

Richard Jan Wein, M.D., F.A.C.S.



Education—Degrees Granted

1975 B.S. Columbia University, New York, NY

1979 M.D. Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, MA

1999 M.S. Columbia Graduate School of Journalism, New York, NY

Certifications

1986 Diplomate of the American Board of Surgery with 2 additional recertifications.

Licenses

Alaska 4727 active

DEA AW1155159 active

Clinical Experience

September 1975 to June 1976—Univ. of Louisville School of Medicine, Louisville, KY

June 1976 to September 1976—Dept of Surgery, University of Louisville School of Medicine American Cancer Society Clinical Grant with Dr. Carl Knutson.

September 1976 to June 1977—University of Louisville School of Medicine

June 1977 to August 1977—Immunology Branch NIH with Dr. Sam Waksal

September 1977 to June 1978—Tufts University School of Medicine

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September 1978 to June 1979—Tufts University School of Medicine and Clinical Rotation with the Department of Cardiovascular Surgery and Research participation at Columbia Physician and Surgeons.

July 1979 to June 1980—University Hospital Affiliated Surgical Program, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland, OH

July 1980 to June 1981—University Hospital Affiliated Surgical Program, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

July 1981 to December 1981—University Hospital Affiliated Surgical Program, Case Western Reserve

January 1982 to June 1982—Cleveland Clinic, Department of Surgery, Residency Program

Clinical Surgical Rotations/Research—University of Toronto, Toronto General Hospital, Dept of Surgery Division of Hepato-Biliary Surgery

July 1982 to June 1983—Roanoke Memorial Hospital, Department of Surgery Residency Program

July 1984 to October 2001—Surgical Attending at the General Hospital Center, St. Mary's Hospital, and the Beth Israel Hospital, Passaic, NJ

2001-2009—Attending Surgeon Mt. Edgecumbe, Sitka, AK

2010-2017—Attending Surgeon Sitka Community Hospital

Current

2017 to present—Member of the Sitka Assembly

Some Medical Positions Held as an Attending Surgeon

Chief of Surgical Services—Sitka Community Hospital

Chief of Surgical Services—Mt. Edgecumbe Hospital

President and Chief of Staff of the General Hospital Center (525 Physicians)

Member of the Board of Trustees of the Atlantic Health System

Member of the Board of Trustees General Hospital Center

Director of the Department of Surgery of the General Hospital Center (125 Surgeons)

Chairman of the Division of General Surgery General Hospital Center (26 Surgeons)

Advisory Board and Contributor of *New Jersey Medicine*, the journal of the New Jersey Medical Society

Executive Committee of the New Jersey Medical History Society

Some Professional Memberships Current and Past

Fellow of the American College of Surgeons

New Jersey Academy of Medicine

Society of Surgeons of New Jersey

Medical Society of New Jersey
Society of Professional Journalists
Board of Trustees for Parish Nursing Interfaith Training and Outreach
Board of Trustee Passaic County Historical Society

Malpractice History

I have no direct malpractice judgments against me. My partner in practice, however, was successfully sued once. Though I was not a party to the suit at the time of trial, because of my legal and financial association with my partner, I was subject to a legal device know as “vicarious liability.” That was in 1985.