

Michael Jude Froncek, M.D., M.S., F.A.C.P., F.A.C.R.
Curriculum Vitae

Undergraduate Education

University of Rochester
500 Wilson Boulevard
Rochester, NY 14627
September 1984 to
May 1988

B.S. in Biochemistry with Distinction in Research
Summa Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa
Minor degree in Spanish

University of Oxford
Department of Biochemistry
University College
Visiting Student
matric. 1986

Medical Education

University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry
601 Elmwood Avenue
Rochester, NY 14642
June 1988 to
May 1994

Pre-Clinical Education (Years 1 and 2)
Medical Student Research Fellow in Biochemistry and Pediatrics (Summers)
M.S., Microbiology and Immunology (2 years)
Clinical Education (Years 3 and 4)
M.D. Awarded May 22, 1994

Postdoctoral Training

Intern/Resident in Internal Medicine
Baystate Medical Center
Western Campus of Tufts University School of Medicine
759 Chestnut Street
Springfield, MA 01199
July 1994 to
June 1997

Clinical Associate (Fellow in Rheumatology)
Arthritis and Rheumatism Branch
National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases
National Institutes of Health
Clinical Center, Building 10
9000 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, MD 20892
July 1997 to
July 1999

Fellow in Rheumatology
University of Southern California
August 1999 to
June 2000

Department of Rheumatology and Immunology
Los Angeles County/USC Medical Center
1100 North State Street
Los Angeles, CA 90033

Private Practice

Orrin M. Troum, M.D. and Associates
2336 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 207
Santa Monica, CA 90404
Performed diagnostic needle arthroscopy and lavage
July 2000 to
December 2001

Summit Medical Group
120 Summit Avenue
Summit, NJ 07901
January 2001 to
November 2003

CaroMont Health
Arthritis and Osteoporosis Center
2711 X-ray Drive
Gastonia, NC 28054
December 2003 to
March 2005

Rheumatology Center of Princeton
123 Franklin Corner Road, Suite 106
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
Section Chief of Rheumatology, 2009-2013
University Medical Center of Princeton at Plainsboro
April 2005 to
Present

Licensure

Active New Jersey Medical and CDS Licenses
Prior Licensure in North Carolina, California, Maryland, and Massachusetts

Board Certification and Additional Qualifications

American Board of Internal Medicine Diplomate in Rheumatology, November 1999, Recertified to 2019
American Board of Internal Medicine Diplomate in Internal Medicine, August 1997, Recertified to 2017
Experienced in Bone Densitometry and Musculoskeletal Ultrasound

Academic Appointments

Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, UMDNJ – Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, USC- Keck School of Medicine (July 2000-Dec. 2001)
Voluntary Attending at L.A. County/USC Medical Center (Oct. 2000-Dec. 2001)

Hospital Committees

Department of Medicine Performance Review, University Medical Center of Princeton at Plainsboro

Publications

Froncek, M.J. and D.A. Horwitz, “Cytokines in the Pathogenesis of Systemic Lupus Erythematosus” in *Dubois’ Lupus Erythematosus, 6th Ed.* Ed. Wallace D. and Hahn B. Lippincott-Williams and Wilkins Publishers, 187-203 (2002).

Froncek, M.J., S. Derdak, M.E. Felch, M.R. Silvera, H.B. Watts, and R.P. Phipps, "Cellular and molecular characterization of Thy-1⁺ and Thy-1⁻ murine lung fibroblasts," in *Pulmonary Fibroblast Heterogeneity*, ed. R.P. Phipps, CRC Press, 135-198 (1991).

Presentations

Grand Rounds

"Rheumatoid Arthritis," Medicine Grand Rounds at University Medical Center of Princeton, 6/7/05
"Management Update on OA," Medicine Grand Rounds at UMCP, 1/10/06
"Spondyloarthropathies," Medicine Grand Rounds at UMCP, 9/19/06
"Connective Tissue Diseases," Medicine Grand Rounds at RWJ Hamilton, 5/9/07
"Lupus Update," Medicine Grand Rounds at UMCP, 10/9/07
Grand Rounds during NIH and USC fellowships 1997-2000

Community Education

Community education talks for RWJH Center for Health and Wellness, 2006-2011
Community education talks for Princeton Healthcare System, 2006-present
"What is Arthritis?" for Gaston Memorial Hospital community outreach programs 2004-2005
"What Your Primary Care Provider Needs to Know About Your Lupus" for Lupus Foundation chapter meetings in Union County, September 2002

Broadcast Media

"Osteoarthritis Guidelines" for KABC News (Los Angeles), aired January 17, 2001
"Chronic Fatigue Syndrome" Channel 6 (Philadelphia)

Industry Speaking and Consulting (current)

AbbVie, Pfizer, Takeda Pharmaceuticals

Foreign Languages

Spanish (advanced), French (basic), Norwegian (basic)

Honors and Awards

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| Hans Krebs Prize for Undergraduate Research in Biochemistry | 1988 |
| de Kiewiet Summer Research Fellow (at Oxford) | 1987 |
| Early Selection Student, University of Rochester School of Medicine | 1986 |
| Joseph C. Wilson Scholar, University of Rochester | 1984-89 |
| National Merit Scholar | 1984-88 |
| Patient's Choice Award | 2008 |

Professional Memberships

American College of Rheumatology, *Fellow*
American College of Physicians, *Fellow*
American Society for Bone and Mineral Research
United States Fencing Association