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1992 – 2012

ENDOCRINOLOGY PRACTICE, SOUTHLAKE CLINIC, RENTON, WA

EDUCATION

1975 – 1980

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POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

1990 – 1992

SENIOR FELLOW IN ENDOCRINOLOGY AND METABOLISM, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON (UW), SEATTLE, WA

1989 – 1990

CHIEF RESIDENT AND ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IN INTERNAL MEDICINE, SINAI HOSPITAL, DETROIT, MI

1987 – 1989

SENIOR RESIDENT IN INTERNAL MEDICINE, SINAI HOSPITAL, DETROIT, MI

1986 – 1987

RESEARCH PHYSICIAN DIABETES PROGRAM, WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY, DETROIT, MI

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RESIDENT IN INTERNAL MEDICINE, BARAGWANATH HOSPITAL, SOUTH AFRICA

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INTERNSHIP GENERAL SURGERY AND INTERNAL MEDICINE HILLBROW HOSPITAL, JOHANNESBURG,
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BOARD CERTIFICATIONS

1993
ENDOCRINOLOGY, DIABETES & METABOLISM
1990
AMERICAN BOARD OF INTERNAL MEDICINE

LICENSURE TO PRACTICE

1990 – PRESENT
STATE OF WASHINGTON
1986 – 1990
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HOSPITAL POSITIONS

1992 – 2012
MEDICAL STAFF, VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER (VMC), RENTON
1996 – 1997
VICE CHAIRMAN DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE, VMC
1996 – 2008
MEDICAL DIRECTOR – HMR WEIGHT MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, VMC
1996 – 2012
MEDICAL DIRECTOR – DIABETES EDUCATION PROGRAM, VMC

FACULTY POSITIONS

1992 – 2017
CLINICAL ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE, UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP

1993 – PRESENT
AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION
1995 – PRESENT
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF CLINICAL ENDOCRINOLOGISTS
1992 – 2012
WASHINGTON STATE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
1993 – 1997

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION, PAST PRESIDENT, SPRINGBROOK DEVISION, WA
2003 – PRESENT
FELLOW AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF CLINICAL ENDOCRINOLOGISTS (FACE)

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