

# RAUL VAZQUEZ, MD

FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS








## EDUCATION

- May 1990 - June 1992  
**DEACONESS HOSPITAL AND BUFFALO GENERAL HOSPITALS**  
Family Medicine Residency Program
- August 1985 – May 1989  
**STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES**  
Doctor of Medicine – Regents Scholarship
- August 1981 – May 1985  
**FORDHAM UNIVERSITY**  
Bachelor of Science


## RELATED EXPERIENCE

- December 2021 – Present  
**PRESIDENT**  
CINQCARE - NY  
GBUAHN, GBUACO, and Urban Family Practice, P.C.  
acquired by CINQCARE
- January 2013 – 2021  
**PRESIDENT AND CEO**  
Greater Buffalo United Accountable Healthcare Network (GBUAHN)  
Federally designated Health Home
- August 2009 – 2021  
**PRESIDENT AND CEO**  
Greater Buffalo United Accountable Care Organization (GBUACO)  
Transforming patient lives and communities with innovative models of healthcare.
- August 1996 - 2021  
**PRESIDENT AND FOUNDER**  
Urban Family Practice, P.C.  
Solo private practice, dedicated to serving the needs of an urban underserved community
- February 2009 – January 2013  
**PRESIDENT AND FOUNDER**  
West Side Urgent Care P.L.L.C.
- March 1994 – August 1996  
**ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF AMBULATORY SERVICES AND EMERGENCY ROOM MEDICINE**  
Sheehan Memorial Hospital

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## LANGUAGES

-  English– native language  
Spanish–native language



## RELATED EXPERIENCE

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- August 1990 – May 1995      DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES; AMBULATORY, EMERGENCY ROOM,  
AND CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY UNIT PHYSICIAN  
Buffalo Columbus Hospital
- August 1992 – June 1993      CLINICAL PHYSICIAN  
Niagara Family Health Center



## AWARDS

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- 2022      BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST – POWER 250 WNY MOST INFLUENTIAL  
PEOPLE – NO. 99
- 2022      UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY MEDICINE – CERTIFICATE  
OF APPRECIATION
- 2022      HISPANIC UNITED OF BUFFALO – HISPANIC HERITAGE AWARD
- 2021      BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST – POWER 250 WNY MOST INFLUENTIAL  
PEOPLE – NO. 222
- 2021      DISTINGUISHED MEDICAL ALUMNI OF THE YEAR – UNIVERSITY AT BUFFALO
- 2021      BLACK ACHIEVERS CELEBRATING BLACK EXCELLENCE – COMMUNITY  
HEALTH AWARD
- 2021      CITY OF BUFFALO – COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
- 2020      BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST – IDEA (INCLUSION DIVERSITY EQUITY AWARENESS)  
AWARDS
- 2019      SOMOS CONFERENCE – BUSINESS LEADERSHIP AWARD
- 2019      EPIC - ROBERT M. BENNETT AWARD FOR SERVICE TO COMMUNITY
- 2019      BUFFALO SPREE – TOP DOCTORS SELECTED BY PEER RECOGNITION
- 2019      NCQA PHYSICIAN PRACTICE CONNECTIONS PATIENT – CENTERED MEDICAL HOME
- 2018      NYS ASSOCIATION OF BLACK AND PUERTO RICAN LEGISLATORS – HEALTH AWARD
- 2018      NAACP BUFFALO BRANCH – PRESIDENT'S AWARD OF DISTINCTION
- 2018      BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST – WHO'S WHO IN HEALTH CARE
- 2017      KIDNEY FOUNDATION OF WESTERN NEW YORK - COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
- 2017      HEALTHELINK RECOGNITION AWARD



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2015	BUSINESS FIRST'S HEALTH CARE CHAMPIONS AWARDEE
2015	BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST- WESTERN NEW YORK ELITE AWARD
2015	BUFFALO BUSINESS FIRST- DEDICATED & VISIONARY LEADERS AWARD
2014	UNITED CULTURAL SOCIETY – OUTSTANDING LEADER AWARD
2014	45TH ANNUAL GREASE POLE FESTIVAL – APPRECIATION AWARD
2012	NATIONAL FEDERATION FOR JUST COMMUNITIES OF WESTERN NEW YORK – COMMUNITY LEADER AWARD IN HEALTHCARE
2009	STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT BUFFALO DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY – MEDICINE CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION
2009	HISPANIC HEALTH AND SAFETY FAIR – APPRECIATION AWARD
2009	CITY OF BUFFALO – COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
2008	UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY MEDICINE – CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION
2006	4TH ANNUAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH AWARD
2004	NYS ASSEMBLY CERTIFICATE OF MERIT SMALL BUSINESS AWARD
2004	M&T BANK SMALL BUSINESS OF THE YEAR MEDICAL SECTOR
2003	HISPANIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
2003	GRASSROOTS INC. – CORA P. MAHONEY AWARD
2003	HISPANIC UNITED OF BUFFALO – HISPANIC HERITAGE AWARD
1999	LOS TAINOS – OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
1999	NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE - ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
1998	STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT BUFFALO, SCHOOL OF MEDICINE – FAMILY MEDICINE DEPARTMENT TEACHING AWARD
1997	HISPANIC CONFERENCE OF WESTERN NEW YORK – HEALTH AWARD
1992-1999	LOAN FORGIVENESS AWARD PROGRAM
1992	TFM RESIDENT TEACHER AWARD



## MEDICAL SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

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2008	SPEAKER – BYSTOLIC USE IN HYPERTENSION Forest Pharmaceuticals
2008	SPEAKER – ACCU-CHEK SPIRIT INSULIN PUMP Roche Pharmaceuticals (Medical Device Company)
2007	SPEAKER – NEXIUM USE IN DYSPEPSIA SPEAKER – SYMBICORT USE IN ASTHMA AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals
2007	SPEAKER – AZOR USE IN HYPERTENSION Daiichi Sanko Pharmaceuticals
2007	SPEAKER – EXFORGE USE IN HYPERTENSION SPEAKER – TEKTURNA USE IN HYPERTENSION
2008	SPEAKER – EXELON USE IN DEMENTIA
2005 – 2007	SPEAKER – LOTREL USE IN HYPERTENSION Novartis Pharmaceuticals
2005	SPEAKER – AMBIEN USE IN INSOMNIA
2005 – 2006	SPEAKER – KETEK USE IN URI Sanofi-Aventis Pharmaceuticals
2005	SPEAKER – BENICAR USE IN HYPERTENSION Sankyo Pharmaceuticals
2008 - 2012	SPEAKER – CHANTIX USE IN SMOKING CESSATION
2007 – 2011	SPEAKER – LYRICA USE IN FIBROMYALGIA AND DIABETIC NEUROPATHY
2004 - 2007	SPEAKER – RELPAX USE IN MIGRAINE
2003 - 2005	SPEAKER – ZOLOFT USE IN DEPRESSION SPEAKER – ZITHROMAX USE IN URI Pfizer Pharmaceuticals
2007 – 2008	SPEAKER – “HEART BEAT 07,08” St. Jude Medical (Medical Device Company) A Guide to the Etiology, Pathophysiology, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Heart Failure
2002 – 2007	SPEAKER – ACTOS/ACTOMETFORMIN USE IN DIABETES Takeda Pharmaceuticals
2005 – 2007	SPEAKER – ACIPHEX USE IN GERD Janssen Pharmaceuticals
2001 – 2005	SPEAKER – ZYPREXA USE IN SCHIZOPHRENIA, MANIC DEPRESSION, REFRACTORY DEPRESSION Eli Lilly and Company Pharmaceuticals



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- 2001 – 2005                      SPEAKER – PREVACID USE IN GERD  
TAP Pharmacy Pharmaceuticals
- 2000 – 2005                      SPEAKER – SINGULAIR USE IN ASTHMA  
Merck Pharmaceuticals
- 1999  
1998                                REACH – REZULIN EFFECTIVENESS IN TYPE II DIABETES  
TARGET – LIPITOR EFFECTIVENESS IN HYPERCHOLESTEROL  
Phase III Trial, Parke-Davis
- 2005 – 2007                      SPEAKER – RELENZA TREATMENT FOR INFLUENZA  
GlaxoWellcome Pharmaceuticals



## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- June 1992                        ASSISTANT CLINICAL PROFESSOR  
State University of New York at Buffalo



## PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

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- 2022                                “WHY HEALTH CARE IN WNY, AND BEYOND, NEEDS TO CHANGE”  
Buffalo News
- 2020                                “THE FUTURE OF HEALTHCARE – BOOSTING CARE”  
Buffalo Business First
- 2014                                “GBUAHN IS ONE OF WNY’S MOST ADMIRED COMPANIES”  
Buffalo Business First
- 2008                                “LESS PAPER, MORE PRACTICE”  
Buffalo Physician
- 2006                                “HOOKED UP, PLUGGED IN.”  
Medical Economics
- 2004                                “AWARENESS OF HYPERTENSION AND DIABETES IN THE HISPANIC COMMUNITY.”  
Clinical Cornerstone
- 2004                                “ALL-INCLUSIVE COMPUTERIZED OFFICE DOES IT ALL.”  
Buffalo Business First
- 2004                                “SHUTTLE SERVICE A HIT FOR NY FAMILY DOCTOR”  
American Medical News



## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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2020 - Present	<b>SHIN-NY – POLICY COMMITTEE BOARD</b> Position
2011 - Present	<b>NYS REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL FOR WNY</b> Governor Andrew Cuomo Appointment
2010 - Present	<b>NYS MEDICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE</b> Governor David A. Patterson Appointment/ NYS Senate Approval
2013 - Present	<b>AMERICAN BOARD OF FAMILY MEDICINE</b> Diplomate, Fellow and Board Certified
	<b>ON TECHNOLOGY PHYSICIAN ADVISORY GROUP</b> Position
	<b>HEALTHELINK</b> Board Member
	<b>US LABOR DEPARTMENT'S OSHA ALLIANCES ENHANCE SAFETY AND HEALTH FOR VARIETY OF WORKERS IN WNY</b> Position
	<b>UPSTATE NEW YORK TRANSPLANT SERVICES</b> Board Member
	<b>PROMESA SYSTEMS</b> Board Member
	<b>WNED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES</b> Board Member
	<b>HISPANICS UNITED OF BUFFALO</b> Board Member
	<b>BUFFALO ECONOMIC RENAISSANCE CORPORATION</b> Board Member
	<b>COMMUNITY BLUE MEDICAL MANAGEMENT</b> Board Member
	<b>LATINO BUSINESS OWNERS ASSOCIATION</b> Board Member
	<b>LOS TAINOS</b> Board Member
	<b>EXECUTIVE BOARD CHAIRMAN</b> <b>EXECUTIVE BOARD PRESIDENT</b> <b>EXECUTIVE BOARD VICE-PRESIDENT</b> <b>EXECUTIVE BOARD TREASURER</b> <b>EXECUTIVE BOARD SECRETARY</b> Sheehan Memorial Hospital