve & muscle diseases

Years in Practice: 31 IMEs Performed: 250+ Years Performed IMEs: 30

Kevin Li, MD, QME, IME

Advance Spine Care and Pain Management, PC Pasadena, CA Cell: (626) 538-8950 www.kevinlimd.com Additional Locations: United States Licenses: CA

Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Anesthesiology, musculoskeletal Injuries, spinal Injuries, auto accidents, spine pain, musculoskeletal pain, neuropathic pain, headache, Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, disc herniation, degenerative disc disease, arthritis, facet dysfunction, low back pain, chest pain, neck pain, radiculopathy, sciatica, cervical pain, whiplash, workers' compensation, disability &

independent medical evaluations. AMA Guides, regenerative medicine, addiction medicine, interventional pain management, impairment rating, anesthesia

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 150 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 10+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: AADEP

Stephen M. Lojeski, DDS, QME, D-ÅBFO

Upland, CA Cell: (909) 630-3450 Licenses: CA, AZ Specialty: Dentistry, General Practice, Forensic Dentistry, expert witness for both plaintiff and defense in malpractice cases, litigation support, dental examination, evaluation of treatment and injuries, qualified medical evaluator, proficient in dental standard of care issues, qualified medical evaluator, licensed in Ca. &

Years in Practice: 46 IMEs Performed: 350 Years Performed IMEs: 26 Times Deposed/Testified: 60 IME Training: Board Certified Diplomate American Board of Forensic Odontology IME Certification: State of California Licensed QME

Adrienne Meier, PhD

InPsych Pasadena, CA Phone: (949) 441-0191 www.MeierForensicPsvch.com Additional Locations: New York, NY; Chicago, IL; Miami, FL; Honolulu, HI; Phoenix, AZ; Licenses: CA, NY, FL, HI, IL, NH,

Specialty: Forensic Psychology, Neuropsychology, Clinical Psychology, Emotional Distress and Damages, Disability Evaluations, Discrimination (employment, racial, gender and sexual), Mental Health, Substance Abuse, PTSD, Anxiety and Depression, Child Sexual Abuse Accommodation Syndrome, Sexual Offending, Sexual abuse, Head Injury and Traumatic Brain Injury Years in Practice: 5 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: Forensic post-doctoral

Jeffrey T. Miller, DDS

Los Angeles, CA Phone: (310) 839-8303 Cell: (310) 849-0616 www.jmillerdds.com Additional Locations: San Bernadino, Orange Counties, CA Licenses: CA

Specialty: Dentistry, Board Certified Specialist: Periodontics & Dental Implants. Diplomate, American Board of Periodontology. Also

experienced in General Dentistry. incl. TMJ and trauma. Qualified Medical Evaluator in the State of California since 2006. Reliable, confident, defendable, supportive, and high quality.

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 400 Years Performed IMEs: 11

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Specialty: Internal Medicine, Occupational Medicine, Worker's **Compensation Correctional** Healthcare Occupational Medicine Perform independent Medical Examinations where liability is an issue.

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 60 Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: SEAK, and CSIMS IME Certification: FACP, QME,

Thomas Peatman, MD

San Ramon, CA Phone: (510) 459-8942 Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, I am best suited for injuries to the extremities, or combined extremity/ non-surgical spine cases.

Years in Practice: 21 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 11 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Ann J Peters, MD

San Francisco, CA Phone: (916) 826-6513 Additional Locations: 20 Renees Way, East Hampton NY 11937 Licenses: CA, NY Specialty: Family Medicine, Aerospace Medicine, Family medicine, primary care, emergency medicine, aerospace medicine and issues dealing with personal injury and medical malpractice.

Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 1 IME Training: SEAK

David P. Pingitore, PhD

Oakland, CA Phone: (510) 433-7132 www.assessmentdoctor.com Additional Locations: Fresno, Reno, Nevada, Honolulu, Hawaii Licenses: CA, HI, NV Specialty: Psychology, Neuropsychology, Cognitive Disorders, Depression, PTSD, Assessment of Symptom Magnification/Malingering,

Traumatic Brain Injury, Fitness for **Duty. Board Certified in Clinical** Psychology with the American Board of Professional Psychology.

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 250 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM, and APA, AACP, NAN CSIMS, Northern California Neuropsychology Forum, Pearson Assessments, National Academy of Neuropsychology IME Certification: CSIMS, DWC,

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Monica Madhurima Rao, MD

Phone: (424) 279-9035 Licenses: CA Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Six and a half years experience medical legal work through the Veterans Administration including

examining patients, writing reports and submitting medical opinions to the courts.

Years in Practice: 26

Los Angeles, CA

IME Training: ABIME, and I've had 6 1/2 years experience with medical legal at the VA

Roy M. Rubin

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, Lumbar spine, cervical spine, thoracic spine, orthopedics, sports injury, spine surgery, fracture, joint replacement, back, low back, neck, upper back, mid back, disc bulge, herniation, rotator cuff, shoulder, knee, joints, elbow, foot, ankle, wrist, hand. Years in Practice: 20

Years Performed IMEs: 10

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Brian D. Rudin, M.D., Inc. Westlake Village, CA Phone: (805) 435-6618 thespinesurgeon.com Additional Locations: AZ, NV, Hawaii, North Carolina Licenses: California, Arizona, Nevada, North Carolina Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic Neck and Spine Surgeon; Disc Replacement; Fusion; Orthopedic Surgery; Neck and Spine Care; Neck and Back Pain; Disorders of the Cervical, Thoracic, and Lumbar Spine; Spinal Cord; Dural Disc

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He is thorough, meticulous and timely in his evaluations.

Dr. Krosin is affable and excellent at distilling and explaining complex concepts.

Qualified medical examiner for the state of California.

Education: MD, Columbia College of Physicians; BA, Princeton University

14 Years in Practice
50+ IMEs Performed
Deposed/Testified 10 times

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David P. Pingitore, Ph.D., ABPP

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American Board of Professional Psychology
Certified Brain Injury Specialist
Academy of Brain Injury Specialists
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Specialties: Psychology / Neuropsychology

Clinical Focus: Cognitive Impairment, Depression, Fitness for Duty,

Personal Injury/Medical Malpractice, Symptom Validity, PTSD,

Diminished Capacity, Traumatic Brain Injury, Workplace Discrimination/Harassment

Hospital Affiliation: Consulting Neuropsychologist, Encompass Health, Modesto, CA

Expert Reviewer: California Medical Council Medical Evaluation Specialists

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Post Doctoral Fellowships: University of California, Berkeley

Michigan State University

Other Locations: Fresno, Honolulu, Reno

License: CA, HI, NV

Years in Practice: 32

Jonathan S. Rutchik, MD, MPH

NEOMA Mill Valley, CA Phone: (415) 381-3133 www.neoma.com

Licenses: CA, NY, MA, NM, ID Specialty: Neurology, Occupational Medicine, Evaluation of individuals or groups with neurological problems, occupational exposures and/or workplace injures

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 7 Times Deposed/Testified: 50 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ACOEM

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Bahar Safaei-Far, PsyD

Tarzana, CA Phone: (818) 963-1338

Licenses: CA, AZ

Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Services include psychological consultation, psychodiagnostic testing, Fitness-for Duty evaluations (peace officer and civilian), expert reports, independent medical evaluations, expert testimony with specialization in PTSD with civilian, law enforcement, firefighter and Veteran populations.

Years in Practice: 17 IMEs Performed: 350 Years Performed IMEs: 9 Times Deposed/Testified: 11 IME Training: SEAK

Stuart L. Shear, MD

Medical Industrial Evaluators Los Angeles, CA Phone: (310) 207-3320 Cell: (323) 228-3629

Additional Locations: Burbank, CA

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Dermatology Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 150

Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 100

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Delia Silva, PsyD, ABPP-CN, QME

Pacific Neurobehavioral Clinic, PC San Diego, CA

Phone: (858) 964-0722 www.neuropacific.com Additional Locations: San Diego

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Licenses: CA
Specialty: Neuropsychology,
Psychology, Dr. Silva is boardcertified in clinical neuropsychology
(ABPP-CN) and has additional
certification as a Qualified Medical
Evaluator (QME) in CA. She has

held board positions with national, state, and local neuropsychology organizations. She specializes with traumatic brain injuries, neurodegenerative conditions, complex medical conditions in adults, mood and anxiety disorders, somatic symptom disorders, posttraumatic stress disorder, and chronic pain syndromes. She also speaks Spanish.

Years in Practice: 16 IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 13 Times Deposed/Testified: 23 IME Training: AACN, AAFP, CSIMS

Mitchel U. Silverman, MD

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New jersey

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Certified American Board of Orthopeadic Surgery (ABOS); Added Qualifications In Surgery of the Hand; Impairment Rater: AMA Guides 5th Edition (IAIME) & AMA Guides 6th Edition (ABIME); OWCP Provider

Years in Practice: 42 IMEs Performed: 7500 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 750 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ABIME

IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP

Steven M. Simons, MD, FACP, FCCP

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Specialty: Internal Medicine,
Pulmonary Medicine - Disease,
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embolism and lung infections.

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Other services include **independent medical examinations**, **medical record review**, **utilization review and consulting to industrial**, **legal**, **government**, **pharmaceutical and academic institutions equally for plaintiff and defense matters**. Dr. Rutchik is licensed in CA, NY, MA, NM and ID.

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Licenses: CA

Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Services include Fitness-for-Duty evaluations (civilian and law enforcement), psychological consultation and independent medical evaluations/review of records, psychological assessment, expert reports and testimony with emphasis on PTSD and related disorders for veterans, civilians, peace officers and other safety sensitive positions.

Years in Practice: 26 IMEs Performed: 375 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: Substance Abuse Professional (SAP) and bilingual

William B. Stetson, MD

Associate Clinical Professor, USC School of Med. Burbank, CA Phone: (818) 848-3030 www.sportsmedicinedr.com

Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Dr. Stetson is an orthopaedic surgeon who is fellowship trained in sports medicine and arthroscopy of the shoulder, knee, elbow and ankle with over 25 years of experience in trauma surgery. He is a Qualified Medical Examiner (QME) for the state of California and has served as an expert witness for the last 18 years in over 60 cases involving complex personal injury, workers compensation, malpractice and product liability cases. He has been a clinical professor at USC for over 25 years.

Years in Practice: 26
IMEs Performed: 120
Years Performed IMEs: 18
Times Deposed/Testified: 63
IME Training: SEAK
IME Certification: Qualified Medical
Examiner (State of California)
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Glenna Tolbert, MD

Tolbert Rehabilitation
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Specialty: Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain
Management - Medicine, Spinal
Cord Medicine, Independent
Medical Exam, Life Care Planning,
Orthopedics - Nonsurgical
Years in Practice: 25

Shawn Uraine, M.D.

Loma Linda, CA Cell: (909) 260-0580 www.druraine.com Licenses: CA

Specialty: Pain Management Medicine, Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Spinal
cord stimulator, opioid, facet,
epidural, pill mill, Complex Regional
Pain Syndrome, CRPS, opioid
overdose, radiofrequency ablation,
spinal cord injury, neuromodulation,
fluoroscopy, platelet rich plasma,
PRP, whiplash, sacroiliac joint, low
back pain, neck pain.

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 10+ Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 10+ IME Training: SEAK

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Gabor Vari, MD

Pacific Palisades, CA Phone: (310) 751-0870 varimd.com Licenses: CA

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Workers Compensation, Disability, Disability Retirement, Auto Injury, Personal Injury, Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder, trauma, PTSD, suicide, addiction, substance abuse, IME, fitness for duty, disability evaluation, telepsychiatry, medical board, side effects, standard of care Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 250+ Years Performed IMEs: 13

Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

Diane J. Weiss, MD

Diane J. Weiss, MD Beverly Hills, CA Phone: (310) 273-8448 www.dianeweissmd.com Licenses: CA

Specialty: Psychiatry, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, Depression, Anxiety, Personality Disorders, Sexual Harassment, Litigation Support for Employment Actions & Workers Compensation

Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 33 Times Deposed/Testified: 1000 IME Certification: Board Certified in Psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry & Neurology



William B. Stetson, MD

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Specialty Areas: Orthopedic Surgery & Sports Medicine

Dr. Stetson specializes in sports medicine with an expertise in arthroscopic and reconstructive surgery of the shoulder, knee, elbow and ankle. He has first-hand knowledge of athletic injuries and trauma related injuries with over 20 years of experience.

Dr. Stetson has over 25 years of teaching experience as a volunteer professor of orthopaedic surgery at Los Angeles County + USC Medical Center where he teaches the residents orthopaedic surgery and arthroscopy. He has also served as the medical director and on the management committee of outpatient surgery centers. He is the author of over 45 peer reviewed publications and has over 100 national and international presentations. He is a Qualified Medical Examiner (QME) for the state of California and has served as an expert witness for the last 15 years in over 60 cases involving complex personal injury, workers compensation, malpractice and product liability cases.





Shawn Uraine, M.D.

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Pain Management – Medicine Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation – Physiatry

Specialty Focus: Motor vehicle collisions, slip or trip and fall, spinal injury, procedures for management of pain such as epidurals, nerve blocks, radio frequency ablations and spinal cord stimulators. Member IAIME (International Association of Independent Medical Evaluators) with specialty training in causation, reasonableness of treatment and future medical care.

Double-board certified physician (physical medicine & rehabilitation and pain medicine). Full-time clinical practice. Assistant professor, Loma Linda University School of Medicine. Experienced expert witness and independent medical examiner – has reviewed over one hundred cases and testified at deposition on numerous occasions.

Wayne M. Whalen, DC

Santee, CA Phone: (619) 258-1144 Cell: (619) 368-1145 drwhalen.com Licenses: CA, HI

Specialty: Chiropractic, Chiropractic Neurology

Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 24 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: SEAK

Lee C. Woods, Medical

Lee C. Woods, A Medical Corporation WHITTIER, CA
Phone: (562) 907-7682
leewoodsmd.com
Additional Locations: Los Angeles,
Longbeach and Sherman Oaks,
California
Licenses: CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Foot & Ankle, My practice focus is on Medical Legal reporting including Personal Injury and Workers Compensation in California in the form of reporting as an Agreed Medical Examiner and Qualified

Medical Examiner all of which I have been engaged for 35 years.

Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: Hundreds Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 1200

Edward W. Younger, MD

MRK Medical Consultants
Gold River, CA
Phone: (916) 863-7301
www.mrkmedconsultants.com
Additional Locations: Satellite offices
in California and Nevada
Licenses: CA
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, Board certified orthopedist specializing in total joints. General Orthopedics, Reconstructive Knee Surgery, Reconstructive Hip Surgery, and Reconstructive Shoulder Surgery Years in Practice: 30

IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK

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Nicole K. Zagelbaum Ward, DO

Beverly Hills, CA Phone: (310) 659-5905 drzagelbaumward.com Additional Locations: Chino, CA, Camarillo, CA, Downey, CA Licenses: CA

Specialty: Internal Medicine, Rheumatology, Fellowship trained rheumatologist, areas of interest include musculoskeletal disorders, fibromyalgia, gout, rheumatoid arthritis, scleroderma, ankylosing spondylitis, lupus, thyroid related arthritis, pseudogout, osteoporosis, osteoarthritis, sjogrens disease, myositis, ANCA vasculitis, druginduced vasculitis.

Years in Practice: 2 Years Performed IMEs: 1

COLORADO

Bradley S. Abrahamson, MD Integrative Sports Medicine

Fort Collins, CO Phone: (970) 825-6825 Cell: (970) 691-3847 integrativesportsmed.com Additional Locations: Fort Collins Licenses: CO

Specialty: Sports Medicine, Occupational Medicine, As an experienced Primary Care Sports Medicine specialized, I am Board certified in Family Medicine as well as Fellowship trained and certified in Sports Medicine, essentially nonoperative musculoskeletal (MSK) medicine, diagnostic ultrasound, regenerative medicine and related injury concerns. I am also a Level II Certified Occupational Medicine Division examiner for the State of Colorado, which has given me a large base, and I have developed an interest in PI and med mal as well. Years in Practice: 24

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 120 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 12





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Otolarvngology

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Physical Therapy

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Neil Brown, MD PhD

Minimally Invasive Spine & Neurosurgery Colorado Springs, CO Cell: (954) 644-9820 Additional Locations: Clearwater, Florida; Orlando, Florida Licenses: AZ, CA, CO, IL, FL, MO Specialty: Neurosurgery, My clinical opinions are based upon twenty-five years as a practicing board-certified neurosurgeon. Evidence-based medical treatment options, medical necessity, and causation can be assessed. Likewise I can offer biomechanical opinions based upon an BSc (Hon) in Applied Mathematics, an MSc in Physics, and a PhD in Medical Biophysics. I have a special interest in injuries alleged to be secondary to motor vehicle accidents or slips/trips and falls.

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 65 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 135 IME Training: SEAK

Mindy Cohen, MD

Mindy Cohen MD LLC Englewood, CO Phone: (720) 318-5387 Additional Locations: Denver, CO

Licenses: CO

Specialty: Anesthesiology, - Pediatric Anesthesiology- board certified since 2014 - Anesthesiology- board certified since 2011 - Nationally recognized and invited speaker -First author publications in peerreviewed journals

Years in Practice: 13

Justin D. Green, MD

Front Range Center for Spine and Sports Medicine Boulder, CO Phone: (720) 304-8154 www.justingreenmd.com Additional Locations: Boulder

Licenses: CO Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, IME **Independent Medical Exams Disability Evaluations Impairment** Ratings (3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Editions). State of Colorado Level II **Accredited Peer Reviews Chart** Reviews Utilization Reviews 2nd **Opinions Disability Opinions Spine** Care, Non-Surgical Orthopedics, Low Back Pain, Neck Pain, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, EMG/ NCS, Pain Medicine-Management, Legal Medicine, Sports Medicine, Sciatica. Personal Injury, Motor Vehicle Trauma, Workmen's Compensation

Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 32 Times Deposed/Testified: 30+ IME Training: Colorado Workmen's Compensation Level II Accreditation Regina Y. Leverrier, MD

Custom Recovery, PLLC Lakewood, CO Phone: (303) 339-0708 Cell: (917) 328-0799 Mycustomrecovery.com Village, CO

Additional Locations: Greenwood Licenses: CO, IL, NY, CA Specialty: Psychiatry, Addictions, I am board certified in both psychiatry and addiction medicine. I have done IME for many years and am told I appear well in court. I have testified many times and also when I did hospital work to obtain treatment over objection. I treat all pychiatric diagnoses including Schizophrenia, Bipolar Disorder, Depressive Disorders, Aspergers, Autism, TBI, Anxiety Disorders, OCD, PTSD, etc and have 30+ years of clinical experience treating addictions, psych illness and patients who have both.

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 6

Robert P. Mack, MD

Integrated Medical Evaluations Greenwood Village, CO Phone: (970) 618-8282 Additional Locations: Redlands, California Licenses: CO, CA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Evaluation of spine and extremity impairments and disabilities. Record reviews, Peer Reviews and Expert testimony Level II certified Colorado QME certified California

Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, ABIME, and AAOS

Earl Schott, MD

EARL SCHOTT MD, PLLC DENVER, CO Phone: (720) 506-5617 Licenses: AZ CO FL GA KS MA MT NE OK OR TX VA WA Specialty: Radiology, American Board of Radiology certified in **Interventional and Diagnostic** Radiology

Years in Practice: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 1

CONNECTICUT

Michael P. Bernstein, MD Michael P. Bernstein, MD, LLC

Enfield, CT

Phone: (860) 763-3243 Cell: (860) 478-4733

Licenses: CT

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Otolaryngology, Ear, Nose and Throat, Hearing, Apnea, Sinus

Problems, Voice/Swallowing problems, Head and Neck Infections, Head and Neck Tumors, Head and Neck Surgery, Facial Trauma Years in Practice: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 35

Jessica Chaudhary, MD

Westport, CT

Phone: (206) 240-5536 Licenses: TX, CT, FL, CT Specialty: Psychiatry, Depression, Anxiety, PTSD, Relationship Problems, Complicated medical illness, Substance abuse, ADHD, ADD, attention issues, Eating disorders, bipolar disorder, psychopharmacology, trauma, abuse, medication management, psychosis, dementias, women's mental health, pregnancy and post partum issues. Years in Practice: 10+

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Michael J. Giordano, MD, JD, MBA

Legal Medical Associates LLC Milford, CT Phone: (203) 877-3899 Cell: (860) 395-9330 Additional Locations: Hopelawn, NJ Licenses: CT, NJ, NY, MO Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, I am a board certified neurosurgeon with over 24 years in practice I am a board certified independent medical examiner in

both the 5th and 6th editions s of the AMA Guides. I am also an attorney and have over 15 years experience reviewing medicolegal cases. Due to my medical and legal training, I provide valuable insight to your evaluations and cases. I focus on brain and spinal injuries. Years in Practice: 36

IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: ABIME, and Board Certified Neurosurgeon IME Certification: CIME, and American Board of Neurological

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Regina O. Hillsman, MD

Dr. R. Hillsman, MD, PC Westport, CT Phone: (914) 665-0058

Additional Locations: White Plains,

Licenses: CT, NY, CA, MA, NJ Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Foot and Ankle, Industrial Medicine, General Orthopedics of 20 yrs. expertise, Board Certified and re-certified, also certified in sports medicine, back medicine and industrial care of injured workers

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CICE

Arnold Holzman, PhD, ABPP

Hamden, CT

Phone: (475) 241-3769 Additional Locations: Hamden

Licenses: CT

Specialty: Psychology, Services include: Assessment of psychological/ psychiatric disability secondary to physical or emotional trauma. Disability evaluations for workers compensation and personal injury cases. Evaluation of patients complaining of chronic pain, PTSD and other psychiatric disorders secondary to injury. Fitness for duty and return to work evaluations for employees of municipalities as well as the private sector. Years in Practice: 36 IMEs Performed: 75

Times Deposed/Testified: 20 Michael A. Kuhn, MD

Years Performed IMEs: 20

Middlesex Orthopedic and Spine Associates Middletown, CT Phone: (860) 704-6000 Cell: (301) 580-4534 oamet.com Additional Locations: Westbrook, CT and Marlborough, CT

Licenses: CT, PA, NC, ND, IA, MA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Shoulder, Elbow, Hip, Knee, Ankle Arthroscopy, **Cartilage Reconstruction Rotator**

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Years in Practice: 15+ IMEs Performed: >1000 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: >50 Please see ad on p. 20

Roshni N. Patel, MD

RNP Medical West Hartford, CT Phone: (203) 246-4688 imeexpertmd.com Licenses: Connecticut Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Brain Injury Medicine, Quadruple board certified (Neurology, Pain Medicine, Headache, Brain Injury Medicine) **Neurology Residency At University** of Connecticut Pain Medicine Fellowship at New York University-NYU Dept of Anesthesia Experience in Worker's Compensation Cases, Disability Impairment Ratings, Records Review, Personal Injury Cases, Short Term and Long Term Disability Claim Reviews, & Medical

Years in Practice: 13 IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME Please see ad on p. 20

Necessity Determination





Jessica Chaudhary, MD

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Psychiatry

Board Certified Harvard and Yale trained psychiatrist treating conditions such as anxiety disorders, depressive disorders, attention deficit disorders, women's mental health issues, substance use disorders, psychosis, and dementia with behavioral disturbance.

I am a clinical instructor at Yale, and a fellow of the American Psychiatric Association.

10+ Years in Practice

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Neurosurgery Spinal Medicine

Board certified neurosurgeon with over 24 years in practice I am a board certified independent medical examiner in both the 5th and 6th editions s of the AMA Guides. I am also an attorney and have over 15 years' experience reviewing medicolegal cases. Due to my medical and legal training, I provide valuable insight to your evaluations and cases. I focus on brain and spinal injuries.

20 Years Performing IMEs

Number of Times Deposed/Testified in Last 4 Yrs: 20

Number of IMEs Performed: 500+



Michael Kuhn, MD

Middlesex Orthopedic and Spine Associates Middletown, Westbrook, and Marlborough, CT Phone: 860-704-6000 Cell: 301-580-4534

Email: mkuhn@oamct.com

Website: oamct.com

Orthopedic Surgery & Sports Medicine

Specialty Focus: Shoulder, Elbow, Hip, Knee, Ankle Arthroscopy, Cartilage Reconstruction Rotator Cuff Repair Total Joint Replacement-Shoulder, Hip, Knee, Ankle Non-Operative back pain Trauma

License(s): CT, PA, NC, ND, IA, MA 500+ IMEs Performed

Decade of peer review, 3rd party review, expert witness, Independent Medical Evaluations and Records review. Large practice involving Workmen's compensation. National expert in Orthopedic Sports Medicine, Arthroscopic Reconstruction, Cartilage Repair, and Orthopedic Surgery.

Arthroplasty practice with robotic and non-robotic assisted surgery. Extensive experience with therapeutics including PRP and Bone Marrow Procedures.

Roshni N. Patel, MD

Center of Excellence in Pain & Regenerative Medicine Farmington, Connecticut

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Pain Management & Brain Injury Medicine

Quadruple board certified (Neurology, Pain Medicine, Headache, Brain Injury Medicine)
Neurology Residency At University of Connecticut Pain Medicine Fellowship at New York
University- NYU Dept of Anesthesia Experience in Worker's Compensation Cases, Disability
Impairment Ratings, Records Review, Personal Injury Cases, Short Term and Long Term
Disability Claim Reviews, & Medical Necessity Determination

9 Years Performing IMEs 250+ IMEs Performed Deposed/Testified 20 times

Years in Practice: 15 IME Certification: CIME IME Training: SEAK and ABIME

15+ Years experience in Interventional Pain Management and Neurology Disorders Experience in Worker's Compensation Cases, Disability Impairment Ratings, Records Review, Personal Injury Cases, Short Term and Long Term Disability Claim Reviews, and Medical Necessity Determinations. Expert on acute and chronic pain, IME's, Depositions, Chart & File Review

DELAWARE

Edmund T. Carroll, DO

Total Joint Consulting, LLC

Lewes, DE

Phone: (302) 644-3307 x7202 www.delawarebonedocs.com Additional Locations: Lewes

Licenses: DE

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Fellowship trained in adult reconstructive surgery including hip and knee replacement surgery, partial knee replacement surgery and hip and knee revision surgery. 20 years of general orthopedic surgery practice experience including trauma, knee arthroscopy, shoulder and hand surgery as well as workers' compensation and motor vehicle injuries. Board certified by the American Osteopathic Board of Orthopaedic Surgery. Years in Practice: 26

Times Deposed/Testified: 20+ Michael A. Kennedy, MD

MK Health Services, LLC

Newark, DE

Phone: (302) 388-4424

Additional Locations: Christiana, DE

and Prospect Park, PA Licenses: DE, MD, PA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, IMEs since 2001. Impairment Ratings for Pennsylvania since 2012. Certified Independent Medical Examiner by ABIME.

Years in Practice: 23 IMEs Performed: 150 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM, ABIME

IME Certification: CIME

Joseph L. Schwartz, PsyD

Rehoboth Beach, DE Phone: (302) 423-7011 Licenses: DE, NY

Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, No Fault Insurance, Second Opinion on Diagnosis, Ethical Considerations, Malpractice, Review of Psychological Testing, Mental Status Exams/Clinical Interview, Short and Long Term Disability Assessment, Expert Witnessing, Post Traumatic Stress/ Trauma, Traumatic Brain Injury, Harassment, Many hours per week in patient contact. Conducted over 1000 Mental Health Evaluations. Has performed over 500 IMEs in the assessment of forensic and mental status issues for children, adolescents and adults.

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: I have had decades of successful practice with few challenges to my opinions

FLORIDA

Mario J. Almanza, DC

Palm City, FL

Phone: (772) 266-9447

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Chiropractic, -Unbiased objective evaluations of complex musculoskeletal conditions. -Skills in various chiropractic techniques and modalities. -Skills in common diagnostic imaging found in Chiropractic. -Adhere to ethical guidelines and maintain the highest standards of professionalism. -My expert exam writing techniques ensure clear, concise, and wellsupported opinions. -Quick turn around time. -Located in a very convenient and desirable area. -Currently performing 1000+ adjustments a month.

Years in Practice: 7 IMEs Performed: 150+ Years Performed IMEs: 4

Francis J. Averill, MD

St. Francis Medical Institute Clearwater, FL Phone: (727) 447-3000 www.StFrancisMed.com

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Pulmonary Medicine -Disease, Sleep Medicine, Dr. Francis J. Averill, MD, JD, is board-certified in four medical specialties: Pulmonary Medicine, Sleep Medicine, Internal Medicine & Critical Care. Additionally, Dr. Averill practiced 38 years in Allergy Medicine & Immunology.

Years in Practice: 38 IMEs Performed: 1 Years Performed IMEs: 1 Times Deposed/Testified: 6 IME Training: SEAK

Richard A. Beck, MD

Advanced Otolaryngology Services Jacksonville, FL

Phone: (904) 399-5311

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Dr. Richard A. Beck uses state-of-the-art testing and digital video examination equipment for diagnosis and documentation. Experience in complex case management for voice, swallowing, airway, sinus, and head & neck surgical cases. Available for IME, expert medical witness and case consultation. Areas of expertise: airway & voice (laryngology), swallowing & aspiration (dysphagia), otolaryngology / otorhinolaryngology (ENT / ear, nose & throat), ENT causation, ENT complications, nasal & sinus.

Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: >500 Years Performed IMEs: >30 Times Deposed/Testified: >100 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME, and Fellow American College of Surgeons, Fellow American Rhinologic Society

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Craig Bennett, MD

Licenses: FL

Center for Bone and Joint Disease Hudson, FL Phone: (727) 697-2200 www.centerforboneandjoint.com Additional Locations: Brooksville, Fl

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopaedic surgery; Joint replacements, Hips, Knees, Shoulders and disorders of the spine.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 10

Santo Steve Bifulco, MD CLCP

BiFulco Medical Group Tampa, FL Phone: (813) 321-3676 Cell: (813) 417-7447 www.bifulcomedicalgroup.com Licenses: Florida & New York Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Brain Injury Medicine, Damages expert. Certified Life Care Planner. Testifying & Treating MD on matters involving future care, permanency, causation, and life expectancy for defense and plaintiff firms. Life Care Planning, Brain Injuries from mTBI to severe. Amputations, Burns, Multi-Trauma, Orthopedic Injuries, Chronic Pain,

Spinal Cord Injuries. Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 500+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: CLCP

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Richard M. Blecha, MD

Complex Orthopaedic Evaluations Inc. Jacksonville, FL Phone: (904) 557-3032

Additional Locations: Austin, TX Licenses: FL, TX

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spine Surgery, IME's, Injury Plaintiff/Defense, Workers Compensation, Disability, Record Review

Years in Practice: 25+ IMEs Performed: 3000 Years Performed IMEs: 15+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP

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David Brodner, MD

Boynton Beach, FL Phone: (561) 735-8750 www.brodnermd.com/

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Sleep Medicine, Practice focuses on sinus problems and sleep medicine, but treats wide variety of conditions within ENT and Sleep Medicine including allergies, sinus headache, sinus infections, balloon sinus surgery, balloon sinuplasty, snoring, sleep apnea, breathing problems, insomnia, restless leg syndrome, ear infection, hearing loss, mouth sores, neck mass, sore throat, nose bleeds, and cancers of the head and neck (throat cancer, thyroid cancer, tongue cancer, vocal cord and sinus cancer).

Years in Practice: 22 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 27 IME Training: SEAK

Stuart S. Burstein, MD

Comprehensive MedPsych Systems

Sarasota, FL

Phone: (941) 363-0878 www.medpsych.net Licenses: FL

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Workers' Compensation, Fitness-for-Duty, FMLA, Personal Injury, Psychic Harm, Mental Capacity, Depression, PTSD.

Years in Practice: 50 IMEs Performed: 1400+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 350+ IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Raphael Cervera, DC

Archangels Medical Service Miami, FL

Phone: (786) 443-1369 Licenses: FLORIDA Specialty: Chiropractic, IME Physician, File Review Physician, Peer Review Physician, Disability Review Physician. Spinal cord injury, Low back pain, Neck pain, Shoulder rotator cuff, Elbows, Wrists, Hands, Hips, Knees, Ankles, Feet, Arthritis, Headaches, Motor Vehicle Accident and Slip and Fall

Injuries. Impairment Rating AMA

6th Edition Certified. Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 3 IME Training: SEAK IME Certification: SEAK







Richard A. Beck, MD, FACS, FARS

Board Certified Otolaryngologist-Head & Neck Surgeon



Actively Practicing Since 1986

Credentials: Diplomate American Board of Otolaryngology, Fellow American Academy of Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery, Fellow American College of Surgeons, Fellow American Rhinologic Society, Fellow American Society of Geriatric Otolaryngology, Board Certified, FL Licensed

Areas of Expertise:

- ► Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery (OTO-HNS/ENT/Ear, Nose & Throat Surgery) ► Geriatric ENT
- ►ENT cancer ►Otology (hearing/ear surgery) ►Laryngology (voice/airway) ►Dysphagia (swallowing)
- **▶**Voice/Speech **▶**Vocal cord paralysis **▶**Tracheostomy **▶**Airway obstruction **▶**Intubation complications
- ▶ Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery/ENT complications ▶ Independent Medical Examination (IME)

Professional Affiliations: American Academy of OTO-HNS, American College of Surgeons, American Rhinologic Society, American Society of Geriatric Otolaryngology, American Broncho-Esophagological Association, American Thyroid Association, American Academy of Otolaryngic Allergy, American Society for Laser Medicine & Surgery, American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery

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30+ Years Performing IMEs 200+ IMEs Performed Deposed/Testified 500+ times SEAK 2023 IME Directory FLORIDA—23



Richard M. Blecha, MD

Complex Orthopaedic Evaluations, Inc blechaortho@gmail.com

Orthopedic Surgeon

Practice expertise in **lumbar spine surgery**, **hip and knee replacement**, and **general orthopaedics**.

Licensed: Texas and Florida
25+ Years in Practice
Liability and Disability
State and Federal Workers Compensation Expertise
Impairment Ratings Using AMA Guides.

Board Certified American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, Fellow American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, Fellow North American Spine Society.

Qualified Medical Examiner, CA
Discussant Stanford University, Preceptor State University of New York, Upstate Medical University.

Extensive file review experience.

15+ years performing IMEs
 3,000 IMEs performed
 Deposed/Testified 50+ times
 IME Training: SEAK and AADEP

Austin, TX (512) 807-0667

Jacksonville, FL (904) 206-4141

Robert M. Chapa, Sr., MD North East Florida Occupational

Health and Wellness Jacksonville, FL Phone: (904) 716-9482 Additional Locations: Sarasota, Florida Licenses: FL

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Emergency Medicine, Dr. Chapa is ER Residency Trained & practiced Emergency Medicine in NE Florida. He is considered the "Father of Occupational Medicine" for NE Florida since Founding and Maintaining the First Occupational Practice, in that region, in 1989. Subsequently, he established State of the Art Occupational Medicine programs at Mayo Clinic Florida and University of Florida, and remains Adjunct Professor. He specializes in PIR, Worker's **Compensation, Collegiate Sports** Medicine and Clinical Orthopedics

Years in Practice: 39
IMEs Performed: 2,500
Years Performed IMEs: 31
Times Deposed/Testified: 1,200
IME Training: ACOEM, ABIME, and
University of Florida - College of
Medicine

at UF

IME Certification: CIME, and Board Certified in Preventive Medicine and Occupational Medicine

Daniel Christensen, MD

Christensen Medical and Consulting, LLC Gulf Breeze, FL Phone: (609) 234-9634 Additional Locations: Pensacola, FL Licenses: FL, WA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,

Orthopedics
Years in Practice: 10

Years in Practice: 10 IMEs Performed: 300+ Years Performed IMEs: 3

Michael J. Clark, MD

Med Legal Pro Venice, FL Phone: (844) 633-5345 Cell: (570) 854-8764 medlegalpro.com/about-ourexperts/ michael-jonathan-clark-md-boardcertified-ent-physician/ Licenses: FL

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Gener Practice with specific focuses on hearing loss, sleep medicine and sinus surgery. Dr. Clark has extensive experience with balloon sinus surgery, balloon eustachian tube dilation, sleep apnea surgery including the hypoglossal nerve stimulator device (Inspire). Has evaluated many patients regarding hearing loss and tinnitus related to workman's comp.

Years in Practice: 18 IMEs Performed: 1 Years Performed IMEs: 1 Times Deposed/Testified: 20+ IME Training: SEAK

Jon D. Donshik, M.D., M.B.A. Jon D. Donshik, M.D., P.A.

Aventura, FL
Phone: (954) 888-1000
Additional Locations: Plantation,
Florida
Licenses: Florida, New York
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Spinal Medicine, I am board
certified by the American Board of
Orthopaedic Surgery, and have
completed a spine surgery
fellowship. My practice is almost

completely devoted to the treatment of spinal disorders.
Years in Practice: 20
IMEs Performed: 350
Years Performed IMEs: 20
Times Deposed/Testified: 350

Carl A. Dragstedt, DO, FACC

Dragon Oaks Consulting, LLC Alachua, FL Cell: (352) 256-0815 Additional Locations: New York, NY Licenses: FL, NY, AZ, GA Specialty: Cardiology -Cardiovascular Disease, Internal Medicine, Disability and employability limitations due to Cardiovascular Disease, Chest Pain, Ischemic Heart Disease, Myocardial Infarction, Heart Attack, Cardiac Arrest, Congestive Heart Failure, Arrhythmia, Defibrillator, ICD, Valvular Heart Disease, Aortic Aneurysm, Aortic Dissection, Pacemaker, Pulmonary Embolism, Anticoagulation, Blood Thinner, Sudden Cardiac Death. Provides timely, professional, thorough, and objective reports. Readily available with flexible scheduling to meet client's needs.

Years in Practice: 10+ Years Performed IMEs: 5

Glenn H. Englander, MD

Glenn H Englander M.D., P.A. West Palm Beach, FL Phone: (561) 832-2465 Cell: (561) 236-1642 Additional Locations: FL Licenses: FL

Specialty: Internal Medicine, Gastroenterology

Years in Practice: 32 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 20





Theodore A. Evans, M.D.

South Florida International Orthopaedics, P.A. Miami, FL

Phone: (305) 233-0011 Cell: (305) 234-0099 www.sfiortho.com/

Additional Locations: Homestead, Fl

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Dr. Theodore Evans is a board certified orthopaedic surgeon specializing in general orthopaedic surgery. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery and the **National Board of Medical** Examiners as well as a fellow of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. Areas of Expertise: Knee Arthroscopy, Arthroscopic Surgical Repairs, Total Knee Replacement, Hip Injuries, Rotator Cuff Injuries, Shoulder Arthroscopy, Arthroscopic Surgical Repairs and Tennis Elbow. Years in Practice: 32

Years Performed IMEs: 30

Times Deposed/Testified: 180

Vince Faridani, MD, MBA, FACP, SFHM

Melbourne, FL
Phone: (954) 774-1391
Licenses: FL, VA, GA
Specialty: Internal Medicine,
Hospitalist, Sepsis, Congestive Heart
Failure, Pulmonary Embolism,
Respiratory Failure, Stroke, Renal
Failure, GI Bleed, Patient Handoff,
Deep Vein Thrombosis, Coronary
Artery Disease, Coronavirus
[COVID], Falls, Fractures, Wounds,
Confusion, Encephalopathy,
Malnutrition, Malignancy
Years in Practice: 10+

David E. Feiner, MD

Sports Medicine Institute & FX3
Holdings LLC
Clermont, FL
Phone: (352) 242-0404
Sportsmedicineinstitute.com
Licenses: FL, NY
Specialty: Hand Surgery,
Orthopedic Surgery, *Hand, Wrist,
Upper Extremity, Peripheral Nerve
surgery and Microsurgery *Upper
Extremity arthroscopy, endoscopic
and open carpal tunnel release,
cubital tunnel release *Pediatric
Hand Surgery, congenital hand
surgery *Regenerative Medicine

(Stem cell and PRP) *General Orthopedic and Trauma Surgery

Vears Performed: 100's
Years Performed: IMEs: 3
Times Deposed/Testified: 10+

Larry Fishman, M.D.

Larry Fishman MD, P.A. Tampa, FL Phone: (813) 697-6222

Licenses: FL

Prione: (813) 598-3422 Cell: (813) 598-3474 driarryfishman.com Additional Locations: All over the State of Florida

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Neurosurgeon, Neurosurgery, spine surgeon, Trauma, IME/CMEs, Minimally Invasive Outpatient Surgery, Peripheral Nerves, Sacroiliac Joint Injection, disability, permanent impairment rating, future care costs, medical necessity,

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: Hundreds Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 IME Training: SEAK Please see ad on this page

Joel L. Franck

Joel Ira Franck MD PLLC Clearwater, FL Phone: (850) 778-1547 Cell: (207) 576-1716 drjoelfranck.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Neurosurgery, I am a Boarded Neurosurgeon, in practice since 1979. My interest lies in the Cervical spine, with a focus on whiplash injuries resulting in the Cranio-Cervical Syndrome, Occipital C1-C2 Instability and Herniated Cervical Disc Disease. I treat patients from around the world, am well-published and have held up to 14 patents Neurosurgical patents. Having operated on 4500+ Cervical cases from around the world and testified in 1250 depositions and 30 trials, I am very adept at the IME process.

Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 33 Times Deposed/Testified: 1250



Larry Fishman, MD

In the State of Florida

Office: 813-697-6222

Cell: 813-598-3474 **Email:** Rena@drlarryfishman.com

Website: DrLarryFishman.com

Neurosurgeon & Spine Surgeon

Specialty Focus: Neurosurgeon, Spine Surgeon, Trauma, IMEs, Minimally Invasive Outpatient Surgery, Peripheral Nerves, Sacroiliac Joint Injection, disability, permanent impairment rating, future care costs, medical necessity, medical malpractice evaluations

•30 Years in Practice •Hundreds of IMEs Performed •Deposed/Testified 100+ times

Board Certified, Mayo Clinic trained neurosurgeon. 30 years emergency room call experience handling brain and spine trauma. Since residency has performed over 15,000 operations. Extensive peer review experience evaluating compliance with the standard of care. Highly experienced expert witness and independent medical examiner who has testified hundreds of times. Offices throughout Florida. Available to travel out of state for evaluations and testimonies.



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Robert J. Friedman, MD

Headache and Pain Center of Palm Beach

Palm Beach Gardens, FL Phone: (561) 842-7246 www.palmbeachpain.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Neurology, Pain Management - Medicine, Chronic Pain, headache, traumatic brain injury, RSD / CRPS, pain medications, neurodiagnostics, EMG, neuromuscular medicine (peripheral nerve), stroke.

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 18 Times Deposed/Testified: 225 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and

IME Certification: CIME

David A. Garcia, D.O.

Thrive Wellness Center Fort Lauderdale, FL Phone: (614) 427-9296 Cell: (614) 327-5661 Additional Locations: Columbus, Ohio; Nashville, Tennessee: Santa Ana. California

Licenses: FLORIDA, CALIFORNIA,

OHIO, TENNESSEE

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, I have

initiated start-up and maintenance of an occupational clinic for 13 years. I have performed injured worker care, urine and laboratory screens, DOT physicals and worked as a Medical Review Officer. I have performed Disability Examinations, Permanent Partial Exams, **Independent Medical Examinations** (IMEs), Alternative Dispute Resolutions (ADRs) and file reviews for state government and third parties. I have performed over 5000 independent medical examinations over the past 21 years.

Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: >5000 Years Performed IMEs: 22 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

IME Certification: CIME, CICE

Harris Gellman, MD

Broward Hand Center Coral Springs, FL Phone: (954) 575-8056 www.browardhandcenter.com Licenses: FL, PA, AR, CA, UT Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, All areas of Hand and Upper Extremity. Additional experience in hand and wrist injury, nerve injury, neuromuscular and spastic

disorders. Carpal Tunnel Syndrome Upper extremity trauma, fractures, all injuries to the upper extremity **Pediatric Upper Extremity Adult Upper Extremity Hand Surgery** Wrist Surgery

IMEs Performed: 250 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: AME, QME Please see ad on this page

Years in Practice: 38

David H. Gilbert, MD

Oakland Park, FL Phone: (954) 771-3334 www.browardorthopedic.com Licenses: FL Specialty: Hand Surgery,

David H. Gilbert, MD & Associates

Orthopedic Surgery, Practice limited to hand, wrist, forearm and elbow disorders/injuries.

Years in Practice: 24+ IMEs Performed: 400+ Years Performed IMEs: 21+ Times Deposed/Testified: 250+ IME Training: SEAK

IME Certification: Certified Expert

Medical Advisor

Michael R. Gombosh, M.D.

South Florida International Orthopaedics

Miami, FL Phone: (305) 233-0011 www.sfiortho.com

Additional Locations: Homestead.

Florida Licenses: FL

Specialty: Sports Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, fractures, tendon/ ligament/cartilage injuries, dislocations, arthroscopic surgery, joints, sprains/strains, & arthritis of the shoulder, elbow, wrist, hip, knee and ankle. Serving Miami. Dr Gombosh is double board certified by the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery. He is fellowship trained in Sports Medicine from the Cleveland Clinic in Cleveland, Ohio. He has been practicing in South Florida for over 9 years and is a fellow in the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons

Years in Practice: 12 IME Training: SEAK

IME Certification: American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery in Sports Medicine

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Harris Gellman, MD

Broward Hand Center Coral Springs, Florida (954) 575-8056

hgellman@outlook.com www.browardhandcenter.com

Hand Surgery / Orthopedic Surgery

All areas of Hand and Upper Extremity. Additional experience in hand and wrist injury, nerve injury, neuromuscular and spastic disorders. Carpal Tunnel Syndrome Upper extremity trauma, fractures, all injuries to the upper extremity Pediatric Upper Extremity Adult Upper Extremity Hand Surgery Wrist Surgery

License(s): FL, PA, AR, CA, UT

30 Years Performing IMEs 250 IMEs Performed Deposed/Testified 100 Times



ORTHOPAEDIC SURGEON

FELLOWSHIP TRAINED IN SPORTS MEDICINE

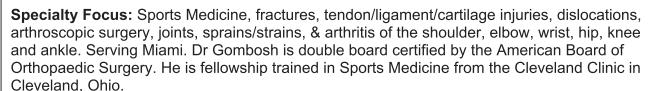
Michael R. Gombosh, M.D., FAAOS

Miami. Florida

Other Locations: Homestead, Florida

Phone: 305-233-0011

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Board Certified in Orthopaedic Surgery Board Certified in Sports Medicine

Expert Medical Advisor, Florida Department of Workers Compensation

Years in Practice: 9 IME Training: SEAK

IME Certification: American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery in Sports Medicine

David Greene, MD, FACS, FARS David Greene, MD, LLC

Naples, FL

Phone: (239) 263-8444

www.davidgreenemd.com/index.html

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Sinus surgery, nasal surgery, nasal fracture, broken nose, FESS complications, hearing loss, tinnitus, dizziness, vertigo, tinnitus, occupational hearing loss, orbital injury, intracranial penetration, MVA, auto accidents, airbag deployment hearing loss, occupational hearing loss, gun shot noise trauma, gun range noise, tonsillectomy, cavernous sinus, medial rectus injury, anosmia, loss of smell and taste, blindness and csf leak after sinus surgery, complications of sinus and nasal surgery.

Years in Practice: 25+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: SEAK

Stanley C. Haimes, MD, MPH, CIH, ČIME, FACOEM

Center for Occupational and Environmental Health Orlando, FL

Phone: (407) 230-8000 Additional Locations: Alabama, Texas

Licenses: AL, FL, TX

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, Occupational Medicine, Toxicology, Medical Criteria for Employment as a Firefighter or Law Enforcement Officer (LEO), Exposure Evaluation,

Disability Evaluation, Return to Duty, Fit for Duty, Workers

Compensation, Complex Causation.

Years in Practice: 30 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 100

IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, **ABIME**

IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/ AADEP

Omar David Hussamy, M.D.

Licenses: FL, NY, CA

Vero Beach, FL Phone: (772) 247-2572 Cell: (772) 205-5995 www.hussamyortho.com Additional Locations: Orlando, Tampa, St. Petersburg, West Palm Beach. Fort Myers, Fl

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Board Certified in **Orthopedic Surgery Fellowship** trained in Sports Medicine, Shoulder, Knee and Hand Surgery. Performs arthroscopic surgery of the shoulder, elbow, wrist, knee and ankle. Performs minimally invasive total joint replacement of the hip, knee and shoulder. Performs hand, elbow and wrist surgery. Performs foot and ankle surgery. Evaluates and treats all conditions of the cervical and lumbar spine. 29 years in practice

Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 2,500 Years Performed IMEs: 29 Times Deposed/Testified: 1000 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and Expert Medical Advisor, Florida Division of Workman's Compensation IME Certification: CIME

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David P. Kalin, MD, MPH

The Healthplace Center for Disability & Independent Medical Evaluations Oldsmar, FL Cell: (813) 966-1431 www.drkalin.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Family Medicine, **Disability Evaluations**

Years in Practice: 40+ IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 100+ IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Roman Kesler

Medical Center Clinic Pensacola, FL Phone: (850) 474-8754 medicalcenterclinic.com Licenses: FL, TX, AL Specialty: Sleep Medicine, Neurology, Dr. Roman Kesler is dual Board Certified in Neurology and Sleep Medicine and has extensive experience as an Expert Witness conducting case reviews and IME evaluations. He treats a wide range of neurological and sleep disorders, including but not limited to, memory and movement disorders, stroke, personal injury, traumatic brain injury, neuromuscular disorders, headaches, and sleep and wake disorders.

Years in Practice: 20+ Years Performed IMEs: 15+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME



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Orthopedic Surgeon

Fellowship Trained in Sports Medicine, including Total Joint Replacement, and Hand Surgery

Omar David Hussamy, MD

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Diplomate American Board of Orthopedic Surgery
Board Certified in Orthopedic Surgery
Certified Independent Medical Examiner
Expert Medical Advisor, FL Department of Workers' Compensation
Authorized NY Workers' Compensation Provider
Licensed in California, Florida, New York & Texas
Years in Practice: 29

Performing IMEs since 1994
Zoom IMEs available
Deposed/Testified multiple times
IME Certification: CIME

Offices in Fort Myers, Jacksonville, Largo, Melbourne, Miami, Orlando, Tampa, West Palm Beach and Vero Beach.

Available to travel throughout the USA and overseas

Harry M. Lehrer, DMD, M.S.Ed.,

Comprehensive Dental Services (CDS) Sunny Isles Beach, FL Phone: (954) 536-3837 Additional Locations: Entire state of

FL, Ft. Lauderdale, Miami; Atlanta, GA region

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Dentistry, All disciplines of dentistry including expert testimony (plaintiff and defense), independent medical exams, case evaluations, depositions, record analysis, consultations. Record Audits: Workers' Comp. and Medicaid. TMJ Trauma/TMD and Peer Reviews. Expert Witness for the Department of Health/Board of Dentistry. Certified Fraud Examiner (audits; insurance claims, records, financial statements, CPT codings, usual and customary fees)

usual and customary fees)
Years in Practice: 30
IMEs Performed: 600+
Years Performed IMEs: 25
Times Deposed/Testified: 30
IME Training: SEAK, and Associate
Professor at Nova Southeastern
College of Dental Medicine 12 years
IME Certification: Cert. Fraud
Examiner, Masters in Health
Education; Nova Southeastern Univ;
Certified Fraud Examiner

David A. Libert, MD

First Choice Medical Center Maitland, FL Phone: (407) 960-5006

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Family Medicine, Soft tissue injuries, medical malpractice cases

Years in Practice: 27 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 100+ IME Training: ACOEM

Eli Loch, D.O.

Jacksonville, FL Phone: (904) 664-4970 Cell: (352) 214-2247 www.lochmedical.com Additional Locations: Yulee, FL; Fernandina Beach, FL; St. Mary's, GA Licenses: Florida, Georgia Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Anesthesiology, Interventional, injection, epidural, facet, radiofrequency ablation, rhizotomy, neck pain, back pain, sciatica, radiculopathy, neuropathy, pain, spinal cord stimulation, nerve injury, herniated disc, joint pain, nerve pain, knee pain, shoulder pain, hip pain, orthopedic, opioid, peripheral nerve stimulation, acute pain, chronic pain, post surgical

pain, CRPS, sacroiliac, musculoskeletal, platelet rich plasma, stem cell Years in Practice: 8

Years in Practice: 8 Years Performed IMEs: 1

Barinder Mahal, MD

Winter Garden, FL Phone: (248) 506-5113

Licenses: FL Specialty: Physical Medicine &

Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Sports Medicine, Electrodiagnostic (EMG) fellowship trained. Fellowship trained in lumbar interventional procedures.

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 10

Michael A. Marks, DC

Boca Raton, FL Phone: (561) 488-0225 www.drmichaelmarks.com

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Chiropractic Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 1,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 19 Times Deposed/Testified: 300

Steve E. Meadows, M.D.

South Palm Orthopedics
Delray Beach, FL
Phone: (561) 496-6622
southpalmorthopedics.com
Licenses: Florida and Washington
Specialty: Hand Surgery

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 27 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 Please see ad on p. 28

Stephen J. Miller, M.D.

Stephen J. Miller, M.D., P.A. Miami, FL

Miami, FL Phone: (305) 668-5636 Cell: (305) 803-9615 Miamihanddoc.com Additional Locations: Miami

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Board certified Orthopaedic Surgeon specializing in Surgery of the Hand and Upper Extremity with Certification of Added Qualifications in Surgery of the Hand

Years in Practice: 24 Years Performed IMEs: 19





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ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON Hand & Wrist Surgery Shoulder & Elbow Surgery Fractures & Reconstruction

Licenses: Florida and Washington

30 Years in Practice 27 years performing IMEs More than 150 IMEs performed Deposed/Testified 100+ times

Eugene M. Pascarella, DPM, FACFAS, MBA

Foot and Ankle Associates of Florida Altamonte Springs, FL Phone: (407) 339-7759 Cell: (321) 263-5100 www.floridafootdocs.com Specialty: Podiatry - Podiatric Surgery, Foot & Ankle Years in Practice: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 2

Bharat C. Patel, MD

DEUK SPINE INSTITUTE Melbourne, FL Phone: (321) 751-3389 www.deukspine.com Additional Locations: Titusville, FL Licenses: FL

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Sports Medicine, Interventional Pain Management, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Electrodiagnostic Medicine,

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK

Jorge A. Perez, MD

Perez Plastic Surgery Fort Lauderdale, FL Phone: (954) 351-2200 perezplasticsurgery.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Dr. Perez is a board certified plastic surgeon, practicing in Fort Lauderdale, Florida for over 30 years. A graduate and former faculty member of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York City, he is selected regularly among Castle Connolly/U.S. News and World Report's listing of America's Top Doctors. Years in Practice: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 25

Hal S. Pineless, DO, FACN,

FAAN NeuroCare Institute of Central Florida Winter Park, FL Cell: (407) 256-2561 www.neurocareinstitute.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Neurology, Concussion, Traumatic brain injury, CO poisioning, Headaches, Dementia, Parkinson's Disease, Peripheral Neuropathy, Stroke, Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, General Adult Neurology Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 36 Times Deposed/Testified: >100 IME Training: SEAK Expert Witness program

Daniel Proto, Ph.D., ABPP

Neurocognitive Specialty Group Pensacola, FL Phone: (888) 606-0086 www.neurocognitivespecialtygroup. com Licenses: Kansas, Florida Specialty: Neuropsychology,

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Board Certified in Clinical Neuropsychology (ABPP/CN) with a focus in adult neuropsychological assessment including populations with traumatic brain injury, neurodegenerative disease, stroke, epilepsy, and psychiatric disorders.

Years in Practice: 8

Years in Practice: 8 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 3 Times Deposed/Testified: 2

Roger Z. Samuel, MD Boca Raton Psychiatric Group

Boca Raton, FL Phone: (561) 368-8998 Additional Locations: Boca Raton Licenses: FL, TX Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, (A) 4 American Board of Psychiatry & Neurology certifications in: 1. Forensic Psychiatry 2. General/Adult Psychiatry 3. Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 4. Geriatric Psychiatry. (B) Psychopharmacology (C) Psychotherapy (D) Evaluations & Examinations (E) Record reviews. Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: >40 Years Performed IMEs: 28 Times Deposed/Testified: >30

Michael A. Siefman, PT, DC, DACAN, DABCC, DIBCN, FIBCN, DABDA, DIBE, FIBE

Naples, FL
Phone: (239) 261-9199
Additional Locations: Ft. Myers
Specialty: Chiropractic, Independent
Medical Examinations, IME, Peer
Reviews, Expert Witness
Years in Performed Property

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: many Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: many IME Training: Diplomate International Board of Chiropractic Neurology, Diplomate International Board of Electrodiagnosis, Licensed Physical



Therapist. American Board of Chiropractic Consultants IME Certification: Parker College, American College of Chiropractic Consultants, National Assoc. of Disability Evaluating Physicians

Jerome Siegel, MD

Naples, FL

Phone: (508) 277-3262

Additional Locations: Southwest FL - Fort Myers, Cape Coral, Lehigh Acres,

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Licenses: FL, CA, TX, GA, AZ, IL,

HI, MA, RI

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Internal Medicine, Workplace exposures/injuries, musculoskeletal, orthopedic, rehab problems, environmental, allergies, asthma, toxic and chemical exposures, infections, mold, indoor air quality, pain mgmt, traumatic brain injury, cardiorespiratory and body system complications, catastrophic cases, long Covid, complex case review, impairment, disability.

Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 34 Times Deposed/Testified: 40+ IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM

Richard C. Smith, MD

FLORIDA CENTER FOR ORTHOPAEDICS ORLANDO, FL Cell: (407) 832-5014

fl-ortho.com Additional Locations: Orlando

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON Doctor Richard Smith is the founder and principal orthopedic surgeon of the Florida Center for Orthopaedics in Metrowest, Florida. The practice has logged over 30 years (and counting) of easing the musculoskeletal disorders and injuries of hundreds of ortho patients throughout Central Florida.

Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: 1500 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 90 IME Certification: Expert Medical Advisor (EMA) June 1998-present and Special Expert Witness (State of Florida)

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Eugene J. Strasser, MD, JD

Cosmeplast Coral Springs, FL Phone: (954) 755-3888 Cell: (954) 650-9266 www.cosmeplast.net Licenses: FL

Specialty: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Board Certified Plastic Surgeon Reconstructive Surgery: Trauma, Burns, Cancer, Scars, Wound Healing, Ulcers, Reconstructions of the face, Breast and Body. Cosmetic: Face, Head, Body, etc. Including pediatric.

Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

Asma Syed, MD

Mid Florida Physical Medicine, PA Wesley Chapel, FL Phone: (813) 907-0033 www.midflpm.com Licenses: FL

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Board Certified in PM&R, Sports Medicine, Neck & Back Pain, Head & Spinal Cord Injury, Joint Disorders, Pain Management, Orthopedic, Musculoskeletal, Occupational, and Rehabilitative condition.

Years in Practice: 17 IMEs Performed: 150+ Years Performed IMEs: 11 Times Deposed/Testified: 2

IME Training: SEAK Please see ad on p. 31

Charles D. Talakkottur, MD

Medpractice Guru

Tampa, FL

Phone: (813) 874-1852 Licenses: FL

Specialty: Internal Medicine, IME, Expert Witness, Utilization Review, Inpatient and Outpatient, previous hospitalist

Years in Practice: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 1+

Barry S. Verkauf, M.D., M.B.A

Barry S Verkauf MD, MBA, LLC Tampa, FL

Cell: (813) 690-9162

Licenses: FL

Specialty: Obstetrics - Gynecology, Specializing in Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility

Years in Practice: 45 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Certification: ACOG; ARSM

Theodore P. Vlahos, MD

Center for Orthopaedic Injuries and Disorders

Disorders Palm Harbor, FL

Phone: (727) 772-0819 www.drvlahos.com

Licenses: FL, DC Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Personal Injuries, Motor Vehicle Injuries, Workers' Compensation Injuries, Independent Medical

Evaluations

Years in Practice: 17+ IMEs Performed: 40+ Years Performed IMEs: 10+

Times Deposed/Testified: 30+IME Training: ABIME

IME Certification: CIME, and Expert Medical Advisor (FL Division of Workers' Compensation)

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Jeffrey Wolkowicz, MD

Pulmonary Physicians of South Florida CORAL SPRINGS, FL Phone: (954) 341-1007 Additional Locations: CORAL

SPRINGS Licenses: FL

Specialty: Pulmonary Medicine - Disease, Pulmonary medicine, with 30+ yrs experience in asthma/COPD/ reactive airways diseases, mold/ chemical exposures, post Covid lung damage/disease, Lung nodules, smoking induced lung damage/ disease, Occupational exposure induced lung diseases.

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Years in Practice: 30
IMEs Performed: 50
Years Performed IMEs: 15
Times Deposed/Testified: 20
IME Training: SEAK

Faissal Zahrawi, MD

Celebration Minimally Invasive Spine Institute
Orlando, FL
Cell: (407) 922-6352

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Minimally invasive Spine Surgery, Robotic Surgery, Lateral surgery of Spine, Extreme Lateral approach, Personal Injuries, Medical Malpractice, Work related injuries, Disabilities, IME, CME

Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: 200+ Times Deposed/Testified: 10+ Please see ad on p. 32

John Zaretski, D.C.

Palm Beach Gardens, FL Phone: (561) 557-4611 Cell: (561) 331-4951 Licenses: FL

Specialty: Chiropractic, I am committed to helping individuals and families in the community experience superior health and vitality through evidence based Chiropractic care.

Years in Practice: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 1

IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP

Thomas J. Zaydon, MD, FACS

Plastic Surgery Institute Miami, FL

Phone: (305) 856-3030

Cell: (305) 773-1411 drzaydon.com

Licenses: FL, LA

Specialty: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Burns, Scars, Displaced Implants, Plastic Surgery, Facial Fractures, Dog Bites, Wound Care, Nasal Fractures, Laser Burns, Air Bag Facial Burns, Hand Injuries, Finger Injuries, Lower Extremity Burns, Slip and Fall Accidents

Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 130+ IME Training: Diplomate, American Board of Forensic Examiners IME Certification: State of Florida, expert medical examiner

GEORGIA

Henry H. Barnard, II, MD

Regional Health Group

Albany, GA

Phone: (229) 894-2131

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h-barnard-ii-m-d/ Additional Locations: GA

Licenses: GA, AL

Specialty: Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery, Spine, Spine Surgeon, Surgery, Orthopedics, Back, Neck, Lumbar Spine

Years in Practice: 36

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Ralph D'Auria

Rehab Orthopedic Medicine Decatur, GA Phone: (404) 378-8002 Licenses: GA, AL

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry,
Orthopedic Surgery, EMG/NCV,
orthopedic rehabilitation, disability
evaluations, IME's, second opinions,
impairment ratings, peer reviews.
Dual specialties - Orthopedics and
Physiatry. 25 years experience in
orthopedics, spinal injuries, work
injuries, IMEs, return to work
evaluations. Fully bilingual (English/
Spanish).

Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 1,200+ Years Performed IMEs: 34 Times Deposed/Testified: 100+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, ACOEM

IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP

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Constance George-Adebayo, MD, FACP

Christ the King Healthcare Loganville, GA Phone: (770) 554-8015 www.ctkmedcenter.com Licenses: Georgia

Specialty: Internal Medicine Years in Practice: 16+

IMEs Performed: >20 Years Performed IMEs: >10

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ORTHOPEDIC SURGEON

Doctor Richard Smith is the founder and principle orthopedic surgeon of Florida Center for Orthopedics in Metrowest, Florida. The practice has logged over 30 years (and counting) of easing the musculoskeletal disorders and injuries of hundreds of ortho patients throughout Central Florida. Dr. Smith adds another decade onto that number with prior experience as Chief of Spinal Surgery at Orlando Naval Hospital – he was a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy Reserve at the time.

All of which is to say, quite simply, that Richard Smith, MD, is a board-certified orthopedics practitioner with 32 years under his stethoscope, and that is a boatload of experience.

Dr. Richard Smith also offers expert services on IMEs, CMEs, QTCs, and Medical Reviews.

Experience:

- . 30 + years performing IMEs
- . 1500 + IMEs performed
- . Deposed/Testified 100 + times



Expert Medical Advisor (EMA) June 1998 – present Special Expert Witness (State of Florida)



Asma Syed, MD

Mid-Florida Physical Medicine, PA

Wesley Chapel, Florida Email: info@midflpm.com Phone: (813) 907-0033

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15+ Years Performing IMEs
150+ IMEs Performed

Board Certified in PM&R. Specializing in IMEs, Disabilities, Peer Reviews, Physical Injuries, Sports Medicine, Workers Compensation, Motor Vehicle Accidents, Orthopedic, Musculoskeletal, Occupational and Rehabilitative conditions.

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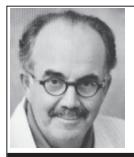
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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Spinal Medicine, Spinal Medicine &

Years in Practice: 45 IMEs Performed: 150 Years Performed IMEs: 27 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK

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Southern Crescent Neurological Clinic,

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Specialty: Neurology, Pain Management - Medicine

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AAOS Cordele, GA Phone: (334) 425-9300 drlittell.com Additional Locations: Atlanta, Georgia,

Montgomery, Alabama Licenses: Georgia Alabama Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 250 IME Training: Board Certified ABOS. Fellow AAOS

Kevin T. McPherson, MD

Columbus, GA Cell: (706) 992-5990 Licenses: GA, AL

Specialty: Psychiatry, Mood disorders Schizophrenia PTSD TBI Personality Disorders

Years in Practice: 16 Times Deposed/Testified: 1

Jeremy Meisel, MD

Jetchy Metser, MD
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Additional Locations: Atlanta, GA;
Brooklyn, NY; Johnstown, PA
Licenses: GA, PA, NY, ND, HI
Specialty: Neurology,
Neurophysiology, Board certified in
Neurology, Neurophysiology, Sleep
medicine, and vascular neurology
(stroke). More than 15 years of
experience with IME's. I mostly
work out of Douglasville, GA and

Dallas, GA but I can work out of state on request.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: ABIME

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Alpharetta, GA
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Licenses: Georgia, Maine
Specialty: Cardiology Cardiovascular Disease, 1) Impact of
stress from work and from personal
injury on the heart, specifically: the
role of emotional stress on
myocardial infarction and sudden
cardiac death. 2) The impact of
weaknesses in the Electronic Health
Record (EHR) on patient care and
natient outcomes.

patient outcomes. Years in Practice: 50 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK

Daniel A. Nicholson, MD

Perimeter Orthopaedics Atlanta, GA

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Licenses: Georgia

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine

Years in Practice: 9 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 9 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

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Pooler, GA

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Additional Locations: Hilton Head, SC
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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Orthopedics, General Orthopaedics
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knee replacements and arthroscopic
surgery, shoulder surgery, hand
surgery, elbow surgery, ankle
surgery, sports medicine, fractures,
injuries to bones, muscles or joints.

Neck and back pain. Years in Practice: 19 IMEs Performed: 675 Years Performed IMEs: 17 Times Deposed/Testified: 250





Henry H. Barnard, II, MD

MSA Orthopedics Albany, Georgia

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Email: mandyebarnard@gmail.com **Website:** www.msaortho.com

Orthopedic and Spinal Surgery

Medical School:

Georgia Baptist Medical Center, Atlanta, GA John H. Moe Spine Fellowship, Minneapolis, Minnesota

License(s): GA, AL Years in Practice: 36

- I am a fellowship trained, board certified Orthopedic Spine surgeon with over 35 years of clinical practice experience.
 - Vast experience in IME's, Personal Injury, Expert Witness Testimony, and the Workers' Compensation system in general.
 - Prompt and direct review of cases.
- American Board of Orthopedic Surgery, July 1990, Recertified: 2001, 2012, 2022.
- American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons
- North American Spine Society
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- MSA Surgery Center-Active; Medical Director



Ralph D'Auria, MD

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• 35 years performing IMEs • 1,200+ IMEs performed • Deposed/Testified 100+ times

Years in Practice: 35 Licensed in: Georgia and Alabama

IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, and ACOEM

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Shoulder

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Joanne Halbrecht, MD

Halbrecht Orthopedics Biologics and Sports Medicine Post Falls, ID Phone: (208) 758-8893 www.halbrechtorthopedics.com Additional Locations: Los Angeles, CA

Licenses: California, Colorado and

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Dr. Halbrecht is a boardcertified orthopedic surgeon fellowship trained in Sports Medicine with over 25 years of experience in private practice. She specializes in the conservative and surgical treatment of musculoskeletal and injuries. The

unique combination of her medical training and undergraduate degree in Engineering offers special expertise on causation. IME preferences include shoulder, hip, knee, elbow, ankle, wrist, foot and hand.

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: QME

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ILLINOIS

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ELEMENTAL CENTER LTD ORLAND PARK, IL Phone: (708) 364-0580 Cell: (708) 553-0303 www.elementalcenter.com Additional Locations: CHICAGO, **ILLINOIS** Licenses: ILLINOIS, TEXAS, **INDIANA** Specialty: Psychiatry, Addictions,

Neurodevelopmental disorders,

Addictions, substance use disorders,

Licenses: Illinois and Iowa Specialty: Neurology, Chiropractic, I am both a Medical Neurologist and Chiropractor Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 3 Times Deposed/Testified: 4

IME Training: IAIME/AADEP

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Medicine, Spine Surgery, Ortho-

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Years in Practice: 20

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Years Performed IMEs: 4

Years in Practice: 10

IME Training: SEAK

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Compensation

Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: 7500 Years Performed IMEs: 22 Times Deposed/Testified: 700 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME, and AMA 6th Edition Impairment Ratings, Record Reviews, Expert Witness



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- Undergraduate degree in Engineering
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- Expertise in orthobiologics
- Licensed in Idaho, Colorado and California
- 25+ years medical-legal experience, 1000+ IMEs
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Asad A. Cheema, MD

Holistic Science Pain Clinic/ Excel Physical Therapy Joliet, IL Phone: (815) 725-7200

Cell: (815) 212-7855 www.hspainclinic.com

Licenses: IL Specialty: Anesthesiology, Pain Management - Medicine

Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 30

Jonathan Citow, MD

American Center for Spine & Neurosurgery Libertyville, IL Phone: (847) 362-1848 www.ACSNeuro.com Licenses: IL, WI Specialty: Neurosurgery, Complex

spinal disorders, fusions, minimally invasive spinal surgery, hydrocephalus, trigeminal neuralgia, peripheral nerves, cranial nerves.

Years in Practice: 18 Years Performed IMEs: 15

Walter S. Friberg, MD, ND, Cert.Ac., FAAPMR, CIME

Friberg Spine and Joint Pain Institute Chicago, IL

Phone: (773) 283-8420 Licenses: IL, NY

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, Independent Medical Examinat

Independent Medical Examination and Deposition; Electrodiagnostic Medicine; Diagnostic

Musculoskeletal and Vascular Ultrasound Testing; Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation and Physical

Rehabilitation and Physical Therapy, Interventional Pain Management; Acupuncture;

Osteopathic Manipulation

Years in Practice: 16 IMEs Performed: 250+ Years Performed IMEs: 13 Times Deposed/Testified: 52

IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and Master CIME (MCIME), Cert.

Acupuncturist

IME Certification: CIME, and MCIME

Richard S. Goldberg, MD

Forest Park, IL Phone: (708) 814-6600 Licenses: IL

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Addiction Medicine, Hospital, liability, dual diagnosis, involuntary, psychosis, suicide, workers comp, fitness for duty, expert, malingering, sexual contact, disability, diagnosis, psychotropic medication, detox, inpatient, guardianship, violence

Years in Practice: 35+ IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 15+ Times Deposed/Testified: 25+

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Patrick J. Kennelly, Ph.D. and Associates

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Licenses: IL

Specialty: Forensic Psychology, Psychology, Personal Injury, Workers' Compensation, Disability Determination, Fitness for Duty, Malpractice, Malingering, Mood Disorders, Depression, Anxiety, PTSD, Substance Abuse.

Years in Practice: 26 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 100+ Norman V. Kohn, MD

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specific physical and psychological factors, when both are present; general neurology; questions of causation and motivation; head trauma; seizures and epilepsy;

Years in Practice: 45 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 45

alcoholism and addiction

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Kruckenberg Chiropractic Clinic Moline, IL

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Cell: (309) 749-7582 www.yourhealthybodydoctor.com

Licenses: IL, IA

Specialty: Chiropractic, Spine, Central and Peripheral Nervous System and extremities.

Years in Practice: 28 Times Deposed/Testified: 1 IME Training: SEAK





Richard S. Goldberg, MD

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Board Certified Psychiatrist

Certified in Addiction Medicine

Specialty Focus: Addiction Medicine, Hospital, liability, dual diagnosis, involuntary, psychosis, suicide, workers comp, fitness for duty, expert, malingering, sexual contact, disability, diagnosis, psychotropic medication, detox, inpatient, guardianship, violence

Years in Practice: 40 Years Performing IMEs: 20+ IMEs performed: 100+ Deposed/Testified: 25+ times

40 years experience working in psychiatric hospitals, chemical dependency treatment facilities, nursing homes, community mental health centers, and office-based private practice of adolescents and adults with a wide range of psychiatric illnesses and addiction issues. Currently in active practice with a unique ability to perform completely private evaluations in security-sensitive circumstances. Routinely contacted directly to arrange and coordinate independent evaluations, meet with clients without involving others, and can perform evaluations in anonymous locations when necessary. Reports are completed offline without involving any third party in the process (without answering services, recording devices, third party testing, EMR, secretarial/support staff or coordinators, transcriptionists, etc.) ensuring complete privacy throughout the IME process.

Timothy D. McManus

Ingalls Hospital

Palos Heights, IL Phone: (708) 915-4237 Cell: (708) 917-0088 Additional Locations: IL Licenses: IL Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Practice focused upon Neuropsychological services for adults, geriatrics and children as well as Rehabilitation Psychology Services for chronic pain patients and patients with PTSD. Neuropsychological Evaluations, Psychological Pain Assessments, IME's, and Consultations. Medical Records Review. Mild Head Injury, Workman's Compensation, and Personal Injury cases assessed. Years Performed IMEs: 15

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IME Training: SEAK

Windy City Orthopedics and Sports Medicine, Inc. Chicago, IL Phone: (847) 475-0200 Cell: (847) 494-2510 www.jockdoc.net Licenses: IL Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Sports medicine,

IME Certification: ABPP-RP, ABN

knee, shoulder, arthroscopy, trauma, hand and elbow, foot and ankle, and nonoperative spine

Years in Practice: 42 IMEs Performed: >3000 Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 1000 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, IME Certification: CIME

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Jessica Myszak, PhD. Help and Healing Center LLC Glenview, IL Phone: (847) 558-7321 helpandhealingcenter.com Additional Locations: Telehealth: AZ, CO, DE, GA, MO, NE, NH, NV, OK, TX, UT, PA, VA, NC, DC, WI, AL, KY, OH, TN Licenses: IL, TN, WI Specialty: Psychology, Dr. Myszak has completed thousands of evaluations for children and adults over the years for a variety of referral questions, including disability determination for social

security, Veteran's benefits, and

other personal and legal needs.

Years in Practice: 11

IME Training: SEAK

Years Performed IMEs: 5

Christopher R. Pasquale, MD

Rehabilitation Associates of the Midwest SC Palatine, IL Phone: (847) 776-1400 Licenses: IL Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Musculoskeletal medicine, chronic/ acute pain management, IMEs, electrodiagnostic studies, trigger point injections, acupuncture, spinal cord injury Years in Practice: 19

IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 14 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, and

IME Certification: ABIME

Taher A. Sobhy, MD

Northshore Medical Consultants Gurnee, IL Cell: (847) 208-2867 Licenses: IL Specialty: Family Medicine, General Practice, I am a board certified

Family physician by the American Board of Family Physicians for more than 20 years, a clinical assistant professor in Chicago Medical School for more than 12 years, with broad

experience in general practice. I have a massive medical experience 30+ years, in hospital and outpatient practice. My practice involves all patients from newborn to senior patients. My practice is 95% clinical medicine.

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK



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Employability Level, Future Income Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: 1,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 14 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Licenses: IN

Specialty: Neurology, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation -Physiatry, Stroke, traumatic brain injury, post-concussive syndrome, spinal injury, epilepsy, stroke, TPA, ICH, MS, Parkinsonism, Alzheimer's dementia, headache, neuropathy, myopathy, myasthenia gravis, disorders of the vestibular and visual systems, and neurophysiology studies including EEG and EMG

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 3 Years Performed IMEs: 1 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK

Thomas M. Banas, M.D., M.S.

Fort Wayne, IN Phone: (260) 466-1752 DiscerningMD.com

Licenses: IN, MI, OH, NC, AK, ND Specialty: Neurology, General Neurology, TBI, Concussion, Headache, Stroke, Epilepsy, Movement disorders,

Neurorehabilitation

Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 12 IME Training: SEAK

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Edward Negovetich, MD

Wellspring Batesville, IN

Phone: (317) 965-5152 Additional Locations: Indianapolis, IN

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Outpatient musculoskeletal care -70% spine - in addition to concussion management, EMG/NCS testing, and both in-office and image-guided spinal injections.

Years in Practice: 16

IMEs Performed: 550 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Eric M. Orenstein, MD

IU Health Arnett Hospital Lafayette, IN Phone: (765) 448-8000 www.iuhealth.org/arnett Licenses: IN, OH, WA, OR Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Fellowship trained in adult reconstructive surgery including minimally invasive hip and knee replacement surgery, partial knee replacement surgery and hip and knee revision surgery. 32 years of general orthopedic surgery practice experience including trauma, sports medicine, knee arthroscopy, shoulder and hand surgery as well as workers' compensation injuries. Board certified & recertified three times. Disability evaluations, PPI ratings - 5th and 6th Edition of AMA Guides, personal injury cases Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: >250

Years Performed IMEs: 3 Times Deposed/Testified: ~ 6 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

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Neurology

General Neurology, TBI, Concussion, Headache, Stroke, Epilepsy, Movement Disorders. Neurorehabilitation

License(s): AR, IN, MI, NC, OH

Years in Practice: 28

Deposed/Testified 12 times

IME Training: SEAK

Member of multiple boards with additional graduate training in biomedical engineering. 20+ year history in neurorehabilitation including directorship at a rehabilitation hospital.

Michael J. Spence, MD

Spence Rehabilitation Center, PC

Munster, IN

Phone: (219) 513-2267

Licenses: IN

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, EMGs, Interventional Pain Management, Musculoskeletal Medicine, Geriatric Medicine

Years in Practice: 18 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 50 IME Training: SEAK

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Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 16 Times Deposed/Testified: 25 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ABIME

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accepted for publication in peer reviewed journals.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: >100 IME Training: SEAK

Stan Mathew, MD

Stanley Mathew, MD PLLC Cedar Rapids, IA Phone: (319) 369-7331 www.stanmathewmd.com Licenses: Iowa, New York Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Chronic Pain Syndrome, Fibromyalgia, Migraines, Post Laminectomy Syndrome, Neuropathy, Gait and Balance dysfunction, TBI, Spinal Cord Injury, Stroke, Chronic Neck and low Back Pain, Osteoarthritis, Rotator Cuff, Nerve, Bone and Muscle Specialist

Years in Practice: 10
IMEs Performed: 100+
Years Performed IMEs: 9
IME Training: SEAK
IME Certification: ABPMR
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Ronald S. Sims, MD

Dubuque Neurology & Sleep Medicine Dubuque, IA

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Licenses: Iowa

Specialty: Neurology, Sleep Medicine, Adult neurology and sleep medicine

Years in Practice: 27

Years in Practice: 27 Years Performed IMEs: 10

KANSAS

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Additional Locations: Kansas City,

MO

Licenses: Kansas and Missouri Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Dr. Fotopoulos is an interventional physiatrist specializing in minimally invasive and interventional procedures for back, neck, hip, shoulder and knee pain.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 10+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50



Stan Mathew, MD



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Email: stanley.mathew@unitypoint.org **Website:** www.stanmathewmd.com

Board certified in Physical Medicine Rehabilitation, Board certified by the American Board of Pain Medicine, Board Certified by the American Board of Disability Analyst.

Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Physiatry - Pain Management

Specialty Focus: Chronic Pain Syndrome, Fibromyalgia, Migraines, Post Laminectomy Syndrome, Neuropathy, Gait and Balance dysfunction, TBI, Spinal Cord Injury, Stroke, Chronic Neck and low Back Pain, Osteoarthritis, Rotator Cuff, Nerve, Bone and Muscle Specialist

License(s): lowa, New York Years in Practice: 15

Experience: 10 years performing IMEs
Number of IMEs Performed: 100+
IME Certification: ABPMR
IME Training: SEAK

Stanley Mathew, MD, has been an Attending Physician at St Luke's Hospital since October 2009. Dr. Mathew also serves as Chief Executive Officer of American Rehabilitation Medicine, PLLC. He was previously a Chief Resident in the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at New York Medical College. Dr. Mathew has extensive experience in the fields of Internal medicine, Physical medicine and rehabilitation, pain management and electrodiagnostic medicine.

Eva L. Henry, MD

Neurology Specialists Wichita, KS

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Specialty: Neurology, Pain Management - Medicine

Years in Practice: 21 IMEs Performed: 150+ Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

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IME Certification: CICE

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Specialty: Neuropsychology,

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St. Elizabeth Business Health Erlanger, KY

Phone: (859) 301-2999 Licenses: Kentucky, Ohio

Specialty: Occupational Medicine

Years in Practice: 38 IMEs Performed: 2,700 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: ACOEM, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Years in Practice: 10 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: Residency training

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MN, AL, ND, OK, TN, VA Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Neurosurgeon, Fellowship Trained in Minimally Invasive Spine Surgery, Fellowship Trained in Peripheral Nerve, Expertise with cranial neurosurgery including traumatic brain injury, spinal

medicine Years in Practice: 13 Times Deposed/Testified: 15

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Specialty: Neurosurgery, Board Certified, Neurological Surgery. Offshore Injuries, Commercial

Vehicle Injury, Traumatic Brain Injury, Causation Analysis Years in Practice: 22 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 5

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Orlando Deffer, MD

Private Kenner, LA

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Specialty: Cardiology -Cardiovascular Disease, Invasive non interventional cardiologist Advance Imaging Fellowship in Non Invasive Imaging Vast experience

with Devices(Ppm, AICD and CRT) Vast experience in TEE

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 10

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Management - Medicine Years in Practice: 35

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IMEs Performed: 300 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Slidell, LA

Phone: (985) 646-3662 Licenses: Louisiana / Mississippi Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, General orthopedics / Sports Medicine / Arthroscopy / Joint replacement

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 200+ IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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& Rehabilitation Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 12+ Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

MAINE

& Pain Medicine Physical Medicine

Jeffrey Barkin, MD Jeffrey Barkin MD, PA

Portland, ME Phone: (207) 775-2244 jeffreybarkinmd.com Additional Locations: Portland Licenses: ME, CT, MA Specialty: Neuropsychiatry, Psychiatry, Expertise in traumatic

brain injury, amongst other psychiatric and neuropsychiatric disorders. Employer/employee issues including workers compensation, fitness for return to work, disability, permanent impairment, amongst others. I work closely and

collaboratively with attorneys offering objective assessment. Years in Practice: 31

IMEs Performed: 500 Years Performed IMEs: 21 Times Deposed/Testified: 50

MARYLAND

Jonathan D. Dubin, MD, FACC,

baltimore, MD Phone: (410) 456-1809 Licenses: MD

Specialty: Cardiology -Cardiovascular Disease, I have performed thousands of IME and peer reviews for cardiology and hypertension over the last 25 years. i currently work for many IME companies, insurance companies, and law firms including: Examworks, IWIF, Corvel, MES Solutions, Semmes, Coventry, Geico, Genex, and Hartford. I also provide expert testimony on a regular basis.

Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: >5000 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: >100

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Licenses: MD

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Years in Practice: 26 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 6 IME Training: National Board of Foresic Chiropractors

Eric Kraut

Owings Mills, MD Phone: (443) 213-5427 Licenses: MD, VA

Specialty: General Surgery, Hernias

Trauma Critical Care Years in Practice: 24 Years Performed IMEs: 7
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Ashok Krishnaswamy, MD

self employed glenburnie, MD

Phone: (410) 768-6566 Cell: (410) 493-8398 Licenses: maryland

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, total joints.hand surgery and sports medecine.

Years in Practice: 39 IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: doing IME' on my patients and others referred to me from attorneys

IME Certification: orthopedic surgery

Mark A. Young, MD, MBA, **FACP**

Mark A. Young MD, FACP WHITE MARSH, MD Cell: (410) 808-9700 www.drmarkyoung.com Additional Locations: Melbourne,

Florida

Licenses: MD, Florida, Pennsylvania Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, For 31+ years, Dr. Young has dedicated his practice to complex neurol & musculoskeletal disorders. Highly experienced in: Disability Evaluations, IME's, Vocational Rehabilitation, Life Care Planning, Personal Injury, Chart Reviews, **Expert Witness activity, Report** Writing. Expertise: PM&R, Neurological Rehab, MSK, Pain, **Addictions & Integrative Medicine** As a published author with formidable academic background, Dr. Young combines quality expertise with professionalism & customer service

Years in Practice: 31 IMEs Performed: 600 Years Performed IMEs: 31 Times Deposed/Testified: 75 IME Training: ABIME, and AMA, IME Certification: PM&R Board

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Bernhard Zunkeler, MD Bernhard Zunkeler MD PA

Towson, MD Phone: (410) 337-8201 www.evalneuro.com Licenses: MD

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Brain Injury Medicine, neurosurgery, spine surgery, instrumentation, trauma, head injury, brain injury, spinal cord injury, neurological disability, the endpoint of treatment (MMI), causation, impairment rating, clinical needs assessment, future healthcare cost

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME, and CLCP

MASSACHUSETTS

Stefanos N. Kales, MD, MPH, FACP, FACOEM

Cambridge Occupational Medicine Services Cambridge, MA

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Licenses: MA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Internal Medicine, Dr. Kales is Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School; Professor & Director, Occupational Medicine Residency; and Chief, Occupational

& Environmental Medicine at Cambridge Health Alliance. He has special expertise in public safety (police and fire issues), toxicology, mold, latex allergy, workers comp, cardiovascular and sleep issues. A recent CV is attached.

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 400+ Years Performed IMEs: 25+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: Occupational Medicine Residency-Harvard IME Certification: Board Certified: Occupational Medicine

Matthew A. Kippe, MD SCOPE Consulting

Dartmouth, MA Phone: (508) 844-3573 Licenses: Massachusetts Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Board certified in Orthopedic surgery and Sports Medicine. Special interests include shoulder surgery and Sports Medicine. Completed the Charles Neer adult shoulder reconstruction fellowship at the New York orthopedic Hospital at Columbia University Medical Center. Currently in private practice for the past 14 years in Dartmouth Massachusetts Affiliated both the **Steward and South Coast Health** Care systems.

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 1

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Boston MA

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Licenses: Massachusetts, California

Specialty: Allergy Years in Practice: 7





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> License(s): MD, VA Years in Practice: 27 10 years performing IMEs

I am board certified in general surgery and critical care. I am an assistant professor in the Department of Surgery at Johns Hopkins University. My administrative positions have included chief of surgery, trauma medical director, medical director of surgical intensive care unit, medical director of ambulatory surgery center, and medical director and founder of a breast cancer center. I have had a very broad experience in my career including both academic and private practices and levels 1, 2 and 3 trauma centers. My career has included vascular, thoracic, oncologic, advanced laparoscopic and open procedures.

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Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 350 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 8 IME Training: predoctoral internship, postdoctoral fellowship

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Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Boardcertified physical medicine and rehabilitation. I have worked as an occupational medicine physician treating mostly Worker's

Compensation patients for the past six years. Extensive knowledge of the musculoskeletal system with fellowship training in spine care. Former personal trainer with a degree in exercise science with advanced expertise in physical and functional exercise rehabilitation

comparable to a physical therapist. Years in Practice: 10 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 1

IME Training: SEAK

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Years in Practice: 48 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 Please see ad on p. 43

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ruchelsman-m-d_f-a-a-o-s/ Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Wrist and Elbow Surgery, Peripheral nerve surgery, Sports

medicine of the hand and wrist Years in Practice: 10+ Years Performed IMEs: 10

Glen D. Seidman, MD

South Shore Orthopedics Hingham, MA

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Years in Practice: 20

Years Performed IMEs: 16

www.southshoreorthopedics.com Licenses: MA

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, I completed my Orthopedic Surgery Residency at Boston Universit in 1992 and the Hand Surgery and Microsurgery Fellowship at the University of Pennsylvania in 1993. I am board certified by the American Board of Ortho. Sur. and the certificate of added qualification in surgery of the hand. I recently completed the SEAK IME course and previously the OME course/certification. Since 1993, I have maintained an outpatient and inpatient practice full-time in both orthopedi





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Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 33 Times Deposed/Testified: 40 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM IME Certification: ACOEM

Gary L. Stanton, MD

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Specialty: Neurology, Pain Management - Medicine, Sleep Medicine, Clinical Neurophysiology (EMG, EEG), Medical Acupuncture Years in Practice: 37 Years Performed IMEs: 16

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Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: >100 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 60 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM

Thomas H. Winters, MD

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Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 300+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 50 IME Certification: CIME

Jeffrey L. Zilberfarb

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Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, Back pain, Neck pain, Joint problems, Musculoskeletal issues, Acupuncture, Chart reviews. (no head injury) Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 1500+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

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Times Deposed/Testified: 50

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abdominoplasty, BBL, fat transfer (face breast and buttock), mommy makeover; facelift; neck lift; brow lift; eyelid blepharoplasty; rhinoplasty.

Years in Practice: 19

Jose Desousa, MD

Oakleaf Neurology Dearborn, MI Phone: (313) 846-8840 www.oakns.com Licenses: MI, FL Specialty: Neurology, Neuromuscular Disorders, Neuromuscular Medicine, Neurophysiology, Sleep Medicine

IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 12 IME Training: SEAK

John Easa, MD

Veterans Health Admin. Michigan State University College of Human Medicine Holland, MI Cell: (616) 499-5595

Additional Locations: 49424 Licenses: MICHIGAN Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine

Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 2

Todd Francis, MD, PhD, FAANS

Envision Enterprises Bloomfield Hills, MI Phone: (248) 533-1443

Additional Locations: Pontiac, MI

Licenses: MI

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Fellowship trained in clinical spinal surgery, Cleveland Clinic 2011 Currently Staff Neurosurgeon at St. Joseph Mercy Oakland, employed and in practice full-time 5 years of experience in independent medical

evaluations for predominantly auto injury and workman's comp

Years in Practice: 11 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 5+ IME Training: SEAK

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Ghada M. Hanna, MD

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Years in Practice: 23 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 9 Times Deposed/Testified: 10+

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Michigan

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Years in Practice: 31 IMEs Performed: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 25 IME Training: Many years of practice

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, I am fellowship trained in orthopedic surgery sports medicine with specialized training in a variety of acute and chronic conditions of the musculoskeletal system.

Years in Practice: 2 IMEs Performed: 5+ IME Training: SEAK

Steve R. Lasater, MD

Optimal Wellness Medical Group Grand Rapids, MI Phone: (616) 301-7390 Cell: (616) 822-9438 optimalwellnessmedical.com Additional Locations: MI Licenses: MI

Specialty: Family Medicine, Besides Family Medicine, I have been **Board-certified in Clinical** Lipidology, Undersea & Hyperbaric Medicine, and Obesity Medicine. I also have expertise in hormone replacement and Age Management Medicine.

Years in Practice: 38 IMEs Performed: 70 Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 3 IME Training: SEAK

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Licenses: MI

Specialty: Psychiatry, Depression, Bipolar Disorder, Suicide, Anxiety, PTSD, Psychosis, Schizoaffective Disorder, Perinatal and Reproductive Psychiatry, Postpartum Depression, Postpartum Anxiety, Psychiatric Disorders during Pregnancy, Psychopharmacology, Treatment-Resistant Mood Disorders, Complementary and Integrative

Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 3 IME Training: SEAK

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Psychiatry.

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Specialty: Foot & Ankle, All foot and ankle conditions with a special interest in review work, pre and post auditing along with IME work.

Years in Practice: 15 Years Performed IMEs: 2

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Specialty: Internal Medicine, Rheumatology, 40 years private practice, 20 years chairman, quality assurance committee at 1000 bed hospital expert in chronic pain disorders, fibromyalgia, complicated medical and rheumatic disorders, geriatric medicine and hospitalist medicine. I am Board Certified in Internal Medicine, Rheumatology and Geriatrics.

Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: >200 Years Performed IMEs: 20

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Times Deposed/Testified: 6

John S. Schultz, MD

Medical Rehabilitation Group, P.C. Grand Blanc MI Phone: (810) 606-7181 medicalrehabilitationgroup.com Licenses: MI

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Spine disorders, musculoskeletal medicine, interventional spine, chronic pain, electrodiagnostic medicine, occupational injuries, disability evaluation, regenerative medicine,

nerve injuries Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 150 IME Training: SEAK

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Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Anesthesiology, **Interventional Pain Medicine**

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James F. Zender

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Specialty: Psychology, I specialize in the evaluation and treatment of auto accident trauma. PTSD, TBI, Auto Accident Trauma, Depression, Anxiety, Psychotherapy, Pain Psychology, Family, Injury, Veterans, Addiction, Autonomous Vehicles

Years in Practice: 30+ Years Performed IMEs: 27 IME Training: SEAK Please see ad on p. 47

MINNESOTA

Michael T. Hopfenspirger, MD, PhD

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Specialty: Otolaryngology

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 6

Jack E. Hubbard, MD, PhD

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Tyler V. Peternell, DC

Cold Spring Spine & Wellness Center Cold Spring, MN Phone: (320) 686-0137 Licenses: MN **Specialty: Chiropractic** Years in Practice: 7 Years Performed IMEs: 2

Connie J. Wang, MD

Minneapolis, MN Phone: (612) 568-7714 Licenses: MN

Specialty: Internal Medicine, Licensed and practiced in Internal Medicine for 20 years, both at inpatient and outpatient settings. Also specialized in all aspects of Nephrology including kidney failure, dialysis, kidney transplantation. Have participated in many case reviews for hospital. Broad and indepth knowledge in medicine will help generating expert options in a broad range of legal cases.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 1 IME Training: SEAK

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, General orthopaedics w/an emphasis on Workers' Compensation

Years in Practice: 27 Years Performed IMEs: 25 IME Certification: CIME

MISSOURI

Bryan Barnes

Joplin, MO Phone: (417) 781-0250 Licenses: MO, KS

Specialty: Family Medicine, I'm a Doctor of Osteopathy that's been in practice for about 24 years. I perform no scalpel vasectomies in office and I am currently running one of the largest privately owned offices in our four state area.

Years in Practice: 24 Years Performed IMEs: 1 IME Training: SEAK





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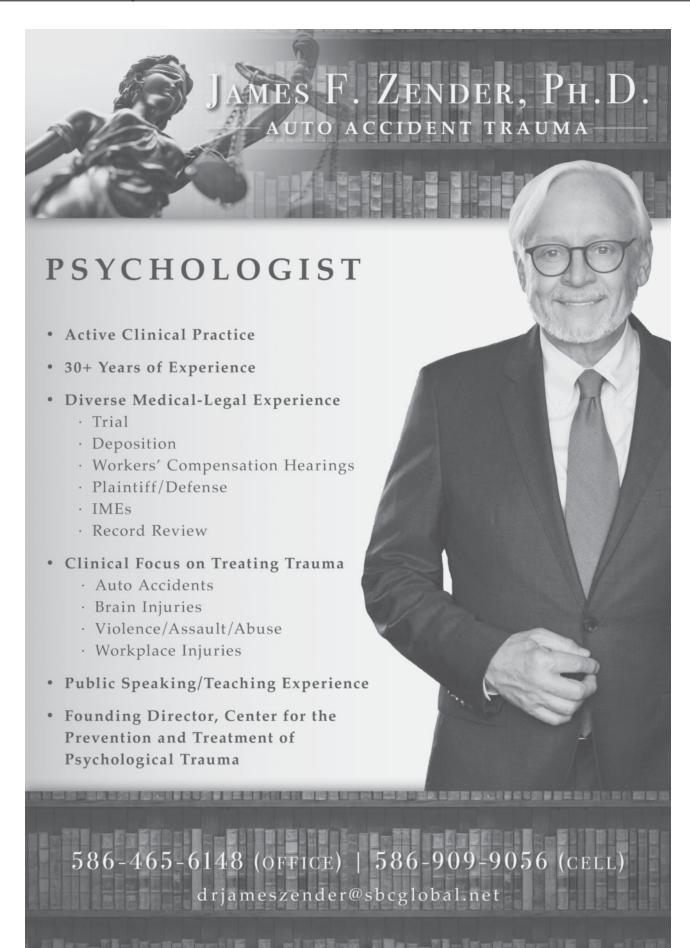
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Specialty: Emergency Medicine, IMEs done for workers' compensation.

Years in Practice: 19 IME Training: SEAK

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Licenses: MO, IL

Specialty: Spinal Medicine, **Orthopedic Surgery, Performs** Missouri and Illinois IMEs for injuries and ailments of the spine and neck. Specializes in disorders, injuries and surgeries of the spine and neck. Well defined, definitive reports with in-house quality assurance to assure all questions are answered

Years in Practice: 13 IMEs Performed: 800 Years Performed IMEs: 13 Times Deposed/Testified: 400

Kala Danushkodi, MD

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Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 20

Christopher De Geer, DC, MS

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Specialty: Chiropractic, Eight years' experience as a chiropractic physician with involvement in personal injury, worker's compensation, sports injuries, and independent medical examinations; seven years as a worker's compensation claims reviewer; five years as a graduate-level university teacher; and a peer-reviewed published author. Former personal trainer and gymnastics coach with certifications in strength and conditioning and corrective exercise. Years in Practice: 8

IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 3 IME Training: SEAK

John Galanis

Galanis Cataract and Laser Eye Center St Louis, MO

Phone: (314) 633-8575 Cell: (314) 283-4644 drgalanis.com

Additional Locations: St Louis

Licenses: MO

Specialty: Ophthalmology, Cataract and cataract surgery Glaucoma and glaucoma surgery

Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 30

Lyndon B. Gross, MD, PhD

The Orthopedic Center of St. Louis Chesterfield, MO Phone: (314) 336-2566 drlyndongross.com

Additional Locations: Cape Girardeau,

Licenses: MO

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Performs Missouri and Illinois IMEs for injuries and ailments of shoulder, knee and elbow including advanced arthroscopic procedures, joint reconstruction procedures, cartilage restoration procedures and joint replacement surgery. Certified in **Evaluation Disability and**

Impairment Ratings by AADEP in AMA Guides Sixth Edition. Well defined, definitive reports with inhouse quality assurance to assure all questions are answered completely. Medical Record Reviews. Chesterfield and Cape Girardeau

Years in Practice: 20+ Years Performed IMEs: 15+ IME Training: IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons; Arthroscopy Association of North America

Mark R. Killman, MD

Mark R. Killman, MD, PC Independence, MO Phone: (816) 254-9595 Cell: (816) 674-9869 Licenses: MO, KS

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, General Rehabilitation and Electrodiagnostic **Testing**

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 10

Scott Langford, MD

Rockhill Orthopaedic Specialists, Inc Lee's Summit, MO Phone: (816) 246-4302 www.rockhillortho.com Additional Locations: Lee's Summit Licenses: MO



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Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 24 Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 28

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John C. Lucio, DO

Mid America Labs, Inc Jefferson City, MO Phone: (573) 690-8046 Licenses: MO

Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Integrative Medicine, Over 10 years of extensive experience in performing Independent Medical Evaluations. Main area of focus Pain Management and musculoskeletal injuries.Trained and certified by the ABIME in the AMA guidelines 6th

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Amar Patel, MD

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Rockhill Orthopaedic Specialists, Inc. Lees Summit, MO Phone: (816) 246-4302 www.rockhillortho.com

Additional Locations: Blue Springs,

Licenses: MO

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Foot & Ankle, Board Certified in Both Orthopaedic Trauma and Foot & Ankle

Years in Practice: 11 IMEs Performed: 36 Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

Frank O. Petkovich, MD

Petkovich Orthopedic and Spine Care,

LLC

St. Louis, MO Phone: (314) 432-6500 www.petkovichortho.com Licenses: MO, IL

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, 25% of practice includes IMEs and medical record reviews. Reports, if requested, generated in a timely manner. Multiple orthopedic body parts, including spine, examined or reviewed if requested. Practice includes general orthopedics, upper and lower extremities and spinal conditions. Medical School: Saint **Louis University Internship:** University of Illinois Chicago Residency: Orthopedic Surgery, University of Missouri Kansas City Fellowship: Tulane University affiliated hospitals

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 1500+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 500+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Michael D. Snyder, MD

SSM Health Neurosciences Fenton, MO Phone: (636) 496-3900 Cell: (608) 513-7245 Licenses: MO, IL

Specialty: Neurology, Neuromuscular Disorders, General Neurology, Stroke Medicine, Headache Medicine, Neuromuscular Disorders

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 15 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 12 IME Training: SEAK

MONTANA

Eric Mehlberg, MD

Laurel, MT Phone: (630) 991-0353 Additional Locations: Laurel Licenses: Colorado Montana Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Anesthesiology, Following Medical School, I trained in Anesthesiology at Stanford University Medical Center and **Interventional Pain Management at** University of California at San Francisco. I have was in private practice since 2015-2023, and currently am hospital employed. Years in Practice: 8

IMEs Performed: 30+ Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 8 IME Training: SEAK

Jeffrey R. Mitchell, DC

Billings Chiropractic Injury Clinic

Billings, MT

Phone: (406) 969-3805 Additional Locations: Billings

Licenses: MT

Specialty: Chiropractic, Low Impact soft tissue spinal injuries.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 3 Years Performed IMEs: 1 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CICE

NEBRASKA

Priscilla Correa, MD

Integrated Care Omaha, NE Phone: (402) 502-1819

www.integratedcarellc.com Licenses: NE

Specialty: Industrial Medicine, Occupational Medicine, Fluent in

Spanish and English. 20 years practicing in Family Medicine 8 years practicing in industrial and occupational medicine Years in Practice: 28

Ian Crabb

Merit Medical Evaluations

Omaha, NE

Phone: (402) 827-3001

www.meritmedicalevaluations.com/ Additional Locations: Omaha

Licenses: Nebraska

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Over 15 years of experience in the medicolegal field completing IMEs, Record Reviews, and Telemedicine IMEs. Certified by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgery with specialties in Hand & Upper Extremity Orthopedic, Surgery for Adults and Children, Shoulder

Surgery, & General Orthopedics. Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: 2,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 18

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VEGAS

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NEVADA

Licenses: Calif, Nevada & Illinois Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery and Sports Medicine Knee and Shoulder Specialty

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 80 Years Performed IMEs: 9 Times Deposed/Testified: 90 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Gregory P. Brown, MD

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Gregory P Brown MD Professional Corporation

Henderson, NV

Phone: (702) 232-3256 www.gregorypbrownmd.com

Licenses: NV

Fellowship

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, testamentary capacity, contractual capacity, undue influence, guardianship, conservatorship, civil litigation, brain injury, personal injury, return to work, disability evaluations

Years in Practice: 26 IMEs Performed: 600 Years Performed IMEs: 24 Times Deposed/Testified: 50 IME Training: Forensic Psychiatry

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Glen S. Cochrane, DC

Phone: (702) 333-1995

IME/PPD/peer review

Years in Practice: 26

IMEs Performed: 700

Years Performed IMEs: 18

Times Deposed/Testified: 20

IME Training: SEAK, ABIME

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Additional Locations: Pahrump, NV

Specialty: Chiropractic, Chiropractic

IME Certification: CICE, and MCICE,

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Reno, NV

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Additional Locations: Truckee, CA

Licenses: CA, NV

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Board Certified in Orthopedic Surgery (ABOS). Subspecialty Certified in Orthopedic Sports Medicine (ABOS). 25 years active clinical practice provides the knowledge and practical experience to render expert opinions in a variety of medical legal cases regarding musculoskeletal issues of the extremities and spine. Harvard Orthopedic Residency education. Sports Medicine and AO Fellowship, **SEAK IME and Expert Witness** training. Dr. Foley provides ethical,

objective, evidence-based determinations Years in Practice: 25

IMEs Performed: >30 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: >10

IME Training: SEAK, and CA QME IME Certification: California OME.

FAAOS

Marek J. Korzeniowski, MD

Medicalogic LLC Henderson, NV Phone: (702) 664-6486 Cell: (702) 218-9493 Licenses: Nevada, Illinois

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management Physical Medicine and **Rehabilitation Industrial Accidents** Car Accidents Musculoskeletal injuries MRO ABIME certified 5th and 6th edition Expert witness

deposition

Years in Practice: 26 IMEs Performed: 60+ Years Performed IMEs: 6 Times Deposed/Testified: 1 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME







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Fellow, American College of Surgeons
Fellow, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons
Founding member and Fellow, North American Spine Society
Certified, American Board Independent Medical Examiners, Ver 6

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Orthopedic Surgery & Sports Medicine

Licenses: CA, NV, IL Years in Practice: 14

14 Years Performing IMEs

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Deposed/Testified 150 Times

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Nevada Sports and Spine Las Vegas, NV Phone: (702) 518-5774

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Licenses: NV, CA, MI

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Sports Medicine, Independent Medical Examination Partial Permanent Impairment Rating Lifecare Planning Expert Witness Personal Injury Medical Records Review

Years in Practice: 7 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 2 IME Training: SEAK

Colby P. Young, MD

Hand Surgery Specialists of Nevada Las Vegas, NV Phone: (702) 645-7800 www.hssnv.com Licenses: Nevada, California, Arizona, Indiana

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopodic Surgery

Orthopedic Surgery
Years in Practice: 20
IMEs Performed: 350
Years Performed IMEs: 10
Times Deposed/Testified: 5
IME Training: SEAK, ABIME
IME Certification: CIME

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Douglas M. Goumas, MD

Prime Consulting NH Manchester, NH Phone: (603) 324-6859 Licenses: New Hampshire Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon. Sports fellowship trained: Shoulder, Knee, Ankle and Elbow

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 100's Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 10

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Timothy Ryken, MD

Ryken Medical Consulting Lebanon, NH Phone: (319) 331-6603 Licenses: NH

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Experienced neurosurgeon board certified by the ABNS. Active in both academic and private settings. Focus primarily on adult patients addressing general neurosurgical care including trauma, tumor and degenerative spine. My legal work today has been primarily for the defendant although I have reviewed and offered opinions in plaintiff cases as well. I have been involved in multiple research efforts and have been active on the national neurosurgical level both educational and political efforts.

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 5 Years Performed IMEs: 2 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK

Joshua A. Siegel, MD Access Sports Medicine and

Orthopaedics
Exeter, NH
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Additional Locations: Portsmouth
Licenses: NH, MA
Specialty: Orthopedics, Orthopedic
Surgery, Hand Surgery, Physiatry,
General Musculoskeletal specialist
with special focus on shoulder and

knee pathology. Years in Practice: 19 Years Performed IMEs: 11

NEW JERSEY

Aldo A. Arpaia, M.D., F.A.C.P.

Consultants In Medicine New Providence, NJ Cell: 848-2414 IME

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Licenses: NY, NJ Specialty: Internal Medicine, Geriatrics, Geriatrics, /Internal Medicine/General Practice/ **Ambulatory Surgery/ Preoperative** Risk Assessment and Management/ Cardiovascualr disease/Pulmonary disease/ Endocrinology/ Diabetes/ Telemedicine/Wound care. Deep vein thrombosis prevention and treatment Quality Assurance and **Performance Improvement** Preventive Medicine, Internal Medicine, Emergency Medicine. **Nursing home and Geriatrics** Diagnosis and Management of **Complex Diseases**

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 300+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 12 IME Training: SEAK

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Douglas M. Goumas, MD

Prime Consulting NH Manchester, New Hampshire

Phone: 603-624-6859

Email: primeconsultingnh@gmail.com Governor appointed board member of Workers Compensation Advisory Committee 6 years

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Sports fellowship trained: Shoulder, Knee, Ankle and Elbow

Experience:

25 Years in Practice 20 years Performing IMEs 100's + IMEs performed



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Dr. Arpaia is board certified in Internal Medicine and Geriatric Medicine. he is a physician licensed in the states of New York and New Jersey. He is a clinical professor at the Zucker School of Medicine, Northwell Medical Center and has vast expertise in preoperative medicine, geriatrics and internal medicine. He is comfortable evaluating and treating complex diseases.

Dr. Arpaia has consulted for varied medical conditions and is comfortable opining on best practices, disability, and quality care issues. His vast experienced in utilization review, disease management, quality assurance as well as peri-operative medical consultation makes him ideally suited to evaluate a number of medical conditions.

30 Years in Practice 25 Years Performing IMEs/Deposed 12 times 300+ IMEs Performed

Steven A. Bernstein, DPM, **FACFAS, FASPS**

Steven A. Bernstein DPM FACFAS Fort Lee, NJ Phone: (201) 482-8236 Cell: (201) 707-1200

www.footandanklesurgeonnj.com Licenses: NJ, NY, FL

Specialty: Foot & Ankle, Podiatry -Podiatric Surgery, Expert Witness Plaintiff and Defense, IME, Second opinions, Record review Auto, Work Comp and Slip and Fall Injuries. Extensive experience in Foot and Ankle Surgery, Trauma, Reconstructive Surgery, CRPS, RSD, Failed Ankle and Foot Surgery Failed fusions and Ankle replacements Failed bunion surgery,

Failed minimal incision and Lapiplasty 33 + years extensive experience

Years in Practice: 33

Neeta Chaudhary, MD, PhD

OnPoint Medical Consultancy Wayne, NJ

Phone: (609) 955-8978 Additional Locations: Princeton

Innetion Licenses: NJ, PA

Specialty: General Surgery, Critical Care Medicine, Trauma Surgery **Surgical Critical Care Emergency**

General Surgery Years in Practice: 18

T.J. Citta, DO

New Life Rehab Medicine, PC Cherry Hill, NJ Phone: (856) 630-6000 Additional Locations: Medford, New Jersey; Stratford, New Jersey; Turnersville, New Jersey Licenses: NJ and PA Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, **Independent Medical Examinations**; Auto and Workman's Comp **Evaluations; Brain Injury and Stroke Evaluations**; Electrodiagnostic Studies Evaluation; File Reviews; Disability **Evaluations**; Rehabilitation

Rehabilitation Years in Practice: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 20 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and AAPM&R Fellow

Consultation and Life Planning;

Raymond G. Decker, Jr.

Subspecialty in Pediatric

Central Jersey Hand Surgery Eatontown, NJ Phone: (732) 542-4477 Cell: (732) 614-1910 www.centraljerseyhand.com Additional Locations: Freehold, Toms Licenses: NJ, PA, FL

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedics

Years in Practice: 30

IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 20+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Robert A. Defalco, DO

IME Plus, LLC Bloomfield, NJ Phone: (908) 731-6772 www.ime-plus.com Additional Locations: Sparta, NJ-Cedar Knolls, NJ-Washington, NJ-Newton, NJ-Springfield, NJ Licenses: NJ

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, **Orthopedics**

Years in Practice: 13 Years Performed IMEs: 1 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Joyce A. Echo, PhD

Neuropsychological and Psychodiagnostic Assessment Center of NJ, LLC East Hanover, NJ Cell: (862) 591-9819 Licenses: NJ

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Disability Evaluations, My specialty is inn neuropsychological assessment in a wide variety of neurological illnesses. I also include psychological evaluations in my assessment for differential diagnosis (determining if presenting symptoms are neurological or psychiatric). A significant portion of my practice has been doing IMEs for state disability claimants. This includes mental status examinations and psychological testing, which includes psychiatric, neurological and neurodevelopmental conditions.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: >1000 Years Performed IMEs: 8 Times Deposed/Testified: 2

Samuel E. Epstein, DO

Stafford Orthopedics, PA Manahawkin, NJ Phone: (609) 597-6092 www.advocarestaffordortho.com Licenses: NJ, PA, AZ, CA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Disability Evaluations, Bone muscle & joint trauma & diseases

Years in Practice: 30 Years Performed IMEs: 13 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME, and ABIME/American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, 10th Annual Occupational Orthopedics and Workers' Compensation, November,

IME Certification: ABDA

Nathaniel R. Evans, II, M.D., FACEP

Delanco, NJ

Phone: (609) 351-9734 evansmedical1.com Licenses: NJ, PA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine

Years in Practice: 45 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

Morton Fridman, M.D.

Self Employed TEANECK, NJ Phone: (201) 805-5974 www.mortfridmanmd.com Additional Locations: TEANECK Licenses: NJ, NY, Fl Specialty: Psychiatry, Psychiatry, Morton Fridman M.D. is a Board Certified Psychiatrist- Adult, Child and Adolescent. He has 30+ years of experience performing high quality Psychiatric IMEs, Forensic and

Clinical Psychiatry. Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50

Joseph S. Lombardi, M.D.

Edison Spine Center Edison, NJ Phone: (732) 839-1948 edisonspinecenter.com/ Licenses: NJ

Specialty: Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery, At Edison Spine Center, we specialize in the treatment of various disorders of the spine that cause back pain, radiculopathy (pain that radiates to other parts of the body such as the arms or legs) and other complications. We take an orthopedic approach to treating these conditions-we solve problems of the bones, cartilage, discs, muscles, tendons and ligaments in order to alleviate symptoms affecting the central and peripheral nervous systems.

Years in Practice: 35 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Yuri Mazur, MD

Millstone, NJ Phone: (732) 491-5314 Licenses: NJ, NY Specialty: Psychiatry, Geriatrics,

Depression, Anxiety, Personality Disorders, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, Sexual Harassment, Litigation Support for Employment **Actions & Workers Compensation** Relationship Problems, Complicated medical illness, Eating disorders, bipolar disorder, Workers' Compensation, Fitness-for-Duty. suicide, workers comp, malingering, sexual contact, disability.

Years in Practice: 20+ Years Performed IMEs: 15

June Ree, MD, FACEP

Wyckoff, NJ

Phone: (917) 734-8741 Licenses: NY, NJ

Specialty: Emergency Medicine, I am a board certified EM physician and Associate Chair of the ED at a well renowned tertiary care center in NYC. I have been actively involved in administration and departmental operations since 2011, with a focus on quality review, performance improvement, and utilization management. I am an active clinician with vast experience in evaluating/ treating minor to severe illnesses and injuries. I am ABIME trained, have offices in NY/NJ, and am available for IMEs. Timely responses are guaranteed. IME Training: ABIME

Behnam Salari, DO

IME Plus, LLC Bloomfield, NJ Phone: (908) 731-6772 www.ime-plus.com Licenses: NJ

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedic Spine Surgery, Orthopedic surgeon with spine surgery focus

Years in Practice: 5+ IMEs Performed: 50+ Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 25+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Paul G. Teja, DO

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Additional Locations: Sparta, NJ-Cedar Knolls, NJ-Washington, NJ-Newton, NJ-Springfield, NJ

Licenses: NJ

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics

Years in Practice: 21 Years Performed IMEs: 1 IME Certification: CIME

Warren M. Torchinsky, DDS

Dr. Warren M. Torchinsky Maple Shade, NJ Phone: (856) 667-7900 Cell: (856) 261-7788 Licenses: NJ, NY, PA Specialty: Dentistry, Oral Surgery,

Pharmacology, Maxillofacial Surgery, Dental Anesthesia, Geriatric Dentistry, Forensic Dentistry, Trauma Surgery, Facial Fractures, Bite Mark Identification Years in Practice: 40+

IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 75+ IME Training: SEAK

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License(s): NJ, NY, PA 45+ Years in Practice 35+ Years Performing IMEs 300+ IMEs Performed Deposed/Testified 50+ Times IME Training: SEAK

Dr. Torchinsky is currently the Section Chief of Dentistry as well as the Section Chief of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgical services in the department of surgery at Virtua Our Lady of Lourdes Medical Center in Camden, NJ. He is a Member of the American College of Forensic Examiners.

Dr. Torchinsky has testified on behalf of plaintiff and defendant in malpractice, civil, and criminal cases. He has been accepted for facial trauma, pathology, pharmacology, dental, medically compromised patients, and bite marks identification.

Adrienne Wasserman, MD, MPH, FACEP

River Vale, NJ Phone: (845) 558-8935 Cell: (305) 494-0067 Licenses: NY, NJ

Specialty: Emergency Medicine, Board certified Emergency Medicine Physician-Leader for 20+ years and 10+ years as an ED medical director. Extensive expertise in peer review, QA/QI, UM, EMTALA, and EMS admin, as well as clinical entities including critical care, airway management, stroke, sepsis, MI, trauma, chronic pain, addiction, COVID, wound care, among others. Possess strong written, verbal, and interpersonal skills. Years in Practice: 20

Nathan Zemel, MD

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Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (Board Certified) and Pain Management (Certified), Manipulation Under Anesthesia (Certified) Medical Marijuana (Certified), Addiction Medicine (Certified), Trauma, Work Related Injuries, Motor Vehicle Accidents, Electrodiagnostic Testing, Non-Surgical Spine, Peripheral Joint, and Peripheral Nerve Injuries. Quick turnaround time for reports, record reviews, and IMEs.

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 24 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Certification: American Board of Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (certified) and Pain Management (certified)

NEW MEXICO

Steven Fishburn, MD, MSc

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Albuquerque, NM
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Licenses: New Mexico, Missouri
Specialty: Occupational Medicine,
Toxicology - Medical Toxicology, My
board certifications include
Occupational Medicine, Medical
Toxicology, Addiction Medicine, and
General Preventive Medicine

through the American Board of Preventive Medicine. I am also certified by the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners. I completed a Master's of Biomedical Science in Clinical Research. I am also certified as a Medical Review Officer and as a Medical Examiner for the FMCSA/DOT.

Years in Practice: 9 IMEs Performed: 5 Years Performed IMEs: 2 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM, ARIME

IME Certification: CIME, and MRO,

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Specialty: Chiropractic Orthopedics,
Chiropractic, Chiropractic. Certified
in Impairment ratings by American
Board of Independent Medical
Examiners. Since over 34 years in a
predominantly medicolegal practice,
the practice has included Personal
injury, Workers Compensation, Slip
and Falls, etc. I continue to expand
my knowledge and focus on

Orthopedics and Forensics Post doctorate programs.

Years in Practice: 34 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CICE

NEW YORK

Bruce E. Baker, MD

Syracuse, NY Phone: (315) 476-2670 Licenses: NY

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Orthopedics, Sports Medicine

Years in Practice: 43 IMEs Performed: 8,000 Years Performed IMEs: 16 Times Deposed/Testified: 500 IME Certification: New York State, Workers' Compensation, IME

Michael Bernstein, MD

Lawrence, NY Phone: (516) 371-9289 Additional Locations: Queens, Brooklyn

Licenses: NY

Specialty: Psychiatry, Adult and Child Psychiatry

Years in Practice: 17 IMEs Performed: 1000+



Years Performed IMEs: 7 IME Certification: Diplomate American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, 1991, NY Workers' Compensation 176392-9B

Adam J. Carinci, MD, MBA

University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry Rochester, NY Phone: (845) 797-2305

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com

Licenses: NY

Specialty: Anesthesiology, Pain Management - Medicine, Specialty Focus: CRPS, RSD, IME, Disability Evaluation, NY-WC, MVA, Peer Review, Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy, Nerve Injury, Pain Medicine, Opioids, Opioid Abuse, Opioid Overdose, Opioid Addiction, Standard of Care, Medical Necessity, Medical Fraud and Abuse. Education: B.S., Summa Cum Laude, Pace University: M.D., Johns Hopkins School of Medicine; Resident - Anesthesiology, Johns Hopkins Hospital; Fellow - Pain Medicine, MGH / Harvard Medical School

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 500 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 55 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, ACOEM, ABIME, and New York State Workers Compensation IME Certified

IME Certification: CIME, and New York State Workers Compensation IME Certified

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Saad B. Chaudhary, MD

Mount Sinai Hospital - The Spine Hospital New York, NY Phone: (212) 241-3909 Additional Locations: Englewood, NJ Licenses: New York, New Jersey,

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, I have been practicing spinal surgery in an academic and private setting for over a decade. I have significant expertise in spinal care and have lectured nationally and internationally on various spine related topics. I have been performing IME's for nearly my entire time as an attending spine surgeon and have expertise in all forms of traumatic and degenerative spinal conditions.

Years in Practice: 11 Years Performed IMEs: 11 Times Deposed/Testified: >12

Marc Chernoff, MD

New York Orthopedic Spinal Associates Stony Brook, NY Phone: (631) 246-6100 ChernoffMD.COM Additional Locations: Manhattan, Woodbury, Riverhead NY Licenses: New York, Florida Specialty: Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery, Spine Surgery Years in Practice: 23 IMEs Performed: 2000 Years Performed IMEs: 21 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

Ziv E. Cohen, MD, FAPA

Principium Psychiatry New York, NY Phone: (212) 335-0236 www.principiumpsychiatry.com/ forensic-psychiatry/ Additional Locations: Greenwich, Connecticut Licenses: New York, Connecticut, California

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Depression, psychosis, schizophrenia, substance use, bipolar disorder, PTSD, dementia, brain injury, personality disorder, competency, standard of care, personal injury.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: Fellowship in Forensic Psychiatry

Matthew Dounel, MD MPH

Flushing, NY
Phone: (718) 309-4000
Licenses: NY, NJ, FL, WI
Specialty: Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry,
Preventive Medicine, Nonsurgical
management of conditions including
orthopaedic injuries, spine-related
pain and dysfunction, occupational
injuries and overuse syndromes,
brain injury, and chronic pain
management Disability/impairment
assessment Occupational/Industrial
Medicine Veterans Disability Work
Related Injuries Cardiac and
Pulmonary Rehabilitation

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 30 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: ACOEM

Thomas Eagan, MD

GLOVERSVILLE, NY Phone: (518) 773-7306 Additional Locations: Albany, New York Licenses: NY

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics Years in Practice: 42

Years in Practice: 42 IMEs Performed: 1400 Years Performed IMEs: 26 Times Deposed/Testified: 200 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

ABIME IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/

AADEP
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Karin Gepp

ACTPSYCH, PLLC New York, NY Phone: (929) 437-4377 Additional Locations: New Jersey Licenses: NY, NJ, PSYPACT Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Psychological, neuropsychological, and forensic evaluations and reviews IMEs Performed: 30 Years Performed IMEs: 4

Peter Goulden, MD FRCP PGCE CIME

Peter Goulden MD CIME New York NY Phone: (518) 362-7168 Licenses: NY, NJ, FL Specialty: Endocrinology, Internal Medicine, I am an Associate Professor of Endocrinology at Mount Sinai in NYC. I also serve as **Division Chief at Mount Sinai** Morningside & West My areas of expert focus include type 1 diabetes, type 2 diabetes, insulin pump therapy, hypoglycemia, diabetic foot ulcers, diabetic complications, testosterone, thyroid dieases, pituitary, adrenal, parathyroid, osteoporosis, obesity management. Years in Practice: 16

Years in Practice: 16 IMEs Performed: 10 Years Performed IMEs: 4 Times Deposed/Testified: 7 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Joseph Hadi, MD Joseph Hadi MD, PLLC

Brooklyn, NY

Phone: (646) 330-5455 www.calipain.com Additional Locations: California, New York, NY Licenses: CA, FL, NY, NV Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, I'm double boarded in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation and Pain Medicine. My practice focus is on interventional pain management and electrodiagnostic testing (EMG/ NCV). For the past several years I have been performing peer reviews, utilization reviews and IME for SD and LTD. I travel frequently to the states I am licensed in to perform IME.

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 2+ Times Deposed/Testified: 1

Robert G. Josephberg, MD

Yonkers, NY Phone: (914) 965-2526 Cell: (914) 707-2113

www.robertjosephbergmd.com Licenses: NY, NJ, FL

Specialty: Ophthalmology, Disability Evaluations, Diabetic retinopathy, personal injury, macular degeneration, all eye diseases, retinal and vitreous diseases, endophthalmitis, retinal detachments, all eye work related injuries, work, accidental and other eye diseases, orbital trauma, double vision, loss of vision, and eve trauma. Dr Josephberg is well versed in workman's compensation and work related related injuries. He has done numerous exams on accident related injuries along with malpractice claims. He will use state and or AMA guidelines

Years in Practice: 38 IMEs Performed: 500 Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 25 IME Training: Courses, Prudential IME Certification: Workers' Compensation

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Specialty: Pulmonary Medicine - Disease

Years in Practice: 42 Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: SEAK

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Putnam Valley, NY Phone: (914) 739-2424

Additional Locations: Manhattan, Middletown, Highland in New York

Licenses: NY

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Trauma, hand, sports, speak Spanish

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 9000+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50+





Adam J. Carinci, MD, JD, MBA

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Dr. Carinci is double-board certified in Anesthesia and in Pain Medicine. Dr. Carinci is Chief of Pain Management and Director of the Pain Treatment Center at the University of Rochester Medical Center and an Associate Professor at the University of Rochester School of Medicine.

THOMAS EAGAN, MD

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Orthopedics Orthopedics

License(s): NY

Years in Practice: 42

• 26 years performing IMEs

• 1400 IMEs performed

• Deposed/Testified 200 times

IME Certification: CIME and IAIME/AADEP

IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, and ABIME

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Advanced Pain Medicine and Rehabilitation, P.C. Roslyn Heights, NY Phone: (516) 662-7756 www.PhysicalMedRehabMD.com Additional Locations: Garden City, NY; Suffolk County NY; Brooklyn NY; Queens NY; Bronx, Manhattan Licenses: NY, NJ, PA

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Board Certified Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, Board Certified, American Board of Pain Medicine. Performs all IME's including LIABILTY IME's, No Fault IME's, etc. Second Opinions. Expertise in: Musculoskeletal/Orthopedic/ Neurological & Spine Injuries & Diseases, Pain Medicine, RSD, Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy, CRPS, Complex Regional Pain Syndrome, Catastrophic Injuries, Traumatic Brain Injuries, Spinal Cord Injuries, etc. Disability **Determinations. Effective Expert** Testimony.

Years in Practice: 25+

Times Deposed/Testified: 275+ IME Training: IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: State of New York Workers' Compensation Board: Certified to perform IME's

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Melville Medical Huntington, NY Phone: (631) 351-3700 www.robertmoriartymd.com Additional Locations: Patchogue, NY Licenses: NY

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, American Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon, NYS WCB Exams, SLU, File Reviews. Offices in Suffolk and Nassau **Counties. AMA Impairment Determinations/Conversions.**

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 1000 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 500 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Physical medicine and Rehabilitation, Pain management, Pharmaceutical Reviews, Disability exams, Peer Reviews, Electrodiagnostic testing, Medical Necessity reviews Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: >300 Years Performed IMEs: 15

Sunitha Polepalle, MD

Mid Hudson Pain Management Newburgh, NY Phone: (845) 565-5943 Cell: (845) 346-5903 Additional Locations: Middletown, NY; Port Jervis, NY

Times Deposed/Testified: >100

Licenses: NY Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Interventional Pain Management. Specializing in pain procedures.

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Years in Practice: 30+ Years Performed IMEs: 30+ IME Certification: American Board of Plastic Surgery

Loren E. Rosenthal, MD Dutchess Neurology, PLLC Hyde Park, NY Phone: (845) 454-6243 Licenses: NY, CA, DE Specialty: Neurology, Sleep Medicine, Neurophysiology, Pain Management, IME, EEG, Nerve Blocks, EMG and NCU, Intern and Neurosurgical Residency - Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Residency - Neurology - Mt. Sinai Hospital, Queen Square Neurological Institute, London, England Years in Practice: 41 IMEs Performed: 500 Years Performed IMEs: 40 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: American Board Disability Analysts

Allan E. Rubenstein, MD

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Licenses: NY Specialty: Neurology, Neuropsychiatry, Genetic and developmental disorders, brain and spinal cord tumors, birth injuries, cervical and lumbosacral trauma, cerebrovascular disease, neuromuscular disorders, neurologic complications of anesthesia, neurologic complications of vaccinations, Lyme disease. Years in Practice: 44 Years Performed IMEs: 21

Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

Stephan B. Simons, MD

Parkchester Medical services of NY Bronx, NY Phone: (718) 828-6610 Cell: (516) 448-3556 Licenses: NY **Specialty: Internal Medicine**

Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: 30 Years Performed IMEs: 10

Meyer N. Solny, MD, FACG, AGAF

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Specialty: Internal Medicine, Gastroenterology, Gastroenterology, gastrointestinal endoscopy, internal medicine, colonoscopy, colorectal, esophagus, gallbladder, intestines, pancreas, colon cancer, GERD, colitis, perforations, ischemic bowel, GI bleeding, inflammatory bowel disease, Crohn's, mesenteric ischemia. Board Certified Gastroenterologist and **Gastrointastinal Endoscopy** specialist. Columbia and Cornell trained clinician, Internal Medicine/ Gastroenterology practice, staff NY Presbyterian Hospital and Weill Cornell College o Medicine.

Years in Practice: 25+ IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 5 IME Training: SEAK

Xenophon P. Xenophontos, MD

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NORTH CAROLINA

Shawn K. Acheson, PhD

Clinical Neuroscience Services of Waynesville, NC Phone: (919) 768-2243 Additional Locations: Asheville, NC: Charlotte, NC; Greensboro, NC; Durham, NC Licenses: NC Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Clinical Neuropsychologist serving the piedmont and western North Carolina. Expertise in neuropsychological assessment, traumatic brain injury, stroke, dementia, PTSD, malingering, fitness for duty, return to work, return to play, competency, substance abuse,

somatoform disorder, conversion disorder, pseudo-seizures, and psychogenic movement disorders.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 15

Alvin K. Antony, MD

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Medicine, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Our team has completed over 200 IME at our 3 locations. We specialize in musculoskeletal issues and pain management issues surrounding the body and spine.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: Fellowship Trained in Spine and Sports at Cornell University/Hospital for Special Surgery

James Bellard, MD

Raleigh Psychiatric Associates Raleigh, NC Phone: (919) 787-7125 www.RaleighPsych.net Licenses: NC

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Board Cerified in General and Forensic Psychiatry. Extensive courtroom experience in 9 states and in Federal court, Civil and Criminal Evaluations, Medical Malpractice Reviews, Psychological Damages, Independent Medical **Evaluations, Review of Professional Board Complaints, Review of** Testamentary Capacity, Peer Reviews.

Years in Practice: 31 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 120 IME Training: SEAK

Thomas K. Carlton, III, MD

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Charlotte NC Phone: (704) 375-8900 TheRehabCenter.com Licenses: NC Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine Years in Practice: 23 Years Performed IMEs: 20 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Max Cohen, MD Spine IME (Spine & Scoliosis

Specialists) Greensboro, NC Phone: (336) 333-6308 SpineIME.com Licenses: NC Specialty: Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic Surgery, Specializing in Cervical, Thoracic and Lumbar Procedures, and revision surgery. Dr. Cohen has expertise in the following areas of spine surgery: Minimally invasive spine surgery, Microdiscectomy, Microlaminotomy/ foraminotomy, Minimally invasive fusion, Scoliosis surgery, Spinal fusion and instrumentation, Complex deformity surgery, Pedicle subtraction osteotomy (PSO), Imageguided surgery, Cervical and lumbar artificial disc replacement, X-stop procedure, Spinal cord stimulators Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 20

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O. Del Curling, Jr., MD, MBA

Neurosurgery & Pain Specialists of the Carolinas Winston Salem, NC Phone: (336) 409-4847 www.NeurosurgeryandPainSpecialists.

Licenses: NC

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Pain Management - Medicine, Over 30 years of experience performing IMEs for neurosurgical-related issues (brain, spine, and peripheral nerve injury). In addition to performing IMEs, Dr. Curling maintains an active clinical practice focused on the evaluation and nonoperative management of mild brain injury (concussion, headache, post concussive syndrome), in addition to providing both interventional and non-interventional treatment of neck and back pain, nerve injuries, and other painful conditions (e.g., CRPS) Years in Practice: 32

IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 32 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Joseph J. Estwanik, III, MD

Metrolina Orthopaedic & Sports Medicine Clinic, PA Cornelius, NC Phone: (704) 334-4663 Cell: (704) 604-0543 www.metrolinaorthopaedic.com Licenses: NC. FL.

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Sports Medicine, Sports medicine physician and orthopaedic specialist Joseph Estwanik, M.D. FACSM studied orthopaedic surgery at The Cleveland Clinic and Wake Forest University School of Medicine. Ringside Medicine

Years in Practice: 40+ Years Performed IMEs: 15+ IME Training: SEAK



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Board Certified/Fellowship Trained in Orthopedic Spine Surgery

Specialty Focus: Specializing in Cervical, Thoracic and Lumbar Procedures, and Revision surgery. Dr. Cohen has expertise in the following areas of spine surgery: •Minimally invasive spine surgery •Microdiscectomy •Microlaminotomy/foraminotomy •Minimally invasive fusion •Scoliosis surgery •Spinal fusion and instrumentation •Complex deformity surgery •Pedicle subtraction osteotomy (PSO) •Image-guided surgery •Cervical and lumbar artificial disc replacement •X-stop procedure •Spinal cord stimulators

Medical School: Medical College of Virginia License(s): NC

Years in Practice: 20 Years performing IMEs: 20

Joseph Guarino, MD, MPH, FACOEM, CIME

Reidsville, NC Phone: (336) 349-4070 Licenses: NC, VA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, General Practice, Board Certified in Occupational Medicine, and have practiced this specialty since 1989. Have received IME training through the American Board of Independent Medical Examiners and the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine. Certified Independent Medical Examiner. Extensive experience with determinations of work fitness and impairment.

Years in Practice: 25+ IMEs Performed: 350 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: ACOEM Please see ad on p. 60

Ashraf F. Guirgues, MD, FAAOS

Morehead City, NC
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Licenses: NC, NH, MI
Specialty: Spinal Medicine,
Orthopedic Surgery, Board Certified
Orthopedic Surgeon and Fellowship
trained Spine Surgeon. Actively
practicing surgical and non surgical

treatment of spinal disorders of the cervical, thoracic, and lumbar spine. Particularly enjoys minimally invasive spine surgery such as microdisectomy, and minimally invasive lumbar fusions. Performs epidural spinal injections.

Years in Practice: 17 IMEs Performed: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 1

William A. Huff, MD

Huff Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine Clinton, NC
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Cell: (910) 385-6352
www.huffortho.com
Licenses: NC, FL
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Sports Medicine
Years in Practice: 21
IMEs Performed: 20
Years Performed IMEs: 20
Times Deposed/Testified: 40

Seth L. Jaffe, D.O.

IME Solutions, PLLC Charlotte, NC Phone: (704) 619-2114 Licenses: NC, SC Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,

Board Certified, Fellowship trained Orthopedic Surgeon, in active practice since 1994. Specialty focus in Medical-Legal evaluations, IME's, Impairment and Disability Evaluations/Ratings, AMA Guidelines, Peer-Peer and medical file reviews, Video depositions and Expert testimony.

Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 200+ IME Training: SEAK

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SPORTS MEDICINE SOUTHPORT, NC Phone: (910) 454-8030 Cell: (910) 363-0715 Licenses: NC, NY OR, PA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, BOARFED IN GENERAL AND SPORTS MEDICINE

Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 700 Years Performed IMEs: 1.5 Times Deposed/Testified: 75 IME Training: SEAK

Henry Lepore, MD

Southeastern Medical, PA Sunset Beach, NC Phone: (910) 575-5750 southeasternmedicalpa.com Licenses: NC, NY, FL Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine Years in Practice: 24

IMEs Performed: 40 Years Performed IMEs: 4 IME Training: SEAK IME Certification: CIME

Fabienne Ransom, DO, MPH

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Specialty: Occupational Medicine

Years in Practice: 25 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME





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Occupational Medicine

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License(s): NC, VA

Years in Practice: 25+

10 years performing IMEs

400 IMEs performed

Deposed/Testified 20 times

IME Training: ACOEM and ABIME

Chad Ritterspach

Waxhaw, NC Phone: (704) 604-7224 Additional Locations: Waxhaw Licenses: North Carolina, South

Specialty: Disability Evaluations, Psychology, I focus on disability claims. I have worked for thirteen years completing disability evaluations for the states of NC and

IMEs Performed: 2000 Years Performed IMEs: 13 Please see ad on p. 61

Alicia L. Warlick, MD

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SC.

Specialty: Anesthesiology, Pain Management - Medicine, I am a board certified Anesthesiologist and i have over 20 years experience as well as a sub specialty in Acute Pain Medicine and nerve blocks (orthopedic surgery). I am a chief of my service in a large system including level one Trauma Center. I have decades of past and current experience in orthopedic trauma. Years in Practice: 24

OHIO

Ali Ajam, MD

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Specialty: Rheumatology, Board certified rheumatologist interested in musculoskeletal disorders complex diseases like scleroderma and enteropathic(Crohns and ulcerative colitis related) arthritis, also rheumatoid arthritis, gout, ankylosing spondylitis and lupus as well as fibromyalgia.

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 1 Years Performed IMEs: 1

James Apesos, MD

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Specialty: Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Hand Surgery

Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK IME Certification: Florida Expert Witness

Paul A. Deardorff, PhD

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Specialty: Forensic Psychology, Disability Evaluations, Independent Psychological Evaluations for work and non-work related issues.

Years in Practice: 29 Years Performed IMEs: 15

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Additional Locations: Santa Ana. California; Nashville, Tennessee; Ft

Lauderdale, Florida

Licenses: Ohio, California, Florida,

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, I have initiated start-up and maintenance of an occupational clinic for 13

years. I have performed injured worker care, urine and laboratory screens, DOT physicals and worked as a Medical Review Officer. I have performed Disability Examinations, Permanent Partial Exams **Independent Medical Examinations** (IMEs), Alternative Dispute Resolutions (ADRs) and file reviews for state government and third parties. I have performed over 5000 independent medical examinations over the past 22 years. Years in Practice: 28

IMEs Performed: >5000 Years Performed IMEs: 22

IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

ABIME

IME Certification: CIME



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Licenses: OH

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, Orthopedics and **Orthopedic Surgical Independent** Medical Examinations to also include joint and spine

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 10,000 Years Performed IMEs: 17

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Electrodiagnostic Medicine, General neurology, traumatic brain injury, concussion, spinal cord, neck and back injury, neurological damage resulting from medical errors.

Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 6 IME Training: SEAK

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Kemmler Orthopaedic Center Celina, OH

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Licenses: OH, IL, IN

Specialty: Orthopedics, General orthopaedics, focus on trauma, sports, hand

Years in Practice: 13 IMEs Performed: 150

Years Performed IMEs: 13 Times Deposed/Testified: 30

Audley M. Mackel, MD

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Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 200+

Years Performed IMEs: 8 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP

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Specialty: Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Emotional Trauma, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, PTSD, Traumatic Brain Injury, TBI, Head Injuries, Occupational Loss.

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exams, Industrial commission exams, IC exams, PTD and AA exams Years in Practice: 45

IMEs Performed: 100's Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 100's IME Training: IAIME/AADEP

IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP Please see ad on p. 62

Farbod Rastegar, MD

Mason, OH

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Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Board Certified Orthopedic Spine Surgeon, Dual Fellowship trained in Orthopedic and Neurological Spinal Surgery at the Cleveland Clinic. Specialize in spinal and general orthopedic IMEs, Second Opinions, Disability Evaluations, Chart Reviews, and as an Expert Witness. Prompt and punctual report submission. Provides expert reviews, evaluations, and testimonies for both claimants and defendants nationally that are logical, understandable and evidence based.

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Experience:

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- 100's IMEs performed
- Deposed/Testified 100's times

IME Certification: IAIMF/AADFP **IME Training: IAIME/AADEP**

Kevin L. Trangle, MD, MBA

Kevin Trangle & Associates Mayfield Heights, OH Phone: (216) 504-0400 www.independentmedicalexperts.com Additional Locations: Akron, OH; Columbus, OH Licenses: OH, FL, MN, WA Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Preventive Medicine, Workers Compensation: Extent of Impairment, MMI, Determination of Treatment, Permanent Partial, Total Impairment, Claims Allowance, **Industrial Commission Exams.** Motor Vehicle Accident: Extent of Impairment & Injuries, Appropriateness of Treatment, **Future Treatment & Cost** Projections, Employability & Work Status. Managed Care Organizations: Dispute Resolution, **Extent of Impairment, Return-to-**Work, Claim Allowance. Vocational Assessment: Return-to-Work. **Employability Level, Future Income** Years in Practice: 42 IMEs Performed: 1,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 21

Beverly J. Yamour, MD, FACC

Beverly Yamour, MD FACC Washington CH, OH Phone: (740) 333-7296 Licenses: OH, KY, WV Specialty: Cardiology -Cardiovascular Disease, Internal Medicine Years in Practice: 40+ Years Performed IMEs: 10+

OREGON

Howard Grattan, MD

Sandy, OR Phone: (503) 427-0118 Licenses: OR, WA, CA Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain **Management - Medicine** Years in Practice: 14 Times Deposed/Testified: 5

James R. Kopp

James R. Kopp, MD, PC Cove, OR Phone: (541) 963-9843 Cell: (541) 786-9607 koppmedical.com Licenses: OR, WA, ID, AZ Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Current main emphasis is on providing orthopedic medical expert

opinions. Fellowship in the International Association of Independent Medical Evaluators (IAIME - formerly ABIME) achieved in January of 2017. Years in Practice: 44 IMEs Performed: 10,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 225 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: CEDIR 5th and 6th IAIME (AADEP)

David P. Russo, DO, MPH, MS Columbia Pain Management, PC

Hood River, OR

Phone: (541) 386-9500 www.columbiapain.org Additional Locations: Hermiston, Oregon Licenses: OR, WA Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, All aspects of disability evaluation and treatment, including causation Analysis and review of iatrogenic harm caused by treatment for chronic pain syndromes Analysis and review of mistaken attribution of liability related to treatment of chronic pain syndromes Peer Review Years in Practice: 9

Years Performed IMEs: 4

Walter A. Smith, MD

WAS MD LLC Portland, OR

Phone: (503) 780-8007 Additional Locations: OR

Licenses: OR

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, General orthopedics Adult reconstruction Trauma Sports medicine

Years in Practice: 44 IMEs Performed: 1400 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 40 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,

and AAOS

PENNSYLVANIA

Akash D. Agarwal, MD Michael C. Raklewicz, MD & Associates, LLC Edwardsville, PA Phone: (888) 237-3933 Licenses: PA, MI, FL, NC Specialty: Neurosurgery, **Interventional Neuroradiology Spine** Cranial Years in Practice: 17 Years Performed IMEs: 8



IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM,

IME Certification: CIME, CICE

Robin A. Altman, MD

Reading, PA Phone: (610) 372-1901 www.robinaltmanmd.com

Licenses: PA

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, I am board certified in both adult and child and adolescent psychiatry and have been in practice for the past 20 years. I have experience in inpatient psychiatry, outpatient psychiatry, community based private practice, outpatient clinics, detention facilities and residential treatment facilities. I have been practicing forensic psychiatry for the past five years.

Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: 27 Years Performed IMEs: 5 IME Training: SEAK

Mikhail Artamonov, M.D. Ph.D.

MJA Healthcare Network East Stroudsburg, PA Phone: (570) 972-6778 www.MJAHealthCare.com Additional Locations: Delray Beach,

FL
Licenses: NY, NJ, PA, FL, AZ
Specialty: Pain Management Medicine, Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Life care
Planning, Medico-Financial
Summary, IREs-AMA Guides,
Depositions, Expert Testimony,
EMG/NCS, Work/Auto Injuries,
Pain and Addiction Management,
Back, Neck, Joints, RSD/CPRS,
Fibromyalgia, Chronic Pain
Syndrome, Chronic Fatigue
Syndrome, Cognitive dysfunction
due to previous Traumatic and non-

Medicine Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME

traumatic brain injuries, chronic

Medicine and Physiatry, Alternative

Lyme disease and co-infections,

Second Opinion in Orthopedic

Benjamin H. Bloom, M.D.

IME Certification: CIME

Benjamin H. Bloom, M.D. Wynnwood, PA Cell: (610) 405-8811 www.phillyeyedocs.com Licenses: PA

Specialty: Ophthalmology, Retinal Diseases Diabetic Retinopathy Macular Degeneration Laser

Surgery

Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: 50 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Training: SEAK

James F. Bonner, MD

Chester, PA Phone: (610) 490-3900 Additional Locations: Wilmington, DE & Philadelphia, PA Licenses: PA, DE, NJ Specialty: Physical Medicine &

Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine Years in Practice: 41

Years Performed IMEs: 35 Andrew J. Collier, MD

Philadelphia Orthopaedic Associates Philadelphia, PA Cell: (215) 334-3350 PHILADELPHIAORTHOPAEDIC ASSOCIATES.COM Licenses: PA, NJ

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, General orthopedic surgery, trauma, total joint replacements, workers' comp, motor vehicle accidents, arthroscopic surgery

Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: Thousands Years Performed IMEs: 37 Times Deposed/Testified: 700+

John Dailey, MD

Dailey Harvey Eye Associates Camp Hill, PA Phone: (717) 761-3011 daileyharveyeye.com Licenses: PA **Specialty: Ophthalmology** Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 65 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 3

Stanford S. Feinberg, MD

IME Training: SEAK

American Independent Medical Examiners, LLC wyomissing, PA Phone: (610) 378-5566 Additional Locations: Exton PA Licenses: PA, AZ Specialty: Neurology, Sleep Medicine, Performing Neurologic and Sleep Disorders IME services for the Central PA and Greater Philadelphia and western suburb areas. Specializing in: Traumatic Brain Injuries, Sleep Disorders, Headache, Peripheral Nerve Injuries, Sleep Apnea, Narcolepsy, CRPS, Fibromyalgia

Years in Practice: 32 IMEs Performed: 350+ Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 26 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

John R. Filip, MD, FAPWCA, FSVMB

King of Prussia, PA

Cell: (610) 659-7960
Licenses: PA
Specialty: Internal Medicine,
Cardiology - Cardiovascular Disease,
Atrial fibrillation, Anticoagulation,
Sudden Cardiac Death, Peripheral
Vascular Disease, Critical Limb
Ischemia, Ischemic Heart Disease,
Myocardial Infarction,
Cardiomyopathy, Myocardial
Contusion in MVA, Chest Pain, and
Heart Failure.

Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: 35 Years Performed IMEs: 3 Times Deposed/Testified: 30

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Joseph T. Hayes, MD

Hayes CTR Occupational Medicine, Hayes Pain and Addiction CTR East Norriton, PA Phone: (610) 633-6814 www.jthayesmd.com Licenses: PA

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Pain Management - Medicine, Board Certified in Occupational and Addiction Medicine. Advanced Certification in pain and Board certified in Medical Accupuncture. 38 years experience . Hundreds of high quality IME's. I have been assigned cases involving Occupational medicine, addiction medicine and complicated chronic Pain management. I am also qualified in opining on acupuncture. I am also qualified to make impairment ratings and disability determinations

determinations
Years in Practice: 38
IMEs Performed: 500+
Years Performed IMEs: 35
Times Deposed/Testified: 60
IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP,
ACOEM, ABIME
IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/
AADEP

Michael Jurenovich, DO, CIME, FAADEP, ABDA

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Phone: (888) 649-4805
Additional Locations: Niles, OH
Licenses: PA, OH
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Industrial Medicine, Orthopedic
Surgery, Peer Medical File Reviews,
Disability Evaluations, Workers'
Compensation IMEs

Compensation IMEs
Years in Practice: 21
IMEs Performed: 3,000
Years Performed IMEs: 11
Times Deposed/Testified: 400
IME Training: IAIME/AADEP,
ABIME, and American Board of
Disability Analysts
IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/
AADEP, and ABDA

Iqbal A. Khan, MD

Penn Neurology and Psychiatry Associates, PC Mountain top, PA Phone: (570) 678-2588 Cell: (570) 406-0725 Additional Locations: Moosic

Additional Locations: Moosic Licenses: Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia

Specialty: Neurology, Sleep Medicine, General Neurology- Sleep Medicine 26 years in neurology practice Clinical teaching faculty appointment since 12 years Geisinger Commonwealth School of medicine, Scranton, PA-Assistant Professor Attending neurologist Geisinger Community Medical center, Scranton a 375 bed hospital. 15 years experience in IMEs and depositions. 15 years experience in Disability evaluations for US Veterans.

Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 75 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 15 IME Certification: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology-Neurology, Certified

Philip Kim

Center for Interventional Pain & Spine Bryn Mawr, PA Phone: (844) 365-7246 www.centerisp.com Additional Locations: Exon, PA, Brandywine, DE, Newark, DE, Licenses: Pennsylvania and Delaware Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Anesthesiology, Dr. Kim is highly recognized for his specialty in neuromodulation therapies and intrathecal drug delivery systems. Dr. Kim is passionate about interventional approaches to pain management and increasing the quality of life for his patients. He is committed to offering patients options when they feel they have exhausted many of them. Years in Practice: 21

IMEs Performed: 300+ Years Performed IMEs: 20





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King of Prussia, Pennsylvania Additional States: New Jersey and New York Phone: 610-659-7960 Email: johnfilip@mac.com

Cardiovascular Disease Internal Medicine

Heart damage and complications in car accidents from the impact of seat belt and airbag explosion: heart contusion, new onset of heart failure, atrial and ventricular arrhythmia, new pulmonary hypertension, recent or remote myocardial infarction.

120 + IMEs performed Deposed/Testified: 90+

An award-winning, board certified, fellowship-trained, published physician specializing in cardiology and internal medicine. Extensive clinical and teaching experience. Experienced expert witness – has testified over 100 times.

Dr. Filip served residencies at the Medical University of Lodz in Poland and in Philadelphia at the Jefferson University Hospital. He completed Cardiology Fellowship at the Hahnemann University in Philadelphia. He worked as an Attending at the Bryn Mawr and Lankenau Hospitals. He served as Director of Bryn Mawr Wound Care and Vascular Center.

Board Certified. Published. Experienced in testifying in both plaintiff and defense areas.

Don A. Koenigsberg

Philadelphia, PA Phone: (215) 467-7212 Cell: (610) 574-9360 www.facebook.com/ KoenigsbergPainManagement Licenses: PA

Specialty: Pain Management - Medicine, Anesthesiology, specialize in interventional pain management. Expertise in conditions of the spine including disc herniations, spinal stenosis, sciatica, etc. Also related conditions including CRPS are managed. I perform IMEs on injuries including Workman's Comp and Motor Vehicle Accidents, etc.

Years in Practice: 34 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 1+ Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Daniel V. Loesch, MD

Tri-State Neurological Surgeons, PC Erie, PA

Phone: (814) 459-1013

Licenses: PA, NY, MI, OH Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Spine, Head Injury, Spine/ Spinal Cord, Trauma, Chronic Pain

Years in Practice: 25

IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 18 Times Deposed/Testified: 60 IME Training: SEAK

IME Training: SEAK Please see ad on this page

Michael C. Raklewicz, MD

Kingston, PA Phone: (888) 237-3933 www.drraklewicz.net Licenses: PA

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, Specialties include Knees, Hips, Neck, Back, Lower Extremities and Official Disability Guidelines

Years in Practice: 40+ IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 20 Please see ad on p. 66

Jennifer Repanshek, MD

Gladwyne, PA
Cell: (570) 417-1768
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Additional Locations: Philadelphia, PA
Licenses: PA

Specialty: Emergency Medicine, Emergency, Trauma, Toxicology, Respiratory distress, Cardiac, Standard of care, Stroke, Procedural education, Airway management, Wound management, Sepsis

Years in Practice: 12

Randall N. Smith, MD

Richard H. Kaplan, MD, PC Philadelphia, PA Phone: (215) 333-9999

rhkmd.com

Additional Locations: Philadelphia

Licenses: PA

Specialty: Orthopedics, Pain Management - Medicine, Evaluation of orthopedic injuries and pain management with training and experience in treatment of traumatic injuries. Operating general orthopedic surgeon for 23 years specializing in trauma.

Years in Practice: 41 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 30 Times Deposed/Testified: 1000+

David T. Springer, MD

Newtown Square, PA Phone: (610) 891-9311 Cell: (610) 368-4734

Additional Locations: Chadds Ford,

PA

Licenses: PA DE

Specialty: Psychiatry, I have extensive experience in clinical and forensic psychiatry, performing hundreds of forensic evaluations, including IME, disability determination, return to work and workers' comp evaluations. I have

been an expert witness in dozens of civil cases involving victims of sexual abuse, employment issues, malpractice defense, etc. I have been deposed many times and testified in court on several occasions. I pride myself on providing thorough accurate reports responsive to referral questions.

Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 125 Years Performed IMEs: 30+ Times Deposed/Testified: 15

Daniel V. Loesch, MD

Tri-State Neurological Surgeons, PC Erie, Pennsylvania

Phone: 814-440-2755 Email: danlsch@aol.com

Neurosurgery & Spinal Medicine

Specialty Focus: Spine, Head Injury, Spine/Spinal Cord, Trauma, Chronic Pain

Years in Practice: 25

License(s): PA, NY, MI, OH

Experience:

- 25 years performing IMEs
- 100 IMEs performed
- Deposed/Testified 60 times

IME Training: SEAK





Michael C Raklewicz, MD

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Orthopedic Surgeon

Knees, Hips, Neck, Back, Lower Extremities and Official Disability Guidelines

40+ Years in Practice
20 Years Performing IMEs
1000+ IMEs Performed

Gabriela M. Yurkanin

Yurkanin Foot & Ankle Reconstructive Center

Plains, PA

Phone: (570) 283-3222 Cell: (570) 417-4065

Www.yurkaninfootandankle.com

Licenses: PA

Specialty: Foot & Ankle, Podiatry -Podiatric Surgery, Greater than 14 years specializing in Reconstructive surgery of the foot and ankle, trauma, nerve injuries, Charcot foot and ankle deformities and sports medicine injuries. Specialize in treatment of chronic wounds, osteomyelitis and diabetic foot complications.

Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK

Ramin Zand

Harrisburg, PA Phone: (717) 312-7949 Cell: (901) 258-2442 www.strokeexperts.org/contact Licenses: PA, TN, MS, VA, OH, NJ,

Specialty: Neurology, Ischemic stroke, Hemorrhagic Stroke, Anoxic brain injury, Traumatic Brain Injury, Cerebral venous thrombosis, Headaches, Migraines, Idiopathic intracranial hypertension (IIH), Intracranial aneurysm, Moya Moya disease, Patent foramen ovale, Carotid disease, Interventional Neurology, Tele neurology Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 7 IME Training: SEAK

PUERTO RICO

Joanne Gonzalez-Feliciano, MD

Bayamon, PR Phone: (787) 212-8289 Licenses: Florida and Puerto Rico Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Board

Certified (ABPMR)
Years in Practice: 21
Years Performed IMEs: 15
IME Training: ABIME, and AMA 5th and 6th editions

RHODE ISLAND

Pradeep Chopra, MD, MHCM Center for Complex Conditions Pawtucket, RI Cell: (401) 316-1208 www.painri.com

Additional Locations: RI

Licenses: RI

Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Graduated from Harvard Medical School with Residency in Anesthesia and Critical Care medicine and Pain Medicine. I have over 2 decades of experience in complex medical conditions. Extensive experience in Complex Regional Pain Syndrome (CRPS) previously known as RSD. I have multiple publications and awards on CRPS. I have been a speaker on CRPS internationally. I have been teaching on the subject of CRPS and complex medical conditions at Harvard and now Brown Medical School.

Years in Practice: 22 IMEs Performed: 400 Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 10

John W. Golberg, M.D.

Independent Orthopaedics & Consulting LLC
Wakefield, RI
Cell: (401) 203-7558
Additional Locations: Wakefield
Licenses: R.I., Ma., Az., Fl.
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Orthopedic Surgery, Concierge
orthopaedic practice; minimally

invasive procedures and office orthopaedics, Consultant to the insurance industry, medical-legal, personal injury, workers compensation for case reviews and IME exams

Years in Practice: 30+ Years Performed IMEs: 3+ IME Training: SEAK

SOUTH CAROLINA

Scott Cygan

Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System (Corporate Health Division) Spartanburg, SC Phone: (864) 560-9651 Additional Locations: Greer, SC Licenses: South Carolina Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Aerospace Medicine, Board-certified occupational medicine physician and provides medical expertise to **Spartanburg Regional Health** System Corporate Health division. Conducts independent medical exams (IMEs). Performs preplacement, surveillance, DOT, and NFPA history and physicals within

current guidelines. Completes fit-for-

duty and return to work evaluations.

injuries and illnesses with emphasis

Manages workers compensation



on early return to work and importance of employment to overall well-being and health.

Years in Practice: 10 IMEs Performed: 75 IME Training: SEAK, ABIME IME Certification: CIME

John P. Evans, MD

Foothills Orthopaedics and Sports Medicine Piedmont, SC Cell: (864) 906-8395 www.foothillsortho.com Licenses: SC, NC, FL, WV, GA, TN,

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Hand Surgery, Dr. Evans has over thirty years of orthopaedic practice emphasizing the upper extremity. He has treated all musculoskeletal complaints, including foot, knee, hip, back, and neck symptoms. Dr. Evans is in active surgical practice. His office staff is positioned to handle your IME request swiftly and efficiently with a short reporting time. Dr. Evans has performed IMEs for private and governmental clients and is a Certified Medical and Legal Evaluator

Years in Practice: 41 IMEs Performed: 150 Years Performed IMEs: 31 Times Deposed/Testified: 10 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP

Nancy Lembo, DO

Carolina Spine & Sport Rehabilitation Specialists, P.A. Summerville, SC Phone: (843) 569-5421 Additional Locations: Columbia, SC Licenses: SC Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Fellowship

Trained Interventional Spine, Pain Medicine, and Sport Medicine. Board Certified, ABPMR Board Certified, Pain Medicine Board Certified, Sports Medicine Years in Practice: 23 Years Performed IMEs: 20 IME Training: ABIME

Mark A. Rowley, M.D. Myrtle Beach, SC

Phone: (336) 906-9622 markarowleymd.com Additional Locations: Roanoke, Virginia Licenses: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Florida. Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopaedic Surgery, Independent **Medical Examinations, Causation** and Work Capacity. Located in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Mark A. Rowley, M.D. board-certified orthopaedic surgeon. Full time clinical practice. Residency and fellowship training at Wake Forest University and The Johns Hopkins School of Medicine. Licensed in VA, NC, SC and FL. Fellow of the

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and Member of the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM,

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Joseph P. Tobin, MD, F.A.A.O.S. AAOS

Hilton Head, SC Phone: (843) 342-9100 HiltonHeadorthopedics.com Additional Locations: Savannah and Pooler, Georgia Licenses: South Carolina, Georgia

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, **Orthopedics**, General Orthopaedics with special interest in sports Medicine, hip and knee replacements and arthroscopic surgery, shoulder surgery, hand surgery, elbow surgery, ankles surgery, fractures, injuries to bones, muscles or joints. Neck and back

Years in Practice: 19 IMEs Performed: 675 Years Performed IMEs: 17 Times Deposed/Testified: 250

SOUTH DAKOTA

Douglas W. Martin, MD

Dakota Dunes, SD Phone: (605) 217-2734 Cell: (712) 251-0097 www.ama-assn.org/delivering-care/ ama-guides/douglas-w-martin-md Licenses: IA, NE, SD, ND Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Family Medicine, Musculoskeletal Injuries, Disability Evaluations, Causation Analysis, Impairment Ratings, Worker's Compensation including state and federal systems Years in Practice: 28 IMEs Performed: 3000 Years Performed IMEs: 28 Times Deposed/Testified: 250 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP,

IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/ AADEP, and Certified Evaluator of Disability and Impairment Rating

TENNESSEE

Keith A. Caruso, MD

Years in Practice: 25

Keith A. Caruso, MD Brentwood, TN Phone: (615) 844-6148 Cell: (615) 403-5100 keithcarusomd.com Licenses: TN, KY, AL, NC, MS, GA Specialty: Forensic Psychiatry, Psychiatry, Assessment of psychiatric disorders and resulting disability in adults for civil and criminal courts.

IMEs Performed: >2000 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 160 IME Training: Forensic Psychiatry Fellowship, Military Residency IME Certification: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (Forensic Psychiatry)

David A. Garcia, DO

Belcourt Aesthetics and Wellness Nashville, TN Phone: (614) 427-9296 Cell: (614) 327-5661 Additional Locations: Columbus, Ohio; Santa Ana, California; Ft Lauderdale, Florida Licenses: Tennessee, Ohio, Florida,

California, Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Disability Evaluations, I have initiated a start-up and maintenance of an occupational clinic for 13 years. I have performed injured worker care, urine and serum laboratory screens, and worked as a Medical Review Officer. I have performed Disability Examinations, Permanent Partial Exams, **Independent Medical Examinations** (IMÊs), Alternative Dispute Resolutions (ADRs), and file reviews for government and third parties. I have performed over 5000

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 5000+ Years Performed IMEs: 23 IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, IME Certification: CIME

independent medical examinations

over the past 22 years.

David H. Hauge, MD FAANS FACS

Neuro-Care Resources and Consulting PLLC Knoxville, TN Phone: (865) 604-1679 www.neurocareconsulting.com Licenses: TN Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Spine surgery /peripheral

Neuro-oncology/Gamma Knife radiosurgery Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 33

nerve Workers Compensation

Times Deposed/Testified: 100 Please see ad on p. 68

William E. Kennedy, MD

Jonesborough, TN Phone: (423) 753-3161 Licenses: TN Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spine Years in Practice: 38 IMEs Performed: 4,000+ Years Performed IMEs: 38 Times Deposed/Testified: 1,500+

IME Training: Multiple SEAK Courses and ABIME Courses 1996-2008 IME Certification: CIME

James P. Little, MD

Southern Rehabilitation Group, PLLC Chattanooga, TN Phone: (423) 510-0092 Cell: (423) 341-1336 www.southernrehabgroup.com Licenses: TN, VA, KY, GA Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, **Electrodiagnostic Medicine** Years in Practice: 30+ IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 25

IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Douglas C. Mathews, MD, FACS

Howell Allen Clinic Nashville, TN Phone: (615) 327-9543 Cell: (615) 519-4559 Licenses: TN

Specialty: Neurosurgery, Spinal Medicine, Board Certified in **Neurosurgery, Minimally Invasive** and Complex Spine, Traumatic Brain and Spine Injuries, Motor Vehicle Injuries, Work Related **Injuries**

Years in Practice: 30 IMEs Performed: 125 Years Performed IMEs: 24 Times Deposed/Testified: 75 IME Training: SEAK

H. James Wiesman, MD

Columbia Orthopedic Clinic Columbia, TN Phone: (931) 388-3104

www.columbiaorthopedicclinic.com

Licenses: TN

Specialty: Orthopedics, Orthopedic Surgery

Years in Practice: 37 IMEs Performed: 400+ Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 400 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, **ABIME**

IME Certification: CIME Please see ad on p. 69

TEXAS

Charlotte Akor, MD

Corpus Christi, TX Phone: (325) 261-3131 www.drcharlotteakor.com Licenses: TX, GA, SC, MT, ND, WV Specialty: Ophthalmology, Expert in most areas of ophthalmology including pediatric ophthalmology, general ophthalmology, ophthalmic surgery, ocular injury, and ocular trauma. I also perform DBQ and write Nexus letters.

Years in Practice: 17 IMEs Performed: 2 Years Performed IMEs: 3 Times Deposed/Testified: 3 IME Training: The IME ACADEMY with Dr. Emily Woolcock





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www.neurocareconsulting.com

Neurosurgery Spinal Medicine

Spine surgery /peripheral nerve Workers Compensation Neuro-oncology/Gamma Knife radiosurgery

Experience:

- 33 years performing IMEs
 - 100 IMEs performed
- Deposed/Testified 100 times



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Practice Administrator: Crystal Thompson Email: cthompson@southernrehabgroup.com

Board Certified in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (ABPMR)

Certified in Electrodiagnostic Medicine (ABEM)

Certified Independent Medical Examiner (ABIME)

License(s): TN, VA, KY, GA

Years in Practice: 30+

25 Years Performing IMEs

1000+ IMEs Performed

IME Certification: CIME

IME Training: ABIME

H. James Wiesman Jr., MDABOS, FAAOS

Columbia Orthopedic Clinic Columbia, Tennessee Phone: 931-388-3104

Email: office@columbiaorthoclinic.com

Orthopedic Surgery

40 Years in Practice

20+ Years Performing IMEs

400+ IMEs performed

Deposed/Testified 300+ times

IME Certification: CIME, ABIME

IME Training: IAIME/AADEP and ABIME

Elena Arizmendez, MD

RehabAustin & Wound Care Clinic

Austin, TX

Phone: (512) 401-3165 www.rehabaustin.com

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, Wound Care & Post Amputation Care, IME, Personal injury,

Electrodiagnostic Medicine, Expert Medical Witness, Physiatrist.

Years in Practice: 20 Years Performed IMEs: 10 IME Training: SEAK

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Terry J. Beal, MD

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Www.beatomopaeut.com
Licenses: TX, MI
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, U.S.
Department of Labor- Office of
Workers Compensation Exams:
DOL OWCP Impairment Ratings,
2nd opinions & Referee Exams.
Trained in 4th, 5th & 6th AMA
Guides Worker's Compensation
Exams -many states.
Years in Practice: 40

IMEs Performed: 1500 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 35 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ARIME

Richard M. Blecha, MD

Complex Orthopaedic Evaluations Inc.

Austin, TX

Phone: (512) 807-0667 Licenses: TX, FL

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spine Surgery, IME's, Injury Plaintiff/Defense, Workers

Compensation, Disability, Record Review

Years in Practice: 25+ IMEs Performed: 3000

Years Performed IMEs: 15+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP

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William D. Boyd, Ph.D.

William Boyd, Ph.D., PLLC Austin, TX

Cell: (303) 884-4677

Additional Locations: Denver, Colorado

Licenses: CO

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Brain Injury Medicine, Ph.D., ABN in Neuropsychology, Specialized in Mild Traumatic Brain Injury, (Concussions) and Post Concussion Syndrome. Author of "Post Concussion Syndrome: An Evidence Base Approach." Extensive

experience in Pain Rehabilitation. Years in Practice: 39 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 29

Times Deposed/Testified: 25+IME Training: SEAK

Jeffrey E. Budoff, MD

SoutWest Orthopedic Group

Houston, TX Phone: (713) 800-1120

ReArmYourselfTexas.com

Additional Locations: Pearland, Sugar

Land, Katy

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Hand Surgery,
Orthopedic Surgery, Dr. Budoff is
an experienced, well-published,
Board Certified Orthopedic Surgeon
specializing in the Upper Extremity
(Hand, Wrist, Elbow & Shoulder).
He has a CAQ (certificate of
additional qualifications) in Hand
Surgery. CV available upon request.
He has extensive experience with:
Carpal tunnel syndrome, cubital
tunnel syndrome, hand & wrist pain,
sports injuries, fractures,

dislocations, arthritis, tendon

injuries, tennis elbow, shoulder

instability, rotator cuff injuries & labral repairs.

Years in Practice: 24 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 23 Times Deposed/Testified: 20

Benjamin S. Burris, MD, MS

Garland, TX Cell: (972) 859-0282 Licenses: Texas

Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Dr. Burris is board-certified in occupational medicine and has years

of experience performing: Independent Medical Examinations (IMEs), Certification of Maximum Medical Improvement (MMI) and Impairment Ratings (IR), Disability evaluations, and Return to Work evaluations. He provides thorough, high-quality reports for clients with

a quick turn-around time. Years in Practice: 11 IMEs Performed: 4000 Years Performed IMEs: 5 Times Deposed/Testified: 2 IME Training: SEAK

IME Certification: Board Certified in Occupational Medicine

www.imedirectory.com



Elena Arizmendez, MD

RehabAustin & Wound Care Clinic Austin, Texas

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Email: mearizmendez@rehabaustin.com

Website: www.rehabaustin.com

Electrodiagnostic Medicine Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry

Specialty Focus: Wound Care & Post Amputation Care, IME, Personal injury, Electrodiagnostic

Medicine, Expert Medical Witness, Physiatrist.

Years in Practice: 20

15 years performing IMEs

IME Training: SEAK

Dr. Arizmendez is a Mayo Trained Board-Certified Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Physician whose practice focuses on providing state of the art rehabilitation care to patients with a wide spectrum of Neurologic Disorders, Peripheral Vascular Disease including those at high risk for amputation, and general Muscle skeletal care.



Richard M. Blecha, MD

Complex Orthopaedic Evaluations, Inc blechaortho@gmail.com

Orthopedic Surgeon

Practice expertise in **lumbar spine surgery**, **hip and knee replacement**, and **general orthopaedics**.

Licensed: Texas and Florida
25+ Years in Practice
Liability and Disability
State and Federal Workers Compensation Expertise
Impairment Ratings Using AMA Guides.

Board Certified American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery, Fellow American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, Fellow North American Spine Society.

Qualified Medical Examiner, CA
Discussant Stanford University, Preceptor State University of New York, Upstate Medical University.

Extensive file review experience.

15+ years performing IMEs
 3,000 IMEs performed
 Deposed/Testified 50+ times
 IME Training: SEAK and AADEP

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Jacksonville, FL (904) 206-4141

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Robert Collins, Ph.D., ABPP

Neurocognitive Specialty Group Missouri City, TX Phone: (888) 606-0086

www.neurocognitivespecialtygroup.

com

Additional Locations: Texas, Louisiana, Kansas, Mississippi, Virginia, Florida

Licenses: Texas, Florida, Kansas, Virginia, Mississippi, Louisiana

Specialty: Neuropsychology,
Psychology, Board Certified in
Clinical Neuropsychology
(ABPP/CN) with clinical and
research experience in the cognitive
and psychiatric sequelae following
traumatic brain injury,
neurodegenerative disease, epilepsy,
and cancer treatments. Dr. Collins is

and cancer treatments. Dr. Collins is an authority in factors related to test taking validity. Dr. Collins has extensive experience conducting objective, data-driven Independent Neuropsychological Evaluations for

both insurance and forensic referral

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 500 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 5

sources.

Steven M. Croft, M.D.

Houston, TX Phone: (713) 772-7300 www.doctorcroft.com

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Neurology, Experience in Adult Neurology including stroke, traumatic brain injury, epilepsy, movement disorders, dementia, radiculopathies, and neuropathies. Years in Practice: 32

Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 20-30 IME Training: SEAK

Stephen De Young, M.D.

Southwest Orthopedic Group Sugar Land, TX Phone: (281) 494-1314

www.stephendeyoungmd.com Licenses: Texas

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedics, General Orthopedics, surgical and nonsurgical treatment of the lower back, hips, shoulders and extremities

Years in Practice: 36 Years Performed IMEs: 36 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: CDE

Varsha R. Gillala, DO

Recovery & Goals, PLLC Midland, TX

Phone: (432) 614-0350 www.recovery-goals.com Additional Locations: Odessa, TX

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry

Years in Practice: 5 Years Performed IMEs: 2 IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

P Mark Glencross, MD MPH FACOEM FAAPMR

College Station, TX Phone: (979) 393-0161 Additional Locations: Houston and College Station, Texas Licenses: FL, GA, KS, LA, NC, OH, OK, TX, VA Specialty: Occupational Medicine, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation -Physiatry, Board Certified: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation, Occupational Medicine, and Sports Medicine (CAQ). Residencies: Univ. of Michigan, Harvard Univ. and Siskin Hospital for Rehabilitation. Fellowship: Harvard Univ. Technical: musculoskeletal

ultrasound, electrodiagnosis (EMG/NCS), interventional pain and

manual medicine. Other certifications: Senior Aviation Medical Examiner (FAA), offshore Oil and Gas (OGUK), Medical Review Officer, NRCME (DOT), and Texas (TDI-DWC) Designated Doctor.

Years in Practice: 33 IMEs Performed: 1000+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: SEAK, IAIME/AADEP, ACOEM, ABIME

IME Certification: IAIME/AADEP

Larry T. Johnson, MD, FACS, FAAOS, FICS Orthopaedic Surgery, Trauma, Sports Injuries

Dallas, Texas (214) 333-4200

ljohnsonerwin@outlook.com

Orthopedic Surgery

Years in Practice: 40

15 Years performing IMEs

IME Training: ABIME

License(s): GA, TX, CA, TN, MI, WA



William J. Holden, PhD

Professional Evaluation & Therapy Services

Austin, TX

Phone: (512) 639-4254

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Neuropsychological and Psychological evaluations of children, adults and geriatrics for brain related disorders including stroke, head injury, dementia, developmental delays ADHD/LD, anoxic/hypoxic events and neuropsychiatric conditions including post-traumatic stress and personal injury sequela. Records review and assessment of symptom validity and malingering. Over 20 years of experience conducting neuropsychological evaluations, psychological evaluations and IMEs. Years in Practice: 30

Years Performed IMEs: 6

Larry T. Johnson, MD

Dallas, TX

Phone: (214) 333-4200 Licenses: Ga. Tx. Ca. Tn. Mi Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery

Years in Practice: 40 Years Performed IMEs: 15 IME Training: ABIME

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Timothy Larson, MD

Denton Hand & Orthopedics Denton TX Phone: (940) 299-4263 www.dentonhand.com Licenses: TX, OH

Specialty: Hand Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery with subspecialty certification of Surgery of the Hand. Primary clinical focus is upper extremity orthopedic and nerve compression disorders. Completed Microsurgery Course at Indiana University.

Years in Practice: 9 IME Training: SEAK

Aaron M. Levine, MD

Houston, TX Phone: (281) 484-8123 Licenses: TX, MI

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Pain Management - Medicine, Musculoskeletal, Neurological

Disorders

Years in Practice: 45 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 60 IME Training: IAIME/AADEP, ABIME, and Texas Designated Doctor IME Certification: CIME, IAIME/ AADEP, and Certified Medicolegal examiner, Texas Designated Doctor

Robert Nocerini, MD

Plano, TX

Phone: (925) 389-0790

Licenses: TX

Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Currently in active full time Pain Management practice. I perform cervical, thoracic, and lumbar epidural steroid injections. cervical, thoracic, and lumbar facet joint injections/medial branch nerve blocks, facet radiofrequency ablation, spinal cord stimulation, occipital nerve blocks, sacroiliac joint injections and other large joint injections for chronic pain. Years in Practice: 26 Times Deposed/Testified: 40 IME Training: SEAK

Ogadinma Obie

Houston, TX Phone: (832) 643-0167

Additional Locations: Houston

Licenses: TX, CA

Specialty: Emergency Medicine, Primary areas of expertise include acute care, critical care, trauma, cannabinoid/endocannabinoid health sciences, emergency psychiatry, pediatric critical care, pediatric emergency care, ambulatory pediatric medicine, emergency medical services, sexual assault, workman's compensation, veteran medical benefits, autism spectrum disorders, comfort care and palliative medicine.

Years in Practice: 14 IME Training: SEAK

Stephen J. Ringel, M.D.

Stephen J. Ringel M.D. PA SUGAR LAND, TX Phone: (979) 282-2786 Cell: (806) 576-9191 sjringelmd.com

Additional Locations: Houston, Austin,

Lubbock

Licenses: Texas, Mississippi Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, General orthopaedic surgery, personal injury and work related injuries

Years in Practice: 35+ IMEs Performed: 200+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 20+ IME Training: IAIME/AADEP IME Certification: Texas Dept. of Insurance WC dicision

Lige B. Rushing, Jr., MD, MS

Lige B. Rushing, Jr., MD, PA Dallas, TX Phone: (214) 368-3611 Licenses: TX, NC

Specialty: Rheumatology, Internal Medicine, Board Certified. Fibromyalgia, lupus, nursing home, medical malpractice, geriatrics, testimony, hospital, disability, breast implants, adverse drug reactions Years in Practice: 20+

IMEs Performed: 1 000+ Years Performed IMEs: 20 Times Deposed/Testified: 300+ IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

Neal C. Small, M.D.

Orthopedic Expert Services, LLC

Dallas, TX Phone: (214) 414-9447 www.orthoexpertservices.com Licenses: Texas, Oklahoma, Idaho Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Neal C. Small, M.D. the principal and founder of Orthopedic Expert Services, LLC has been in orthopedic surgery practice for over 35 years. Dr. Small has performed over 15,000 orthopedic surgical procedures. Dr. Small has published over 25 articles in refereed orthopedic journals. Dr. Small has performed hundreds of independent medical evaluations (IME's) and thousands of medical

file reviews. He has provided expert

opinions via reports, depositions and

courtroom appearances nationwide. Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: Hundreds Years Performed IMEs: 35 Times Deposed/Testified: 75 IME Training: SEAK

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Nicholas M. Wisdom, Ph.D., **ABPP**

Neurocognitive Specialty Group League City, TX Phone: (888) 606-0086 www.neurocognitivespecialtygroup.

Additional Locations: Houston; Austin; Tampa; New Orleans; Kansas City; Seattle, Pensacola Licenses: Kansas, Texas, Florida,

Washington, Louisiana Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Board Certified in

Clinical Neuropsychology (ABPP/CN) with a focus in adult neuropsychological assessment including populations with traumatic brain injury, neurodegenerative disease, stroke, epilepsy, cancer, and psychiatric disorders.

Years in Practice: 13 IMEs Performed: 350 Years Performed IMEs: 7 Times Deposed/Testified: 15

Sharna L. Wood, Ph.D.

Assess Texas PLLC Cleburne, TX Phone: (800) 650-4990 Cell: (817) 300-3825 www.assesstexas.com Additional Locations: Texas Licenses: TX

Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Psychological and neuropsychological assessment encompassing a wide range of disorders, including brain injury, organic brain disorders, dementias, MVC, TBI, mTBI, PTSD, and many others. Well-versed in disability, rehabilitation, and ERISA. Testified over 40 times in deposition, bench, and jury trials since June 2014. Years in Practice: 14 IMEs Performed: 100+ Years Performed IMEs: 11 Times Deposed/Testified: >40 IME Training: SEAK IME Certification: Thousands of SSDI

UTAH

David L. Moulton, MD, MBA

& vocational rehabilitation cases

Adjunct Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, University of Utah Park City, UT Phone: (435) 252-3553 Licenses: Utah, Nevada Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Occupational Psychiatry areas of focus include fitness for duty evaluations, disability evaluations, overseas screening, correction of military records, VAclaims, medical logistics, and transgender integration.

Years in Practice: 20+ IMEs Performed: 500+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 20+

Jeffrey G. Randle, MD

Salt Lake Orthopaedic Clinic Salt Lake City, UT Phone: (801) 262-8486 www.SLOC.com Licenses: Utah

Specialty: Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Spinal Medicine, Electrodiagnostic Medicine, Neuromuscular Disorders, Pain Management/Medicine, Conservative Spinal, Electromyography, Disability

Evaluation, Epideral Injections Years in Practice: 18 IMEs Performed: 500

Years Performed IMEs: 16 Times Deposed/Testified: 40

Joseph E. Tonna, MD, MS University of Utah Health

Salt Lake City, UT Cell: (415) 347-6336 healthcare.utah.edu/fad/mddetail. php?physicianID=u0984719&name=joseph-

Licenses: UT

Specialty: Critical Care Medicine, **Emergency Medicine, cardiac** conditions, heart conditions, extracorporeal membrane oxygenation, ECMO, extracorporeal life support, ECLS, mechanical circulatory support, MCS, intraaortic balloon pump, IABP, walking, therapy, ventricular assist device, pVAD, cardiothoracic surgery, emergency medicine, intensive care, ICU, ventilation

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 2 Years Performed IMEs: 2 Times Deposed/Testified: 4



Orthopedic Surgery and Spine



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Neal C. Small, M.D. is the principal and founder of Orthopedic Expert Services, LLC and has been in orthopedic surgery practice for over 35 years.

Performed over 15,000 orthopedic surgical procedures.

Published over 25 articles in refereed orthopedic journals.

Performed hundreds of IMEs and thousands of medical file reviews.

Provided expert opinions via reports, depositions & courtroom appearances nationwide.

Past president of the Arthroscopy Association of North America.

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Michael Armstrong, MD

Richmond ENT Richmond, VA Phone: (804) 330-5501 Cell: (804) 437-3687 www.RichmondENT.com Licenses: VA

Specialty: Otolaryngology, Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, Dr.
Armstrong is board-certified in otolaryngology (ear, nose and throat) and in facial plastic and reconstructive surgery. He performs independent medical examinations for hearing loss, tinnitus, vertigo, hoarseness and facial injuries following accidents, military service, 3M Combat Arms Earplugs, explosions, hazardous noise and other trauma. He has extensive experience in depositions and courtroom testimony.

Years in Practice: 25 IMEs Performed: 40 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 30 IME Training: SEAK

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Vivian L. Begali, PsyD, LCP, FACPN-ABN, ABPP

Neuropsychology & Psychological Healthcare Richmond, VA Phone: (804) 728-2964 Cell: (804) 314-3573 www.Drvivianbegali.com Additional Locations: North Chesterfield Licenses: VA

Licenses: VA Specialty: Neuropsychology, Psychology, Dr. Begali is a licensed clinical psychologist and is double board certified. She has over 25 years of clinical experience in the treatment and neuropsychological assessment of neurological and psychiatric conditions (dementia, concussion/TBI, stroke, MS, PTSD, toxic exposure, pain, WC work injury). Neuropsychological IMEs are used to qualify and quantify dysfunction for disability determination, capacity assessment, fitness for duty, security clearance, and medico-legal cases. IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 15 Times Deposed/Testified: 40 IME Training: SEAK, and National Academy of Neuropsychology

IME Certification: SEAK

Lawrence F. Cohen, M.D. COMMONWEALTH MEDICAL

REVIEW Richmond, VA Phone: (804) 350-9804 Licenses: VIRGINIA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Orthopedic surgery

Spinal surgery Years in Practice: 35 IMEs Performed: 100 Years Performed IMEs: 28 Times Deposed/Testified: 100 IME Training: SEAK

Jasdeep S. Dalawari, MD FACC FSCAI

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Specialty: Cardiology -Cardiovascular Disease, Disability Evaluations, Dr. Dalawari is a General, Interventional, and Vascular Cardiologist with over ten years of experience in the industry. He is a Professor of Interventional Cardiology at The University of Pikeville in Kentucky. He is board certified in multiple medical specialties including Interventional Cardiology, Cardiovascular Disease, Nuclear Cardiology, Vascular Medicine, Endovascular Medicine, Internal Medicine, and Emergency Medicine. He enjoys IMEs and cardiovascular disability examinations.

Years in Practice: 10
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Mike Armstrong, MD

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Hearing Loss • Tinnitus • Facial Trauma Sinusitis • Allergies • Smell

Dr. Armstrong is an ear, nose, throat and facial plastic surgeon with more than 25 years of experience. SEAK trained, and with courtroom experience, Dr. Armstrong has been retained in over 250 legal consultations, including remote and personal independent medical examinations for cancer, facial trauma, hoarseness, sinusitis, loss of smell, hearing loss, tinnitus, and vertigo following motor vehicle accidents, mold exposure, noise exposure and other trauma.

Certified: American Board of Otolaryngology
American Board of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
Fellow of the American Academy of Otolaryngic Allergy
Education: Princeton University, Duke Medical School, Johns Hopkins Hospital



Jasdeep S. Dalawari, MD FACC FSCAI

Richmond, Virginia

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Cardiology - Cardiovascular Disease Disability Evaluations



Dr. Dalawari is a General, Interventional, and Vascular Cardiologist with over ten years of experience in the industry. He is a Professor of Interventional Cardiology at The University of Kentucky and The University of Pikeville.

He is board certified in multiple medical specialties including Interventional Cardiology, Cardiovascular Disease, Nuclear Cardiology, Vascular Medicine, Endovascular Medicine, Internal Medicine, and Emergency Medicine. He enjoys performing IMEs and cardiovascular disability examinations.

Licenses: VA, KY, IL, OR, TN, IO, PA, NY, FL, AZ, ND, SD, NE, OK, OH, HI, AK, WA, NC, ID, WI

Years in Practice: 10+

Ronald O. Forbes, M.D.

Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Midlothian, VA

Phone: (804) 678-8983 Licenses: VA

Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Board Certified in General Psychiatry. Extensive experience in behavioral health, medication management and addiction medicine. Fifteen Years as hospital medical director. Medical file review experience. Provided forensic services including temporary custody, competency, mental capacity and sanity evaluations. Served as medical director for state public mental health agency. Leadership in successful accreditation surveys. Currently providing independent medical opinions for disability appeals.

Years in Practice: 45 IMEs Performed: 25 Years Performed IMEs: 10 Times Deposed/Testified: 100+

David G. Goss, MD, FAAOS, CIME

Tidewater Spine and Orthopaedic Center / Sports Medicine and Orthopaedic Center Chesapeake, VA Phone: (757) 478-5552 www.davidgossmd.com Additional Locations: Suffolk Virginia Licenses: Virginia, North Carolina, Vermont

Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Offering compassionate and dependable care for patients with spinal diseases, disorders, and injuries. Over 20 years of experience, specializing in interventional office procedures for the management of spinal and orthopaedic pain, open and minimally invasive surgical procedures for cervical, thoracic, and lumbar issues, and medicolegal care (independent evaluations, record reviews, expert witness testimony, etc.).

Years in Practice: 22 IMEs Performed: 250+ Years Performed IMEs: 20+ Times Deposed/Testified: 50+ IME Training: ABIME IME Certification: CIME

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Joshuah Jackson, MD

Joshuah Jackson M.D. P.L.L.C. Staunton, VA Phone: (540) 569-4006 www.joshuahjacksonmd.com Licenses: Virginia, West Virginia Specialty: Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry, Dr. Jackson works with individuals, law firms, healthcare institutions, insurance companies, and other related entities. Services performed include independent medical examinations (IME's), expert testimony, record review, consultation and/or deposition regarding malpractice claims, disability evaluations, decisional capacity evaluations, guardianship evaluations, and other psychiatric

legal questions.
Years in Practice: 6
Times Deposed/Testified: 5
IME Training: ABIME, and University
of Virginia Forensic Psychiatry
Fellowship

assessments pertaining to medico-

James Mark Leipzig, MD, FACS

The Spine Center Roanoke, VA Phone: (540) 725-9771 Cell: (540) 204-1593 Additional Locations: VA Licenses: VA, CA Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery, Spinal Medicine, Adult spine surgery Minimally-invasive spine surgery Microsurgical spine surgery cervical and lumbar Robotic spine surgery

Years in Practice: 29 IMEs Performed: 250+ Years Performed IMEs: 25 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Certification: American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery, FACS, NASS, AANS

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Craig L. Louisy, MD

Times Deposed/Testified: 1

Winchester Medical Center
Winchester, VA
Phone: (202) 607-0738
Licenses: DC, MD, VA, NC
Specialty: General Surgery,
Abdominal surgeries, open and
laparoscopic (gallbladder, appendix,
hernias bowel resections), skin and
soft tissue surgeries.
Years in Practice: 16



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Fellowship Trained Spinal Surgeon

Clinical practice consists of nonsurgical and surgical management of all spinal disorders and injuries, including work-related injuries, automobile accidents, degenerative conditions, sports injuries, etc. I perform a vast array of interventional spine procedures in office, for the management of spinal pain.

Experience:

- 20+ years performing IMEs
- 250+ IMEs performed
- Deposed/Testified 50+ times

IME Certification: CIME **IME Training:** ABIME



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SPINE SURGEON

Adult reconstructive spine surgery: minimally-invasive and microsurgical spine surgery. Cervical spine surgery. Mazor-X-robotic spine surgery.

Over 25 years performing IME's and case reviews, expert witness, both plaintiff and defense for spine-related cases. Over 400+ IME's performed.

Education: M.D., UCLA Geffen School of Medicine, **Residency:** Orthopedic surgery, UCLA, **Fellowship:** Spine surgery: The Hospital for Special Surgery

Certification: American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery, FACS, NASS, AANS

License(s): VA, CA

Akhtar Purvez, M.D.

Pain & Spine Center of Charlottesville Charlottesville, VA Phone: (434) 328-2774 Cell: (434) 825-2481 Licenses: VA

Specialty: Pain Management Medicine, Interventional Pain
Management, Sports Medicine,
Workmans Compensation Cases,
Motor Vehicle Accidents,
Orthopedic-Non Surgical, Disability
Evaluation, Neurology, Physical
Medicine and Rehab. Extensive
experience in Independent Medical
Evaluation, Second opinions and
chart reviews.

Years in Practice: 12 IMEs Performed: 75 Years Performed IMEs: 12

Richard R. Rosenthal, M.S, M.D., FACP

Richard R. Rosenthal, MD, Ltd Great Falls, VA Cell: (703) 946-2751 Licenses: VA, MD, DC Specialty: Allergy, Pulmonary Medicine - Disease, Mold litigation, asthma, allergic and pulmonary disease Years in Practice: 40 IMEs Performed: 8 Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 5 IME Training: SEAK

Mark A. Rowley, MD

Roanoke, VA
Phone: (336) 906-9622
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Licenses: Virginia, North Carolina,
South Carolina and Florida
Specialty: Orthopedic Surgery,
Orthopedic Surgery, Independent
Medical Examinations, Causation
and Work Capacity. Located in
Roanoke/Southwestern, Virginia.
IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM,
ABIME

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Keyhill Sheorn, MD Keyhill Sheorn, MD

Midlothian, VA
Phone: (804) 240-1095
www.KeyhillSheornMD.com
Licenses: VA
Specialty: Psychiatry, Post-traumatic
Stress Disorder delineating who does
and does not have the disorder. Dr.
Sheorn is the Director of
Psychotherapy Training at VCU's
Medical College of Virginia Hospital
and has had a solo practice

specializing in the treatment of PTSD.

Years in Practice: 31 IMEs Performed: 200 Years Performed IMEs: 23 Times Deposed/Testified: 20 IME Training: SEAK

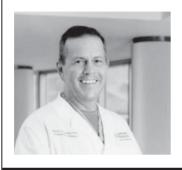
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Navneet Sidhu, MD FAIRFAX, VA Phone: (571) 213-8186 www.nsidhumd.com Additional Locations: District of Columbia, Maryland Licenses: VA, DC, CA, MD, KY Specialty: Forensic Psychiatry, Psychiatry, Forensic Psychiatry Personal injury, disability, fitness for duty evaluations, independent medical evaluations (IMEs), workers compensation, diminished capacity, criminal and civil competences, aidein-sentencing, workplace harassment, insanity defense, medical malpractice, standards of care, institutional negligence, guardianship and testamentary capacity, civil commitment, human rights, due process violations and capital sentencing evaluation Years in Practice: 20 IMEs Performed: 5+ Years Performed IMEs: 5

Times Deposed/Testified: 50 IME Certification: Forensic Psychiatry training(Saint Elizabeths DC), Psychiatry residency(Cleveland Clinic)

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Orthopaedic Surgery Independent Medical Examinations

Qualifications: Mark A. Rowley, M.D. Board-Certified Orthopaedic Surgeon. Full-time clinical practice. Residency and fellowship training at Wake Forest University and the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine.

Licensed in: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Florida.

Member of: The American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons and the American College of

Occupational and Environmental Medicine.

Specialty Focus: Causation and Work Capacity

IME Training: SEAK, ACOEM and ABIME



Keyhill Sheorn, MD

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Website: www.KeyhillSheornMD.com

Psychiatry

Specialty Focus: Post-traumatic Stress Disorder delineating who does and does not have the disorder. Dr. Sheorn is the Director of Psychodynamic Psychotherapy Training at VCU's Medical College of Virginia Hospital and has a solo practice specializing in the treatment of PTSD.

Years in Practice: 32
IME Training: SEAK
years performing IME

25 years performing IMEs

200+ IMEs performed

Deposed/Testified 20 times

WASHINGTON

Jason G. Attaman, DO, FAAPMR

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Additional Locations: Seattle, WA

Licenses: WA, MI

Specialty: Pain Management -Medicine, Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation - Physiatry, Complex spine, joint and nerve pain injury diagnosis/treatment after MVA/ industrial injuries. No pain syndrome too complex. I have very effective treatments for whiplash and spinal injuries after MVA and industrial accidents. Interventional Pain Management: radiofrequency ablation, epidurals, nerve blocks. Orthobiologics: Regenexx platelet rich plasma (PRP), bone marrow concentrate (BMC) stem cell, and alpha 2 macroglobulin (A2M) injections for ligament, tendon, and joint injuries.

Years in Practice: 15 IMEs Performed: 150+ Years Performed IMEs: 12 Times Deposed/Testified: 40+ IME Training: SEAK, and In active clinical practice IME Certification: In active clinical

practice

Diana Kraemer, MD

Diana Kraemer, MD, PLLC Seattle, WA Phone: (206) 226-9183 Cell: (206) 719-8451 dkraemermd.com Licenses: CA, AK, MT, WA **Specialty: Neurosurgery** Years in Practice: 25+

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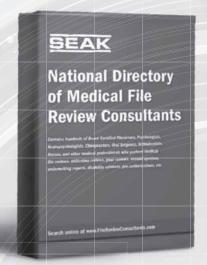
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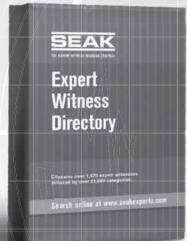
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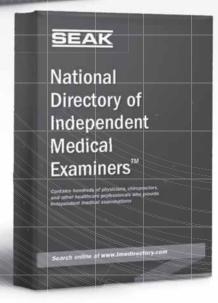


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 - Subspecialties and experience,
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