

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### SUMMARY

Successful clinical professor and family doctor, board certified in both Canada and the U.S.A. (retired), with a long history of building valuable relationships, services, and programs, working in direct patient care, administration and governance, research, and teaching who redefined himself when diagnosed with leukemia in 2005 by becoming a respected and sought after expert in his own and other diseases and more involved in C.M.E., patient advocacy and education, clinical trials, medical writing, news and interviews, and blogging.

### EDUCATION

M.S. Ed.	University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 2000
Fellowship in Leadership	University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 2000
Fellowship in Teaching	University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 1999
<b>M.D., C.M.</b>	<b>McGill University, Montreal, Canada 1975</b>
B.S.	McGill University, Montreal, Canada 1973

### INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY

Psychiatry Fellowship	McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada July 1978 – June 1979
Family Practice	University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada June 1975 – December 1977

### LICENSURE, CERTIFICATION, AND MEMBERSHIP

Fellow, Canadian College of Family Physicians 2006  
American Board of Family Practice (A.B.F.P.), 1998, renewed 2005, 2015  
American Academy of Family Practice (AAFP), 1988  
Board of Medical Quality Assurance, 1978  
Certificate of Canadian College of Family Physicians (C.C.F.P.), 1977  
Licentiate of Medical Council of Canada (L.M.C.C.), 1975

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of Southern California, Keck School of Medicine, 1993 – 2008, Clinical Professor,  
Department of Family Medicine (retired)

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario 1980. Adjunct Assistant Professor in Health  
Studies

## **WORK / DIRECTORSHIP / MEMBERSHIP / LEADERSHIP**

The CLL Society, Executive Vice President, and Chief Medical Officer, 2018 - present

CLL Advocates Network (C.L.L.A.N.) 2016- present -steering committee

The CLL Society, Co-Founder and Medical Director, 2013-2018

CLL Christian Friends forum, Medical Director 2013- 2017 (providing medical guidance and answering patient questions about their cancer and general medical care)

Reporter, Advocate, and Interviewer, 2010 - present (video interviews featured on multiple websites and lecturing and interviewing internationally for patients, healthcare providers, and industry)

Member, Advocacy Steering Committee - Be the Match (National Bone Marrow Registry), 2009 – 2111

Publisher and Writer, Bkoffman.blogspot.com, 2008-present (>1,500,000 visits)

Medical Director, Board Directors, Faculty-Primary Care Network (nonprofit C.M.E.) 2003-present

Developed branded herbal formulary for St. Joseph Health System 2002

Mission and Mentoring Faculty, St. Joseph Health System (teaching spirituality in medicine across the health system), 2000-2007

Co-Founder and Chairman - Integrated Medicine Committee, St. Jude Heritage Medical Group, 1998-2010

Co-Founder, “Doc to Doc” (spiritual physician support group), 1995 – 2002

Board Director, St. Joseph Heritage Healthcare North Division 2001-2008

Board Director, St. Jude Heritage Medical Group, 1998 – 2004

Chief of Staff - St. Jude Heritage Medical Group Diamond Bar and Chino Hills, 1997 – 2008

Volunteer Medical Director, Shalom Institute, Malibu, CA, 1991 - 2007

Co-Founder and Co-Director of Chronic Pain Program, Charter Oaks Hospitals, 1991 - 1992

Co-Founder and Co-Director of Chronic Pain Program, C.P.C. Horizon Hospital, 1989 -1991

Founder and Director of Forensic Child Sexual Abuse Assessment Program, Queen of the Valley, Covina, CA 1988 – 1996

Family Physician (Diamond Bar Medical Group, then St. Jude Heritage Medical Group) Diamond Bar, CA 1980-2018

## **PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH**

Identifying inequities in support - a global survey of patient organizations delivering support services for CLL patients 2023 E.H.A. Abstract

Understanding Patient Preferences for Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia Treatments, Blood (2022) 140 (Supplement 1): 10803–10805 2022 A.S.H. abstract. <https://doi.org/10.1182/blood-2022-159648>

COVID-19 Vaccine Refusal and Fair Allocation of Scarce Medical Resources J.A.M.A. (April 8, 2022)- comment

Awareness, Knowledge, and Preferences of United States (U.S.) Patients with Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) and Their Caregivers Related to Finite Duration (F.D.) Therapy and Minimal (Measurable) Residual Disease (M.R.D.) 2021 A.S.H. abstract

A Survey of European Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) Patients' and Caregivers' Awareness, Preferences, and Understanding Related to Finite (Limited) Duration Therapy and Minimal Residual Disease (M.R.D.), Lecture and Abstract, September 19, 2021

Vaccinated, Unprotected, and Unaware of the Risk J.A.M.A. (June 24, 2021)- comment

Management of CLL Patients Early in the COVID-19 Pandemic: An International Survey of CLL Experts American Journal of Hematology, April 30, 2020

Impact of CLL Society's (C.L.L.S.) Free Expert Access Program (E.A.P.) for Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) Patients (Pts) 2020 E.H.A. abstract

An Innovative Telemedicine Platform to Provide Expert Access to Patients with Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) 2019 A.S.H. abstract

A US-Based Survey: Factors That Influence Treatment Decision-Making from the Perspectives of 1147 Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (CLL) Patients 2018 A.S.H. abstract

A US-Based Survey: The Experiences of 1147 CLL Patients 2018 E.H.A. abstract

A US-Based Survey: The Experiences of 1147 CLL Patients 2018 A.S.C.O. abstract

Not so crystal clear: observations from a case of crystalline arthritis with cytokine release syndrome (C.R.S.) after chimeric antigen receptor (C.A.R.)-T cell therapy October 2018 Bone Marrow Transplantation

Factors That Influence Patient Treatment Decision Making in the Era of Novel Agents: An Internet-Based Survey of 281 Patients with CLL 2016 A.S.H. abstract:

The 21st-century revolution in CLL: Why this matters to patients Best Practice & Research Clinical Haematology Volume 29, Issue 1, March 2016, Pages 122-132

Use of C.M.E. to impact self-reported changes in the evaluation and management of anemia in geriatric patients. Journal of European C.M.E., [S.l.], v. 4, May. 2015. ISSN 2161-4083

Analysis of After-Hour Patients in a Family Practice. Journal of Family Practice, December 1978, Vol. 7, No. 6 pgs. 185 – 190

How Aggressive Should Clinical Investigation Be? Canadian Medical Assoc. Journal, August 6, 1977, Vol. 117, pg. 219

## **AWARDS**

CLL Hero of the Year 2018, CURE Magazine

Care Differently Award, 2018, Verastem Oncology

National Program of the Year – Chronic Pain 1990, C.P.C. Horizon Hospital

The After-Hour Patient - Or Can It Wait Until Morning? Award of Merit – North American Primary Care Meeting, April 1978