**Paula**

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**--------------------------------- EXECUTIVE PROFILE -------------------------------**

My passion is providing superior dermatologic patient care with compassion. I have managed several dermatology clinics over the years and I am proficient in all aspects of dermatology including MOHS surgery, cosmetic dermatology (Botox, fillers, chemical peels, and some lasers) and also dermatopathology.

**---------------------------------------- SKILLS ---------------------------------------**

I am an American Board Certified Dermatologist and Dermatopathologist. I am proficient in seeing a variety of patients including routine and complicated medical dermatology patients. I have excellent surgery skills and have performed over 400 MOHS skin cancer surgery cases with complex closures. I have evaluated and reported over 30,000 biopsy specimens. I also enjoy performing cosmetic procedures including Botox, chemical peels, fillers, Microneedling, and also laser surgery for hair removal, tattoo removal, and also rejuvenation.

**----------------------------- PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE -----------------------**

05/1997 to Current

**Dermatologist & Dermatopathologist Family Dermatology P.C.**

**Dermatologist/ Consultant,** 05/1997 to Current

**Cartersville Medical Center**- Atlanta, NE Georgia

**Dermatologist/ Consultant**, 08/1999 to 04/ 2016

**Gwinnett Medical Center**- Lawrenceville, Georgia

**Dermatopathologist,** 06/1996 to 05/1997

**Atlanta Dermatopathology Laboratory Inc**- Atlanta, Georgia

**Dermatologist,** 04/1996 to 05/1997

**Wesley S. Wilborn, M.D. P.C**- Atlanta, Georgia

**Assistant Professor,** 07/1995 to 04/1996

**University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**- Little Rock, Arkansas

**Assistant Professor,** 01/1995 to 01/1996

**Washington University Medical Center Barns Hospital**- St. Louis, Missouri

**Assistant Professor/ Director of Dermatopathology,** 01/1995 to 01/1996

**University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences-** Little Rock, Arkansas

**Consultant Dermatopathologist**, 01/1995 to 01/1996

**University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences**- Little Rock, Arkansas

**Consultant/ Director of Dermatology**, 01/1995 to 01/1996

**John C. McClellan Veteran’s Administration Hospital**- Little Rock, Arkansas

AHEC Family Medicine Residency Program

**Attending Dermatologist**, 01/1995 to 01/1996

**Jefferson Memorial Hospital Arkansas State Health Prison PHP Health Care Corporation-** Pine Bluff, Arkansas

**Fellowship in Dermatopathology,** 07/1994 to 06/1995

**Washington University Medical Center Barnes Hospital**

**Instructor**, 01/1994 to 01/ 1995

**Washington University Medical Center Barnes Hospital**

**Chief Resident in Dermatology**, 06/1993 to 07/1994

**One Barnes Plaza- St. Louis, Missouri**

**Dermatology Resident**, 07/1991 to 06/1994

**Washing University Barns Hospital**- St. Louis, Missouri

**Intern- Internal Medicine**, 06/1990 to 06/1991

**Cornell University Medical Center**- New York City, New York

**---------------------------------------- EDUCATION ----------------------------------**

**M.D**.: Medicine, 1990

**University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine- Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**

**M.S. Ed**.,: Education May 1990

**University of Pennsylvania Graduate Education**- Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

**Bachelor of Science**: Biology, 1986

**City College of New York**- New York, New York

G P A: Phi Beta Kappa, National Dean’s List Chancellor’s Honor Roll

Chemistry Phi Beta Kappa, National Dean’s List Chancellor’s Honor Roll

**Bachelor of Science**: Biochemistry, June 1986

**City College of New York**- New York, New York

G P A: Phi Beta Kappa, Summa Cum laude

**Associate of Science**: Biology & Chemistry, 1984

**Bronx Community College**- Bronx, New York

**--------------------------------- PERSONAL INFORMATION -------------------------**

Married: Yinka Adesokan, Systems Engineer (Microsoft Certified) Systems Consultant

Children: Alexa 15, Austin 13, Annika 11

Citizenship: United States of America

I am a vegetarian, half marathoner, and also do yoga daily

**------------------------------ PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS -----------------------**

American Academy of Dermatology, Fellow – since 1994

American Society of Dermatopathology, Fellow – since 1996

American Society of Dermatologic Surgery – since 1996

Women’s Dermatologic Society – since 1996

National Medical Association – since 1994

Atlanta Medical Association – since 1996

Atlanta Dermatologic Society – since 1996

American Society for MOHS surgery – since 2012

**----------------------------- ADDITIONAL INFORMATION --------------------------**

Diplomate, American Board of Dermatology, October 1994, recertified 2014

Diplomate, American Board of Pathology, October 1995, recertified 2104

Licensure: Georgia License #041-913, June 1996 – present

Pennsylvania License #MD427315 August 2005 – present

Florida License # ME103298 December 2008 - present

Alabama License #MD28766 March 2008 – present

Most Recent Publications (total 24)

Follicular stem cell marker PHLDA1 (TDAG51) is superior to cytokeratin-20 in differentiating between trichoepithelioma and basal cell carcinoma in small biopsy specimens. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, Feb 2011, 38(7):542-50

Expression of embryonic stem cell markers SOX2 and nestin in dermatofibrosarcoma protuberans and dermatofibroma. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., Patel, R.F., Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, May 2011 38(5):415-9

Fibroepthelioma of Pinkus is a true basal cell carcinoma developing with a newly identified tumor-specific type of epidermal hyperplasia. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., Kutzner, H., British Journal of Dermatology, September 2011 166(1):88-97

The ventral proximal nail fold: Stem cell niche of the nail and equivalent to the follicular bulge – A study on developing human skin. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, June 2012, 39(9):835-43

The concept of the onychodermis (specialized nail mesenchyme): An embryological assessment and a comparative analysis with the hair follicle. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, January 2013, 40(5)

Nonspecific Histopathological Diagnoses: The impact of partial biopsy and the need for a consensus guideline. Sellheyer, K., Nelson, P., JAMA Dermatology, Nov 2013, 7227