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**CURRICULUM VITA** 

(summary)

## PRIMARY CARE EXPERIENCE: (1973 to 2020: pediatric, internal medicine, geriatrics)

Home medical care for complex long term illness, geriatric and disabled persons; Attending Physician, short stay units, skilled nursing facilities; long term geriatric care, geriatric and disabled adults in hospital outpatient setting, children and adults, private office setting; children and adults inpatient community hospital; adults, inpatient medical school teaching rehabilitation hospital; disabled children and adults residential settings; head injured adults on rehabilitation hospital inpatient service; head injured patients- outpatient settings

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Instructor, Northeastern University, Physician Assistant program, Hematology Dermatology; Harvard Medical School, program director, including medical student instruction

### CONSULTATIVE EXPERIENCE:

Rehabilitation Medicine Consultant for home bound seniors and younger disabled persons, for skilled nursing rehabilitation units; Head Injury consultant, inpatient Rehabilitation Hospital, Dysphagia Consultant for Massachusetts General Hospital Rehabilitation Service; Vocational Rehabilitation consultations, General Psychiatric consultations, community outpatient setting, all age groups including children and geriatrics.

### ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

Chief Medical Officer, 60 bed rehabilitation hospital; Program Manager inpatient Head Injury Unit; Director of Outpatient services, 200 bed rehabilitation hospital; Medical Director Behavioral Health Agency Louisburg NC; Medical Director United Way community outpatient clinic, Chairman Specialty Hospital Medical Directors Group; Medical Director Harvard Hospital in the Home Program; Medical Director Massachusetts General-Spaulding Home Health agency.

### EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Undergraduate studies in Microbiology University of Maryland; Doctor of Medicine, University of Maryland, 1970; PhD in Rehabilitation and Education - University of Oregon; Stanford Medical School Residency, 1973; Division Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Harvard Medical School

### **CURRENT FOCUS and INTERESTS:**

Research into problems of diabetes, long term disease, long term pain management, and consultations for complex chronic disease patients; advocate for medically abandoned pain patients, national level advocacy for people with painful chronic diseases; Medical Rescue Practice for those denied care for their chronic painful diseases.