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Education

- Doctor of Philosophy - University of South Florida, Toxicology, December 2013
- Master of Science - University of Florida, Drug Chemistry, April 2009
- Bachelor of Science - University of South Florida, Biology, December, 1992
- Law Enforcement Officer - Tampa Police Academy, 1985
- Paramedic Program - Hillsborough Community College, 1980
- High School - Temple Heights Christian School, Tampa, Florida, 1977

Internship

- Statewide Prosecutor's Office, Florida Attorney General, Medicaid Fraud Unit – Fall 2012
- Forensic Toxicology Laboratory, Pinellas Co. Medical Examiner's Office - Spring 2012
- Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) Center for Excellence, Brandeis University, Boston – 2011

Professional Experience:

- Associates in Emergency Medical Education, Inc. (AIEME™) – January 1995 - Present
Chief Executive Officer
- Alliance for Global Narcotics Training, Inc. (AGNT™) – September 2006 - Present
Chief Executive Officer
- Kelley Consulting Group, Inc. (KCG™) - November 2011 - Present
Chief Executive Officer
- Associates in Sports Medicine Education, Inc. (AISME™) – April 2016 - Present
Chief Executive Officer
- Associates in Military Medicine Education, Inc. (AIMME™) – April 2016 - Present
Chief Executive Officer
- Center for Emergency Medical Education, Inc. – February 1990 - February 1995
Education Coordinator
- Hooper-Holmes & American Service Bureau – November 1989 - January 1990
Medical Examination Case Review Specialist
- Tampa Police Department – May 1984 - November 1989
Police Officer
- Tampa Bay Rowdies – (October 1983 – May 1984)
Media Relations Coordinator
- State Attorney's Office – Hillsborough County - (September 1980 – October 1983)
Felony Division – Administrative Coordinator
- Hillsborough County Emergency Medical Services – May 1978 - September 1980
Paramedic

Academic and Professional Appointments

- University of Florida, College of Pharmacy, Department of Clinical Toxicology, Adjunct Faculty
- University of South Florida, College of Medicine, Department of Surgery, Affiliate Instructor
- University of South Florida College of Public Health, Toxicology Department, Course Faculty
- Thirteenth Judicial District of Florida, Veterans Treatment Court – Toxicologist / Expert Witness
- Office of the Attorney General, State of Florida, Prescription Drug and Special Projects Training Section – Toxicology Consultant
- Office of Special Investigations, MacDill Air Force Base – Toxicology Consultant
- Sixth Judicial District of Florida, Department of Juvenile Justice – Toxicology Consultant
- Pinellas Board of County Commissioners - Prescription Drug Advisory Board, Coordinator
- Tampa City Attorney’s Office – Synthetic Drug Advisory Board, Coordinator
- International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators – Toxicology Consultant
- Pinellas County Sheriff’s Office, Narcotics Division – Toxicology Consultant
- Medical Distribution Group – Drug Testing Division, Clearwater, Florida – Consulting Toxicologist
- Drug & Alcohol Testing Industry Association (DATIA) – Guest speaker
- Center for Lawful Access & Abuse Deterrence (CLAAD), Washington, DC – Policy Reviewer, 2014
- Florida Prescription Drug Monitoring Program Foundation, Florida Office of the Surgeon General, Board of Directors, Vice Chair, 2010-2012
- National Association of Boards of Pharmacy - Narcotic Prescribing Algorithm Consultant, 2012-2013
- Florida Bureau of Insurance Fraud – Training Consultant. 2012
- University of Florida College of Medicine, Medical Student & Physician Assistant Programs – AHA Curriculum Provider
- South University, Physician Assistant Program – Advisory Board
- AIT Laboratories – Indianapolis, Indiana. Speakers Bureau
- Book Review, Mosby-Harcourt Health Systems
- Book Review, American Heart Association

Legal Consultation

- Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Veterans Treatment Court – Resident Toxicology Consultant (2015 – present)
- Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Veterans Treatment Court - Expert Witness
 - 17-CF-003558-A State of Florida v Butler
 - 17-CF-005689-A State of Florida v Nesbett
 - 15-CF-016146-A State of Florida v Snell
 - 17-CF-001554-A State of Florida v Culbertson
 - 17-CF-005689-A State of Florida v Nesbett (2nd appearance)
 - 17-CT-012068-A State of Florida v James
 - 17-CF-016822-A State of Florida v Wiesner
- Sixth Judicial Circuit, Criminal Prosecutions Bureau - Toxicology Consultant
 - 15-00226-CF State of Florida v Jonchuck
 - 17-04504-CF State of Florida v Qosaj (Deposition)
- Private Attorneys - Case review and preparation for civil trials. Specific cases on file and available upon request

Publications

- Kelley S, Gibson C. Lithium Toxicity: The Illusion of PTSD. *Ann of Psychiatry and Mental Health*. July 1, 2017. Vol. 5(4): 1109

- Kelley S, Johnson G, Harbison R. “Pressured to Prescribe”: The Impact of Economic and Regulatory Factors on South-Eastern ED Physicians When Managing the Drug Seeking Patient. *J Emerg Trauma Shock*. 2016 Apr-Jun; 9(2): 58–63. doi: [10.4103/0974-2700.179454](https://doi.org/10.4103/0974-2700.179454)
- Kelley S, Harbison R, Bourgeois M, et al. Street and Prescription Drug Abuse. *Hamilton and Hardy's Industrial Toxicology*, 6th Ed. Wiley Publishing, 2015
- Kelley S. Synthetic Drugs: A Viral Outbreak. *J Global Drug Policy and Practice*. Vol. 9, Issue 4. Winter 2015
- Kelley S. University of South Florida, College of Public Health, Doctoral Dissertation: “*The Perception of Emergency Department Physicians Regarding Economic and Regulatory Factors Impacting Management of Drug Seeking Patients.*” Dr. Ray Harbison (Chair), Dr. James Hillman, Dr. Giffe Johnson, Dr. Steve Morris, Dr. Jay Wolfson
- Kelley S, Cone J, Smith D, Prince M, Payne W, et al. Drug Abuse in Plastic Surgery Patients: Optimizing Detection & Minimizing Complications. *Plast Reconstr Surg*. 127:445, 2011
- Kelley S. Drug Abuse in Plastic Surgery Patients: What your Examination Tells You that Your Patient May Not. *Australian Adv Aesthetics*. pp 26-29. Spring 2011
- Kelley S, Larison D, et al. *Pharmacology – 4th Edition*. Lippincott. Philadelphia. 2008
- Kelley, S. “*In An Emergency, How Do I...*” AIEME Publishing. Tampa. 2007

Lectures / Presentations*

International –

- September 2010 – British Association of Aesthetic Plastic Surgeons, Royal College of Physicians, London, England
- March 2010 – Anaesthesia Physicians Conference, Anglia Ruskin University, Chelmsford, England
- October 2008 – International Police Convention, London, England (Invitation)
- September 2007 – Air Transport Medical Director/EMS, San Jose, Costa Rica
- December 2006 – Onze Lieve Vrouwe Gasthuis Hospital - Amsterdam, the Netherlands
- December 2006 – Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) Field Office, Brussels, Belgium
- July 2005 – Landstuhl Regional Medical Center - Kaiserslautern, Germany
- June 2005 - Midwestern Regional Medical Center - Limerick, Ireland
- May 2005 - Georgetown Medical Center - Georgetown, Cayman Islands

National –

- June 2018 – Florida Association of Operating Room Nurses, Clearwater, Florida
- April 2018 – *Performing at Any Cost* Sports Medicine Conference: Recognizing Substance Abuse in the Injured Athlete. Sports Medicine Conference, Clearwater, Florida
- November 2017 – Presiding Over Synthetic Drug Cases, Stetson College of Law, Tampa, Florida
- November 2017 – InfraGard Cybersecurity Annual Meeting, Clearwater, Florida
- April 2017 – *Performing at Any Cost* Sports Medicine Conference: Recognizing Licit, Illicit and PED Abuse, Clearwater, Florida
- February 2017 – Drug Free America Foundation Annual Drug Summit. Panelist - Problem Solving Courts. Tampa, Florida
- October 2016 – Massachusetts General Hospital, Surgery & Pain Management, Boston, Massachusetts
- October 2016 – Air Force Office of Special Investigations, MacDill Air Force Base, Tampa, Florida

- July 2016 – *Leaving One War to Fight Another: Managing Injuries of the Military “Athlete”*, St. Petersburg, Florida
- July 2016 – Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Miami Field Office, Annual State Analysts Conference. Tampa, Florida
- May 2016 – Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Miami Field Office, Field Agents Training. Tampa, Florida
- May 2016 – Florida School Health Association Convention, Orlando, Florida
- April 2016 – Manatee County Sheriff’s Office Narcotics/Child Abuse Division, Bradenton, Florida
- April 2016 – Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Schools of Medicine, Pharmacy and Dentistry, Bradenton, Florida
- April 2016 – Manatee County Department of Education, Bradenton, Florida
- March 2016 – The Impact of Economic and Regulatory Factors on Opioid Prescribing Practices of Emergency Department Physicians, Society of Toxicology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana
- February 2016 – Manatee County Opioid Overdose Prevention Series, Bradenton, Florida
- February 2016 – The Changing Face of Heroin Abuse, Prescription Drug Abuse Summit, Drug Free America Foundation, Tampa, Florida
- January 2016 – Veterans Treatment Court, 13th Judicial Circuit, Tampa, Florida
- November 2015 – Nuances for Opioid Prescribing to Military Patients. Dillehay Conference. Las Vegas, Nevada
- November 2015 – Cardiac Interpretation and Pharmacology, Dillehay Conference. Las Vegas, Nevada
- November 2015 – Trauma Assessment, Dillehay Conference. Las Vegas, Nevada
- October 2015 – Nuances for Opioid Prescribing to Military Patients. Dillehay Conference. San Antonio, Texas
- October 2015 – Cardiac Interpretation and Pharmacology, Dillehay Conference. San Antonio, Texas
- October 2015 – Trauma Assessment, Dillehay Conference. San Antonio, Texas
- October 2015 – “Emerging Drug Trends”, Stand Up Polk Drug Coalition, Haines City, Florida
- October 2015 – “Recognizing Drug Abuse: From the Street to the Lab,” Southeastern Society of Toxicology, Tampa, Florida
- October 2015 – Cardiology / Trauma Updates, Dillehay Conference, San Antonio, Texas
- August 2015 – Drug and Alcohol Testing Industry Association (DATIA), National webinar
- June 2015 – Nuances for Opioid Prescribing to Military Patients. Dillehay Conference. Orlando, Florida
- June 2015 – Cardiac Interpretation and Pharmacology, Dillehay Conference. Orlando, Florida
- June 2015 – Trauma Assessment, Dillehay Conference. Orlando, Florida
- May 2015 – The Rise in Heroin Abuse, Manatee County Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition, Bradenton, Florida
- February 2015 – The Rise in Heroin Abuse, Prescription Drug Abuse Summit, Drug Free America Foundation, Tampa, Florida
- February 2015 – “Diagnosis: Domestic Abuse”, Florida Hospital Tampa, Medical Staff Grand Assembly, Tampa, Florida
- November 2014 – Florida Hospital Tampa Pediatric Grand Rounds, Tampa, Florida
- March 2014 – TriCare, Health Defense Headquarters, Washington DC (Falls Church center)
- March 2014 – Georgia Association of Physician Assistants (GAPA), Atlanta, Georgia
- February 2014 – “The History of the Prescription Drug Abuse Epidemic: Using the Past for Future Solutions” Prescription Drug Abuse Summit, Drug Free America Foundation, Tampa, Florida

- July 2013 – Georgia Association of Physician Assistants (GAPA), Hilton Head, South Carolina
- May 2013 – “Gang Violence ‘101’ for Medical Professionals”, Florida Association of Operating Room Nurses, Clearwater, Florida
- May 2013 – Sarasota Memorial Hospital 2013 Research Conference, Sarasota, Florida
- December 2012 – US Military Special Operations Medical Association (SOMA) National Conference, Tampa, Florida
- November 2012 – Florida Insurance Fraud Division, Tampa Office, Tampa, Florida
- August 2012 – Florida Annual Worker’s Compensation Conference, Orlando, Florida
- July 2012 – “Drug Abuse in Athletes: *Performing At Any Cost*.” Clearwater, Florida
- June 2012 – Institute of Police Technology and Management, Annual Conference, St. Petersburg, Florida
- June 2012 – University of South Florida College of Medicine, Resident / Fellow Orientation, Tampa, Florida
- May 2012 – Florida Bar Conference, Local Government Law in Florida, St. Augustine, Florida
- May 2012 – Sarasota Memorial Hospital 2012 Research Conference, Sarasota, Florida
- April 2012 – “Drug Diversion Investigations for Prosecutors & Undercover Investigators”, Tampa, Florida
- March 2012 - Attorney General Prescription Drug Advanced Investigations Conference, Orlando, Florida
- March 2012 – Florida Department of Health (Pinellas region), St. Petersburg, Florida
- February 2012 – Florida Association of Physicians Assistants, Orlando, Florida
- January 2012 - Mississippi State College Physician Assistant Program, Jackson, Mississippi
- November 2011 – Pinellas County Dental Association, St. Petersburg, Florida
- October 2011 - Attorney General Prescription Drug Diversion Conference, Miami, Florida
- October 2011 - International Association of Human Trafficking Investigators, Tampa, Florida
- September 2011 - Association of Women’s Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses, Sarasota, Florida
- September 2011 - Attorney General’s Prescription Drug Diversion Training Series, Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE), Tampa, Florida. **Repeated in Gainesville, Tallahassee, Pensacola*
- August 2011 – Florida Circuit Court Judges Annual Conference – Marco Island, Florida
- August 2011 – “Prescribing in an Epidemic” – Prescription Drug Abuse Summit – Tampa, Florida
- June 2011 – University of So. Florida College of Medicine, Incoming Resident/Fellow Orientation
- March 2011 – “Prescribing in an Epidemic” – Prescription Drug Abuse Summit – Tampa, Florida
- February 2011 – Georgia Physician Assistant’s Convention, Atlanta, Georgia
- January 2011 – Tampa General Hospital, Surgical & Anesthesia Grand Rounds, Tampa, Florida
- October 2010 – Association of Operating Room Nurses Conference, Clearwater, Florida
- September 2010 – Polk County Prescription Drug Abuse Conference, Lakeland, Florida
- August 2010 – 2nd Annual Prescription Drug Abuse Summit, Tampa, Florida
- June 2010 – Health and Human Services Congressional Sub-Committee – Salt Lake City, Utah
- June 2010 – AR-MedCom Conference, US Army Reserve Training Center, St. Petersburg, Florida
- March 2010 – Bayfront Medical Center Trauma Symposium, St. Petersburg, Florida
- March 2010 – Drug Prevention Resource Conference, Lakeland, Florida
- July 2009 – Florida Association of Physicians Assistants – Miami Beach, Florida
- July 2009 – Georgia Association of Physicians Assistants – Hilton Head, South Carolina
- June 2009 – “Prescribing in an Epidemic” – Prescription Drug Abuse Summit – Tampa, Florida
- April 2009 – Annual HMA National ER Directors Conference, Orlando, Florida
- Sept 2008 – “Street & Prescription Drug Abuse”, Manatee Memorial Hospital, Bradenton, Florida
- July 2008 – Georgia Association of Physicians Assistant Convention, Destin, Florida
- May 2008 – University of Florida, College of Medicine, Gainesville, Florida
- May 2008 – Seven Rivers Hospital – Community Drug Conference, Crystal River, Florida

- April 2008 – “Gang Violence in the ER”, Lakeland Regional Med Ctr, Trauma Symposium, Lakeland, Florida
- April 2008 – Association of Women’s Health, Obstetrical & Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN), Tampa, Florida
- February 2008 – University of Florida, Physicians’ Assistant Program, Gainesville, Florida
- February 2008 – Tampa Bay Emergency Physicians Risk Management Conference, Tampa, Florida
- November 2007 – VA Hospital, Dept. of Emergency Medicine, Tampa, Florida
- November 2007 – Florida Department of Health, Sarasota, Florida
- October 2007 – Plastic Surgery Residency Conference, Tampa General Hospital, Tampa, Florida
- July 2007 – University of South Florida, College of Nursing, Tampa, Florida
- July 2007 – Georgia Physicians’ Assistant Convention, Hilton Head, South Carolina
- June 2007 – DeKalb Medical Center, Emergency Medicine Noon Conference, Atlanta, Georgia
- June 2007 – Emory University, Emergency Medicine Department, Atlanta, Georgia
- June 2007 – Sarasota County EMS Convention – Sarasota, Florida
- May 2007 – Watson Clinic Foundation – Lakeland, Florida
- April 2007 – “Gang Violence in the ER”, St. Joseph’s Hospital, Trauma symposium, Tampa, Florida
- April 2007 – South University Physician Assistant Program, Savannah, Georgia
- September 2006 – Florida Association of Nurse Anesthetists Annual Conference, Sanibel, Florida
- October 2005 – Walter Reed Hospital - Washington, DC
- August 2005 – Queens Hospital, Emergency Department, Honolulu, Hawaii
- August 2005 - California Emergency Medicine Physicians - San Francisco, California
- June 2005 – EDCare Medical Director’s Conference - Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
- May 2005 – Broward Co. EMS Agencies - Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
- April 2005 – Brooksville Regional Medical Center, Risk Management Conference, Brooksville, Florida
- April 2005 - American Association of Operating Room Nurses, Tampa, Florida
- April 2005 - Morton Plant Hospital, Emergency Medicine Noon conference, Clearwater, Florida
- March 2005 – Brandon Hospital Education Seminar, Brandon, Florida
- January 2005 – University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville, Florida
- July 2004 – Northside Hospital & Heart Institute - St. Petersburg, Florida
- March 2004 – Denver Health System – Denver, Colorado
- February 2004 – University Community Hospital ER Grand Rounds, Tampa, Florida
- January 2004 – University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville, Florida
- January 2004 - Morton Plant Hospital, Clearwater, Florida
- September 2003 – Halifax Medical Center, Daytona Beach, Florida
- May 2003 – Morton Plant Hospital, Clearwater, Florida
- May 2003 - Jackson Memorial Hospital – University of Miami, Miami, Florida
- April 2003 – American Association of Pediatric Nurses, Tampa, Florida
- March 2003 – University of Tampa Nursing Program, Tampa, Florida
- January 2002 – 2003 – University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville, Florida
- November 2001 – Northside Hospital and Heart Institute, St. Petersburg, Florida
- August 2001 – University Community Hospital, Tampa, Florida
- July 2001 – Hillsborough County School Board - Division of School Nurses, Tampa, Florida
- June 2001 – Seven Rivers Hospital - Crystal River, Florida
- May 2001 – American Society of Pediatrics Nurses - Hillsborough Chapter, Tampa, Florida
- May 2001 - Brandon Hospital Education Conference, Brandon, Florida
- March 2001 – Memorial Hospital of Tampa, Tampa, Florida
- February 2001 – “Tachycardia Antiarrhythmics”, University Community Hospital, Tampa, Florida

- January 2001 – American Association of Critical Care Nurses - Hillsborough Chapter, Tampa, Florida
- November 2000 – “Management of the Cardiac Arrest Patient in the OR”, University Community Hospital - Fletcher Campus, Tampa, Florida
- October 2000 – University Community Hospital ER Grand Rounds, Tampa, Florida
- May 2000 – “All Shocks are Not Alike”, Anesthesiology Associates - Brandon Hospital, Brandon, Florida
- April 2000 – Lakeland Regional Medical Center, Lakeland, Florida
- February 2000 – University Community Hospital ER Grand Rounds, Tampa, Florida
 - February 2000 - Morton Plant Hospital Grand Rounds, Clearwater, Florida
- September 1999 – “Updates in Cardiac Pharmacology”, Anesthesiology Associates, Brandon, Florida
- * “*Recognizing Street & Prescription Drug Abuse*” lecture - unless otherwise noted

Curriculum Development

- “Licit and Illicit Drug Abuse: Toxicology for Medical Professionals” - University of Florida, December 2018
- “Toxidrome Recognition and Management of Synthetic Narcotic Agents” - Tampa General Hospital, July 2017
- “Leaving One War to Fight Another: Discerning the Complex Needs of Our Military Patients.” - Conference provision: 2016, 2017
- “Performing at Any Cost: Elite Management of the Injured Athlete.” - Conference provision: 2014, 2016, 2017
- “Investigating Drug Abuse: Nuances for Military Special Investigations Units.” Honorable Gregory Holder and MacDill Air Force Base, Office of Special Investigations. 2016
- “Protecting Public Health: Recognition of Street and Prescription Drug Abuse.” University of South Florida College of Public Health. Original date: 2011. Revisions: 2016
- “Medical and Legal Preparation for the Office Emergency” - Dr. Michael Jasin, Plastic Surgery Private Practice, Tampa – 2008
- “Street and Designer Drug Investigations”- Assistant Police Chief, Lehmann Matthias, State Police of Germany; Sgt. Shawn Collins, Lakeland Police Department Training Academy. 2007.
- “Preventing Injuries to Law Enforcement/Pre-Hospital Personnel due to Meth Lab Exposures” - Detective Brian Saltee, Albuquerque Police Department; 2006
- “Gang Violence in the Emergency Department” - Detective Marshall Long, Chicago Police Department, Organized Crime Division; Detective John Graham, Chicago Police Department, Gangs Division. 2006
- “Intraosseous Device Preferences” - Dr. Roy Philip, Midwestern Medical Center, Office of Research and Innovation. Limerick, Ireland. 2005
- “In an Emergency, How do I...” (Australian) – Anne Tesch, CENA (College of Emergency Nursing Australasia). 2008. Book adaptation.
- “In an Emergency, How do I...” (Spanish) Dr. Eduardo Loyola, Medical Director, Servicios Médicos Loyola S.A., Hospital CIMA, San José, Costa Rica. 2007. Book adaptation.

Media Appearances / Interviews / Panels

- Campbell, K. Legal Nurse Consulting Podcast, The Legal Aspect of ADHD Abuse, July 2018
- Campbell, K. Legal Nurse Consulting Podcast, The Current Opioid Epidemic, June 2018
- Legal Nurse Consultant PodCast. Legal Concerns Regarding ADHD Medication Abuse. July 2018

- Legal Nurse Consultant PodCast. Legal Aspects of Opioid Prescribing Practices. June 2018
- Drug Free American Foundation. 2017 Drug Summit. Guest panelist. Feb. 21, 2017
- Edwards, P. “Veterans Treatment Court. *WTMP Radio*. Sept. 13, 2016
- Carlton, S. “Hillsborough Judge Gregory Holder is reprimanded by Florida Supreme Court.” *Tampa Bay Times*. Aug. 31, 2016
- Miller D. “Drug Summit Addresses Heroin Abuse, E-Cigarettes.” *Health News Florida*. Feb. 17, 2016
- Rinaldi A. “Expelled Veteran’s Case Gets National Attention.” *Univ of South Fla Oracle*. January 11, 2016
- Marrero T. “Pinellas ends ban on new pain clinics.” *Tampa Bay Times*. July 11, 2015
- Dunkelberger L. “A deadly epidemic, a lifesaving antidote.” *Bradenton Herald Tribune*. May 23, 2015
- Auguiano D. “Experts predict rise in heart infection with increase of heroin use.” *Medill Reports* <http://news.medill.northwestern.edu/chicago/experts-predict-rise-in-heart-infection-with-increase-of-heroin-use/>. March 20, 2015
- Auguiano D. “Bipartisan drug proposal garners praise from drug professionals”. *Medill Reports*. <http://news.medill.northwestern.edu/chicago/bipartisan-drug-legislation-garners-praise-from-drug-professionals/>. March 11, 2015
- Taylor M. “Heroin overdose death rates quadrupled since 2000, says CDC.” *Aljazeera America*. <http://america.aljazeera.com/articles/2015/3/4/heroin-overdose-deaths-quadrupled-since-2010.html>. March 4, 2015
- Tracy, D. Prescription Drug Abuse Panel. *Florida Academy of Pain Management Physicians Annual Conference*. Orlando, Florida. June 2012
- Hein, L. “Everyday Parenting.” *Radio Ear Network*. St. Petersburg, Florida. June 2012
- Webster, K. Prescription Drug Abuse Panel. *Florida Society of Interventional Pain Physicians, Annual Conference*. Orlando, Florida. May 2012
- Stein L. “Federal government unveils program to fight prescription drug epidemic.” *St. Petersburg Times*. April 19, 2011
- Hutcheson N. “Prescription drug abuse summit held in Tampa;” *St. Petersburg Times*. August 27, 2010
- Briggs, S. “Teens & Alcohol/Prescription Drug Abuse.” *WEDU PBS*. Television panel. Tampa, Florida. April 2011
- Fay, C. “Town Hall Meeting.” *Drug Free America Foundation*. Guest panelist. Largo, Florida. March 2011
- Fountain, C. “Cathy Fountain Show.” *Fox Broadcasting (WTVT)*. Tampa, Florida. September 2009
- Shedden M. “Abuse of painkillers fuels new drug ‘epidemic’.” *Tampa Tribune*. July 6, 2009
- “An RX for Drug Prescribers.” *Tampa Bay Medical News*. July 2009
- Fountain, C. Cathy Fountain Show. *Fox Broadcasting (WTVT)*. Tampa, Florida. June 2009

Certifications

- Advanced Cardiac Life Support Instructor – March 1985 - present
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support Provider – April 1980 - present
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support Instructor – February 1990 - present
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support Provider – February 1990 - present
- Basic Life Support Instructor – April 2008 - present
- Basic Life Support Provider – April 2008 - present
- Paramedic License, State of Florida – August 1981 – present
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support Regional Faculty – November 2000 - 2007

- Pediatric Advanced Life Support Regional Faculty – November 2000 – 2007
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program Provider – October 1999 – October 2003

Memberships

- American Association of Clinical Toxicologists
- Society of Forensic Toxicologists
- American Bar Association
- Hillsborough County Bar Association
- National Association of Drug Court Professionals
- National Association of Drug Diversion Investigators (NADDI)
- Society of Federal Health Professionals (AMSUS)
- American College of Sports Medicine

Awards

Tampa Bay Business Journal – 2010 Businesswoman of the Year, Education Finalist
 Tampa Bay Business Journal – 2007 Health Care Heroes, Medical Educator, Finalist

References

Robert O’Neill, JD – Former US Attorney, Middle District, Florida
 Honorable Gregory Holder – Circuit Court Judge, 13th Judicial Circuit
 Lt. General David Fridovich – US Army (Retired), Special Operations Command
 Dr. Charles Maher - Team Psychologist, Cleveland Indians, Rutgers University
 Honorable Manuel Lopez – Circuit Court Judge (Retired), Criminal Division, 13th Judicial Circuit
 Susan Latvala – Former Chair, Pinellas Board of County Commissioners
 Fred Bearison, MD – Past Chair, Florida Board of Medicine, Internal Medicine, Private Practice
 Dan Riggs, MD - Director, Pediatric ICU, Tampa General Hospital
 *Additional references available upon request