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Board Certified in Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine

Articulate, Board certified Anesthesiologist and Pain Medicine Physician with more than 30 years of clinical expertise and 30 years of medical-legal expertise. Highly specialized in Anesthesiology and Pain Medicine.

EDUCATION

- **Guru Nanak University Medical College, Amritsar, Punjab, India (1975)**
Doctor of Medicine, MD
- **Institute of Medical Education & Sciences, Chandigarh, India (1976)**
House Surgeon
- **Brook General Hospital, London, UK (1981)**
Senior House Officer in Orthopaedics, Surgery, and Otolaryngology
- **University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD (1983)**
Residency
- **Case Western University, Cleveland, OH (1987)**
Residency in Anesthesiology
- **University of California, Irvine, CA (2009)**
Healthcare Executive MBA, graduated with Honors

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Munising Memorial Hospital, General Practice (1983 to 1985)**
- **John Randolph Hospital, Staff Anesthesiologist (1987 to 1988)**
- **Kaiser Permanente Hospital, Staff Anesthesiologist and Pain Management (1988 to 1990)**
- **Pacifica Community Hospital, Chief of Anesthesiology and Pain Management (1993 to 1996)**
- **San Pedro Peninsula Hospital, Staff Anesthesiologist and Pain Management (1990 to present)**
- **Torrance Memorial Hospital, Pain Management (1998 to present)**

- **Pacific Hospital** (1998 to 2003)
- **Torrance Surgery Center (2001 to present)**
- **Victorville Community Hospital (2001 to present)**
- **Peninsula Interventional Pain Management Center, Director/Founder** (1975 to present)

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

- American Board of Anesthesiology, Pain Medicine
- California Board Certified Medical License

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- American Academy of Pain Medicine
- American Medical Association
- California Medical Association
- Orange County Medical Association
- International Spine Intervention Society
- American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians
- American Society of Anesthesiology
- California Society of Anesthesiology

HONORS AND AWARDS

- MBA with Honors, specializing in Healthcare – Honor Society Beta Gamma Sigma
- Clinical “Physician of Excellence” by OC Medical Association

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

- Spinal Cord Stimulator Implant “Ask the Expert”
- Radiofrequency Ablation Study
- Decompressive Nucleoplasty “Ask the Expert” Daily Breeze
- Radiofrequency Neuroablation “Ask the Expert” Daily Breeze
- “Prediction of Difficult Intubation”
- “Anesthesiology Abstract”