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#### **SUMMARY**

- Well-rounded, caring, board-certified neurologist providing personalized, compassionate care
- Creative leader experienced in patient safety and quality improvement, education, research, and outreach
- Medical Expert, Speaker, Consultant, Independent Medical Examiner

## MEDICAL LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATES

Diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Inc., a member Board of the American Board of Medical Specialties, Sept 2018 - Present

Florida Medical License #ME 135504, Wisconsin Medical License #72116, Minnesota Medical License #66667, Iowa Medical License #MD46938

### **WORK**

Ideal Neurology Clinic, PLLC, Boca Raton, FL Owner, Solo Neurology Private Practice Independent Medical Examiner Research Neurologist

Telespecialists, LLC, Fort Myers, FL

TeleStroke/Teleneurologist; evaluates and treats acute stroke and inpatient neurology patients at U.S. hospitals

Neurology Offices of South Florida, Boca Raton, FL Contract Neurologist

Trusted Media Brands, Inc., White Plains, NY Medical reviewer of online lay articles about health matters

Mednick Associates, Wilton, CT Medical Expert, reviewing disability appeals

Gundersen Lutheran Health System, La Crosse, WI

Locums Tenens, Neurohospitalist; covered all acute stroke alerts and consults at Comprehensive Stroke Center

#### **EDUCATION**

Residency in Neurology

University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Hospital

Internship in Internal Medicine

University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Hospital

*Graduate/Medical*:

University of Central Florida (UCF)

Medical Doctor, Alpha Omega Alpha, Full Tuition Scholarship

Johns Hopkins

First-year coursework toward Ph.D., Pathobiology, Young Scholar Award

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*Undergraduate*:

Cornell University

Bachelor of Arts, Biology, with minors in Neuroscience and Education

Graduated with Distinction, Phi Beta Kappa

## **HONORS**

Alpha Omega Alpha, University of Central Florida, 2014
Outstanding Senior Award, Academic Excellence Awards, UCF, 2012 – 2014
Full-tuition merit-based scholarship, University of Central Florida, 2010 – 2014
Fred and Ruth Kort Young Scholar Award, Johns Hopkins, 2008
Phi Beta Kappa, Cornell University, 2008
Hughes Scholar for summer research, Cornell University, 2006

# **ASSOCIATIONS**

American Academy of Neurology (2010-2018) Florida Medical Association (2017-2018)

## **TEACHING**

- Approach to Functional Neurologic Disorders
- RITE Imaging Overview
- Approach to Dizziness
- Case-based demo, Neurologic Emergencies: History and Exam
- Cognitive/Behavioral RITE review
- Journal Club. "Diagnostic accuracy of the Salzburg EEG Criteria for Non-Convulsive Status Epilepticus"
- Neuroscience review, UCF medical school
- Treatment of Alzheimer's Disease, Brain Fitness Club
- Student Item Writer, Formative Assessment Bank, UCF
- MCAT Tutor, Kaplan

### COMMITTEES AND OFFICES HELD

- Delegate/Departmental Rep, Committee of Interns and Residents, including QI Committee
- Voting Member/Presenter, Medical Student Admissions Committee, UCF
- Founder/President, Student Interest Group in Neurology, UCF

# **PUBLICATIONS (JOURNALS)**

- 1. Saini V, Chalfin R, Leon J, Margolesky J (2019). Pearls & Oy-sters: Bismuth neurotoxicity from use of topical bismuth dressing for burns. Neurology, 92 (14), 680-681.
- 2. Sun Q, Hall EC, Huang Y, Chen P, Dibadj K, Murawski M, **Shraybman R**, Van Kirk K, Tang V, Peng R, Patton P, Clare-Salzler MJ, Kaplan B, Segev D, Womer KL (2012). Pre-transplant myeloid dendritic cell deficiency associated with cytomegalovirus infection and death after kidney transplantation. Transpl Infect Dis., 14(6), 618-625.
- 3. Womer K, Huang Y, Herren H, Dibadj K, Peng R, Murawski M, **Shraybman R**, Patton P, Clare-Salzler M, Kaplan B (2010). Dendritic Cell Deficiency Associated With Development of BK Viremia and Nephropathy in Renal Transplant Recipients. Transplantation, 89(1), 115-123.

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4. Regan AD, **Shraybman R**, Cohen RD, Scott FA, Whittaker GR (2008). Differential role for low pH and cathepsin-mediated cleavage of the viral spike protein during entry of serotype II feline coronaviruses. Veterinary Microbiology, 132(3-4), 235-48.

## POSTERS PRESENTED

- 1. **Shraybman R**, Rodriguez A, Compson J, Jacobs DM. Effect of an 8-Week Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction Program on Working Memory in Medical Students. Poster presentation, UCF COM FIRE Mini-Conference, March 2012.
- 2. Comi A, **Shraybman R**, Ferenc LM, Lehman C. Low-Dose Aspirin Use Survey in Sturge-Weber Syndrome. Poster at the 2008 Child Neurology Society meeting, Santa Clara, CA, November 2008.

### **ORAL PRESENTATIONS**

- 1. **Chalfin R.** Recent advancements in neurology, and your questions answered. Oral presentation to West Boca Medical Center public forum, January 2020.
- 2. **Shraybman R**, Chu VC, Whittaker GW. Developing SARS-Permissive Cells to Determine the Fusion Domains on the SARS Spike Protein. Oral presentation at Cornell Hughes Scholar Program, 2006.
- 3. **Shraybman R**, Murawski MR, Womer KL. In Vivo DC Transduction with Adv/hIL-10 Improves Disease in EAE. Winner of the 2nd Place Award at Florida Symposium. Represented FL at the National Junior Science and Humanities Symposium, Baltimore, MD, April 2004.