

Kevin B. Walker, M.D., FASA

**South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners
110 Centerview Drive
Columbia, SC 29210**

Dear South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners:

Please accept this as official notice of my desire to run for the open "At-Large" seat for the SC Medical Board. Attached are a copy of the official election petition and my CV. Hard copies of all documents will follow via the US Postal Service. I look forward to the election and the possibility of serving the physicians of South Carolina.

Sincerely,

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EDUCATION

Fellowship Interventional Pain Medicine Vanderbilt University, Department of Anesthesiology Nashville, TN	July 2008-June 2009
Residency Anesthesiology Medical University of South Carolina Department of Anesthesiology Charleston, SC	July 2004-June 2006
Medical School Medical Doctorate Medical University of South Carolina College of Medicine Charleston, SC	Aug. 2000-June 2004
Pharmacy School Bachelor of Science Medical University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy Charleston, SC	Aug.1996-Dec.1996
Undergraduate Bachelor of Science Wofford College Spartanburg, SC Cum Laude	Aug. 1992-May 1996

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Greenville Health System Department of Medicine Developed a Pain Treatment clinic for Internal Medicine Residents	2016
USC School of Medicine, Greenville Campus Associate Professor Developed lectures for medical students on opioid medications	2015
Greenville Health System Department of Simulation Developed simulation scenarios for pain physicians	2017

PROFESSION PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

Prisma Health Medical Director of Pain Management Department of Anesthesiology and Peri-operative Medicine Greenville, SC	May 2015 – Present
Interventional Pain Management President Greenville, SC	March 2012 – May 2015

Anesthesiology Consultants of the Upstate
Staff Anesthesiologist
Greenville, SC

Aug. 2009-May 2015

Anesthesiology Consultants of the Upstate
Medical Director of Pain Management
Greenville, SC

Aug. 2009-May 2015

Medical University of South Carolina
Lab Specialist I
Molecular Pathology, Special Hematology and Cytogenetics
Charleston, SC

June 1997-Aug. 2000

PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

Howard K, Rennert L, Walker K, Furmanek D, Blackhurst D., Cancellaro V., Litwin A, MD "Prescribing Behaviors: Utility of Opioid Stewardship Program Interventions for Decreasing Opioid Use without Compromising Patient Pain" submitted for publication, Jan 2022.

Warren JA, Stoddard C, Hunter AL, Horton AJ, Atwood C, Ewing JA, Pusker S, Cancellaro VA, Welker KB, Cobb WS, Carbonell AM, Morgan RR. "Effect of Multimodal Analgesia on Opioid Use After Open Ventral Hernia Repair". *Journal of Gastrointestinal Surgery*, 2017 Oct, 21 (10): 1692-1699.

Walker P, Furmanek D, Wagner M, Cancellaro V, Walker K. *Evaluation of Low-Dose Ketamine for Narcotic Reduction in Postoperative Patients*. Presented at: University Healthsystem Consortium Poster Session at ASHP Midyear meeting, 2016.

Walker K, "An Approach to Inguinal Pain", *Textbook of Hernias*, Springer 2017.

Jacobs D, Walker K, Feir-Lahr D, Self S, Epps J, Cate J. "A Performance Improvement Approach for Development of a Molecular Testing Algorithm for Therapeutic Monitoring of the Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia Patient." *Academy of Clinical Laboratory Physicians and Scientists*, June 1998.

Nichols D, Self S, Metcalf J, Jacobs D, Walker K, Kizer J, Epps J, Cate J. "A Performance Improvement Approach to Develop a Molecular and Immunohistochemical Testing Algorithm for Detection of Her2/Neu Amplification in Breast Carcinoma." *Academy of Clinical Laboratory Physicians and Scientist*, June 1999.

PRESENTATIONS

"Enhanced Recovery After Surgery, ERAS", virtual presentation for OLLI organization, Nov 2021

"Opioid-Pain-Addiction" Grand Round for USC School of Medicine Aug 2021

"Opioids, Do we have to keep talking about this?" Emergency Department Ground Rounds July 2021

"Approaches to Achieving Equity in Cancer Pain Management: Narrowing the Gap", virtual with Cancer Collaborative Group

"Opioids, Do We Have to Keep Talking about this?", SCMA annual meeting March 2021

"M1 Controlled substance educations", Feb 2021

"Office Hours", Monthly virtual educational training Jan 2021-present

"Opioids Stewardship", South Carolina Hospital Association Dec 2020

"ERAS for OB-GYN", Resident lecture, July 2020

"Marijuana, Is it Medical", Webinar, SCMA, June 2020

"Controlled Substances", 1st year Medical School lecture, April 2020

"Combating the Opioid Crisis in South Carolina", 18th Annual Chronic Disease Symposium, DHEC, March 2020

"Opioid Crisis In South Carolina", Primary Care APP's Up to Date conference, March 2020

"Opioid Symposium: Guideline, Weaning and Stewardship", Primary Care APP Up to Date conference, March 2020

"Chronic Pain/Post Op Management", Surgical APP's Opioid Symposium, Feb 2020

"Pain Management for the Primary Care Doctor", Keystone Family Practice, Dec 2019

"Opioid Crisis", Appalachian Counsel of Governments, Greenville, SC 2018

"Combating the Opioid Crisis", Governor's Opioid Summit, Columbia, SC 2018

"Urine Drug Screening Interpretation", Lauren's Family Practice, Laurens, SC 2018

"Opioid Weaning", Lauren's Family Practice, Laurens, SC 2018

"Opioid Weaning", Upstate Family Practice, Seneca, SC 2018.

"Opioid Conference", Surgery Ground Rounds, Greenville Health System, 2018.

"Pain Liaison Training Nursing Course", Greenville Health System, 2018.

"Pathway of the Prescription", Community Forum, Greenville Health System 2016, 2017, 2018.

"Neck and Back Pain", Community to Bob Jones University, 2015.

"Paravertebral Catheters versus Thoracic Epidurals" MUSC Resident Research, 2007.

"Case Report: Extra-Uterine Pregnancy! Now What?" GARRC, 2007.

"Case Report: Extra-Uterine Pregnancy! Now What?" MUSC Resident Research, 2006.

"Case Report: PDPH after the Treatment for Psuedotumor Cerebri", MUSC Resident Research, 2006.

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Member, Governor's Opioid Emergency Response Team	May 2018-Present
Member, Opioid Stewardship Program, Prisma Health Midlands Affiliate	Oct 2019-Present
Co-Chair, Opioid Stewardship Committee, Prisma Health	Aug 2017-Present
Physician Member, Pediatric Pain Committee, Prisma Health	June 2019-Present
Physician Chair, Pain Committee, Prisma Health	Aug 2015-2019
Physician Chair, Sedation Committee, Prisma Health	April 2016-Present
Physician Chair, ECHO (Empowering Communities for Healthy Outcomes)	Oct 2015-Present
Member, GONE (Greenville Opioid and Narcotic Eradications)	Aug 2017-Jan 2018
President Elect, South Carolina Society of Anesthesiology (SCSA)	Sept 2017-2018
Member, Executive Committee, South Carolina Society of Anesthesiology	June 2015-Present
Member of House of Delegates for the South Carolina Medical Association (SCMA)	April 2018-2019
Ad Hoc Member, South Carolina Medical Association (SCMA) Opioid Task Force	Oct 2017-Present
Member, House of Delegates for American Society of Anesthesiologist (ASA)	Aug 2019-present
Member, South Carolina MedPac board (SCMA)	Aug 2020-present

MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Anesthesiology
South Carolina Society of Anesthesiology
South Carolina Medical Association

CERTIFICATIONS

Medical Licensure SC 27270

ABA anesthesia certification #45034

ABA pain medicine certification #45034

REFERENCES

Available upon request