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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

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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

LANGUAGES



English– native language
Spanish–native language



RELATED EXPERIENCE

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

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



AWARDS

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

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

June 1992	ASSISTANT CLINICAL PROFESSOR State University of New York at Buffalo
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PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

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

2020 - Present

SHIN-NY – POLICY COMMITTEE BOARD

Position

2011 - Present

NYS REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL FOR WNY

Governor Andrew Cuomo Appointment

2010 - Present

NYS MEDICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Governor David A. Patterson Appointment/ NYS Senate Approval

2013 - Present

AMERICAN BOARD OF FAMILY MEDICINE

Diplomate, Fellow and Board Certified

ON TECHNOLOGY PHYSICIAN ADVISORY GROUP

Position

HEALTHELINK

Board Member

US LABOR DEPARTMENT'S OSHA ALLIANCES ENHANCE SAFETY AND HEALTH FOR VARIETY OF WORKERS IN WNY

Position

UPSTATE NEW YORK TRANSPLANT SERVICES

Board Member

PROMESA SYSTEMS

Board Member

WNED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Board Member

HISPANICS UNITED OF BUFFALO

Board Member

BUFFALO ECONOMIC RENAISSANCE CORPORATION

Board Member

COMMUNITY BLUE MEDICAL MANAGEMENT

Board Member

LATINO BUSINESS OWNERS ASSOCIATION

Board Member

LOS TAINOS

Board Member

EXECUTIVE BOARD CHAIRMAN

EXECUTIVE BOARD PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE BOARD VICE-PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE BOARD TREASURER

EXECUTIVE BOARD SECRETARY

Sheehan Memorial Hospital