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MEDICAL EXPERIENCE

2017-Pres. Shoreline Mohs Surgery Guilford, CT

Private Practice Dermatologic Surgery (Owner)

2004-Pres. Advanced Dermatology LLC Norwich, CT

Private Practice General and Surgical Dermatology (Owner)

2000-2004 Chelsea Clinic Surgery Norwich, CT

Private Practice General and Dermatologic Surgery

EDUCATION

2007-2008 Skin Cancer Center Cincinnati, OH

Surgical Fellowship in Mohs Micrographic Surgery

1997-2000 Washington University School of Medicine St. Louis, MO

Dermatology Residency, Chief Resident

1996-1997 University of Maryland Hospital Baltimore, MD

Internship in Internal Medicine

1989-1996 Washington University School of Medicine St. Louis, MO

M.D.-Ph.D. Combined Degree Program

Ph.D. in Immunology

1985-1989 Harvard University Cambridge, MA
B.S. in Biology, Magna Cum Laude

CERTIFICATIONS

2000, 2010 Board Certified American Board of Dermatology
2009 Fellow member American College of Mohs Micrographic
Surgery

MEDICAL ASSOCIATIONS AND POSITIONS

Fellow member American Academy of Dermatology, Fellow member
American College of Mohs Surgery, American Society of Mohs Surgery,
American Society of Dermatologic Surgery, Masters Dermatologic
Association, American Medical Association, Connecticut Dermatology
Society, American Dermatologic Association

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION LEADERSHIP

American Academy of Dermatology

- Chair, Patient Access and Payer Relations Committee 2014-2018, advisor
2018-present
- Chair, Physician Payment Reform Workgroup 2011-2012
- Board of Directors, SkinPAC Political Action Committee 2018-present
- Coding and Reimbursement Committee 2019-present
- Performance Measures Committee 2013-2018
- Healthcare Finance Committee 2011-2014
- Workgroup on Innovation in Payment and Delivery 2013-present, chair
2020-present
- Expert Resource Group of Quality and Patient Safety 2013-2016

- Private Sector Advocacy Taskforce 2012-2014
- Deputy Chair, Resource Based Relative Value System Committee 2015-present
- Chair, Phototherapy Documentation Workgroup 2016-2017
- Skin Cancer Measure Development Workgroup 2014-2016
- Patient Reported Outcomes Measure Development Workgroup 2016-2018
- Governmental Affairs and Healthcare Policy Council 2017-2019
- Performance Measures Needs Assessment Workgroup 2017-2018
- Immunohistochemistry Appropriate Use Workgroup 2019
- Evaluation and Management Member Education Workgroup 2020-present
- Question of the Week Coding Workgroup 2019-2020
- Connecticut State Leader Legislative Conference 2020
- Step Therapy Workgroup 2020
- Task Force on E/M Coding Revision Impact 2021

American College of Mohs Surgery

- Vice President 2021
- Secretary Treasurer 2020-2021
- ACMS Board of Directors 2016-2019
- Chair, AMCS Private Sector Task Force 2013-pres
- Scientific Program Committee Cochair 2012, Chair 2013, Ex Officio 2014, Member 2020-present
- ACMS representative to AMA Relative Value Update Committee (RUC) 2014 –pres
- Chair, ACMS Finance Committee 2020-2021
- ACMS National Registry and Outcomes Committee, Vice Chair 2013-2016, Chair 2017-2019, advisor 2020-present
- Chair of ACMS Mohs Log Subcommittee 2013-2015

- ACMS representative to Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
MACRA Resource Use Measure Clinical Committee 2016- 2020
- Chair of Oncology Subcommittee of Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
Services Acumen MACRA Resource Use Measure Clinical Committee 2018
- Chair of Dermatologic Care Subcommittee of Centers for Medicare and
Medicaid Services Acumen MACRA Resource Use Measure Clinical
Committee 2019-2021
- Public Policy Committee 2012-pres
- Alliance for Specialty Medicine (ASM), ACMS Representative 2014-pres
- ACMS Membership Committee 2012-2014, 2020-2021

American Society of Dermatologic Surgery

- ASDS State Advocacy Taskforce 2020
- ASDS Task Force on Value Analysis 2016-pres
- ASDS Alternative Payment Model Workgroup 2014—2015

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

Dermatology representative to Carrier Advisory Committee for Medicare
Administrative Contractor, National Government Services 2019-present

Council of Medical Specialty Societies

- Representative to the Ambulatory Quality Alliance 2012-2013

Congressional Testimony

- Testified before Congressional Small Business Committee representing
AADA regarding the burden of step therapy and prior authorization 2019

INDUSTRY POSITIONS

- Humana Inc., Physician Provider Collaborative Committee, 2013-2016
- Case and policy reviewer for Medical Review Institute of America

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2000-pres. Organized 53 community skin cancer screening programs in conjunction with William W. Backus Hospital
- 2002-pres. Speaker for community education program in conjunction with William W. Backus Hospital education department

CLINICAL RESEARCH

- 2001-2003 Phase 3 study site for efalizumab efficacy in psoriasis (Genentech)
- 2005 Trial study site for community based efficacy study of adapalene for acne (Galderma)
- 2005-2008. ATLAS study on long term safety of alefacept for psoriasis (Biogen-Idec)

HONORS

- 2017 American Academy of Dermatology – Presidential Citation for service in insurer and regulatory advocacy
- 2017 American Academy of Dermatology – Presidential Citation for service as advisor to AMA RUC
- 2017 American Academy of Dermatology – Performance Measures Pioneer Award
- 2014 Distinguished Service Award, American College of Mohs Surgery
- 1999-2000 Chief Resident, Dermatology Residency, Washington University School of Medicine
- 1996 Henry Yalem Prize in Dermatology, awarded for outstanding

work in Dermatology

1995 Spencer T. Olin Fellowship in recognition of superior achievement in biomedical research

1989-1995 Swazey Scholar for Academic Distinction in Medical Pursuits

Languages – English, Spanish

PUBLICATIONS

1. Burd PR, Rogers HW, Gordon JR, Martin CA, Jayaraman S, Wilson S, Dvorak AM, Galli SJ, Dorf ME: Interleukin 3-dependent and independent mast cells stimulated with IgE and antigen express multiple cytokines. J Exp Med 170:245-257, 1989.
2. Rogers HW, Sheehan KCF, BruntLM, DowerSK, Unanue ER, Schreiber RD: Interleudin-1 participates in the development of anti-Listeria responses in normal and SCID mice. Proc Natl Acad Sci USA 89:1011-1015, 1992.
3. Beckerman KP, Rogers HW, Corbett JA, Schreiber RD, McDaniel ML, Unanue ER: Release of nitric oxide during the T cell independent pathway of macrophage activation. Its roles in resistance to Listeria monocytogenes. J Immunol 150: 888-895, 1993
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5. Rogers HW, Tripp CS, Schreiber RD, Unanue ER: Endogenous IL-1 is required for neutrophil recruitment and

- macrophage activation during murine Listeriosis. *J Immunol* 152:2093-2101, 1994.
6. Rogers HW, Unanue ER: Different stages in the natural and acquired resistance to an intracellular pathogen. *The Immunologist* 3:152-156, 1995.
 7. Rogers HW, Callery M, Unanue ER: Listeria induces hepatocyte apoptosis: implications for the role of neutrophils in Listeria resistance. *J Immunol* 156:679-684, 1996.
 8. Coldiron BM, Dinehart S, Rogers HW: Sentinel lymph node biopsy and completion lymph node dissection for malignant melanoma are not standard of care. *Clin. Dermatol.* 2009.
 9. Rogers HW, Coldiron BM: A Relative Value Unit Based Cost Comparison of Treatment Modalities for Non-Melanoma Skin Cancer. *J Am Acad Dermatol.* 2009 Jul;61(1):96-103.
 10. Rogers HW, Coldiron BM: Sentinel node biopsy not standard of care for melanoma. *J Am Acad Dermatol.* 2011 Feb;64(2):441.
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 13. Rogers HW, Coldiron BM. Analysis of skin cancer treatment and costs in the United States Medicare

- population, 1996-2008. *Dermatol Surg.* 2013 Jan;39(1 Pt 1):35-42.
14. Rogers HW, Coldiron BM, Dinehart SM, Hendi A, Hruza G, Fosko SW, Moody BR. Skin cancer treatment fee comparisons inaccurate. *Dermatol Surg.* 2012 Dec;38(12):2038-9.
 15. Rogers HW, Weinstock MA, Feldman SR, Coldiron BM. Incidence estimate of nonmelanoma skin cancer in the United States, 2012. *Arch Dermatol. JAMA Dermatol.* 2015 Oct;151(10):1081-6.
 16. Rogers HW. Is cryosurgery cost effective in the treatment of non-melanoma skin cancer? *Dermatological Cryosurgery and Cryotherapy*, Springer, New York, NY. 2016.
 17. Rogers HW. Is Mohs Surgery Cost-Effective versus Traditional Surgical Excision? *Current Dermatology Reports: Volume 3, Issue 2 (2014)*, 91-97.
 18. Leitenberger JJ, Rogers HW, Chapman JC, Maher IA, Fox MC, Harmon CB, Bailey EC, Wisco OJ. Defining Recurrence of Non-Melanoma Skin Cancer after Mohs Micrographic Surgery: Report of the American College of Mohs Surgery Registry and Outcomes Committee. *J Am Acad Dermatol.* 2016 Nov;75(5):1022-1031.
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