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Emergency Medicine Expert Witness & Medical-Legal Consultant

*Vanderbilt MD • UC San Diego Emergency Medicine Residency • ABEM Board Certified
• Medical Board of California Expert Reviewer*

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CREDENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Vanderbilt University School of Medicine (MD, Alpha Omega Alpha)
 - UC San Diego Emergency Medicine Residency (Chief Resident)
 - American Board of Emergency Medicine (Board Certified)
 - Medical Board of California — Expert Reviewer
 - 20+ years high-acuity emergency medicine practice
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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Board-certified Emergency Medicine physician with 20+ years of high-acuity clinical experience in large-volume emergency departments, including Level I trauma, cardiac, and stroke receiving centers. Provides clear, defensible medical-legal opinions focused on standard of care, causation, and real-world emergency department decision-making. Extensive leadership experience in quality assurance, peer review, and EMS/base-station systems.

MEDICAL-LEGAL EXPERTISE

- Independent medical record review and case screening
- Standard of care analysis (ED and EMS)
- Causation assessment and timeline reconstruction
- Identification of strengths and weaknesses for case strategy
- Written reports, deposition, and trial testimony
- Quality assurance, peer review, and systems-based analysis

Availability: Consulting and testifying roles for plaintiff and defense. Selective case acceptance to ensure thorough, high-quality analysis.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Attending Emergency Physician, Base Hospital Physician — Senior Partner

La Jolla Emergency Specialists, Scripps Memorial Hospital (Level I Trauma Center), La Jolla, CA

Sept 2016 – Present

- High-acuity, high-volume ED; cardiac and stroke receiving center and tertiary referral center
- Advanced resuscitation including ECMO-capable environment
- Routine management of multiple critically ill patients with consistently high patient satisfaction

Attending Emergency Physician, Base Hospital Physician — Senior Partner

Tri-City Emergency Medical Group, Tri-City Medical Center, Oceanside, CA

2003 – 2018

- Large-volume, high-acuity ED; cardiac and stroke receiving center
- Broad clinical exposure including significant geriatric and pediatric populations
- High patient satisfaction and strong outcomes

Assistant Clinical Faculty

University of California, San Diego (UCSD) Medical Center, Hillcrest & Thornton Hospitals

- Teaching and supervision of emergency medicine residents in a Level I trauma and tertiary referral center
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LEADERSHIP & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Pre-Hospital Director — La Jolla Emergency Specialists

2018 – 2024

- Education of base hospital physicians and paramedics; EMS compliance
- Participation in ECMO resuscitation program development at county level

Director of Quality Assurance — Tri-City Emergency Medical Group

- Oversight of QA for 40+ providers; OPPE metrics; peer review leadership

Chairman, Base Station Physician Committee — County of San Diego

- Protocol development, EMS systems improvement, and performance initiatives

Medical Board of California — Expert Reviewer Program

- Provided expert opinions on professional standards, deviations, and clinical interpretation of medical records

Additional Roles:

- Executive Committee (Business Operations)
 - Utilization Review Committee
 - Medical Director, CPR/AED Program
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PRE-HOSPITAL & SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE

- Base hospital physician and EMS system involvement for decades
 - Flight Physician, Mercy Air Service (high trauma volume, majority scene calls)
 - Expertise in EMS decision-making, destination selection, and system constraints
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EDUCATION & TRAINING

Doctor of Medicine (MD) — Vanderbilt University School of Medicine

- Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society

Bachelor of Science (Biochemistry/Chemistry) — University of California, San Diego

- Cum Laude; Provost Honors

Emergency Medicine Residency — University of California, San Diego (4-year program)

- Chief Resident; Base Hospital Physician
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BOARD CERTIFICATION & LICENSURE

- American Board of Emergency Medicine (2004, 2014, 2024)
- California Medical License (Active)

- Fellow, American College of Emergency Physicians (FACEP)
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PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

- Multiple peer-reviewed publications in *Academic Emergency Medicine*, *Annals of Emergency Medicine*, and *Journal of Emergency Medicine*
 - Book chapters in *Emergency Medicine On Call* and *Rosen's Emergency Medicine Consult*
 - Numerous national and regional presentations on airway management, stroke, EMS systems, and emergency care
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AWARDS & HONORS

- “Top Docs” — San Diego Magazine (2009, 2015)
 - SAEM Excellence in Emergency Medicine Award
 - AAEM/JEM Resident Research Forum Recognition
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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American College of Emergency Physicians
 - California College of Emergency Physicians
 - San Diego Medical Society
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EXPERT WITNESS INFORMATION

- Experience in professional standards review and medical board-level evaluation
 - Extensive quality assurance and peer review leadership
 - Available for consultation, report writing, deposition, and trial testimony
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REPRESENTATIVE CASE EXPERIENCE

- Missed or delayed stroke / intracranial hemorrhage
- Chest pain evaluation and disposition decisions
- STEMI/NSTEMI recognition and transfer timing
- Sepsis recognition and treatment delays
- Airway management, RSI complications, procedural sedation

- High-risk discharge and return visits
 - EMS/base station decision-making and destination selection
 - Documentation, communication, and systems-related factors
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TESTIMONY STATUS

Actively developing expert witness practice. Available for consulting and testifying roles. Prior experience includes medical board expert review and formal opinion development.

REFERENCES

Available upon request