

James Drew Veltmeyer, M.D.

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Specialty

Physician and Surgeon
Family & Community Medicine
Hospitalist: San Diego Critical Care Medical Group

Credentials

Board Certified Family Medicine, 2009
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), 2007
Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics (ALSO), 2006
Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support Program 2005
Neonatal Resuscitation Certification, 2005

Professional Societies

American Board of Family Medicine
American Academy of Family Physicians
San Diego County Medical Society

Education /Training

Residency 7/2005 – 6/2008
Family & Community Medicine
University of California, San Francisco – (UCSF-Fresno), Fresno, CA 93702

Ross University School of Medicine 01/2000 – 12/2004
Basic Sciences, Dominica, British West Indies 2001-2002
University of Maryland Medical School Affiliated Program, Clinical Rotations 2003-2004

Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology 1994 - 1997
University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92037

Biology 1992 -1994
Mesa Community College, Clairemont Mesa, CA 92111

Experience

Chairman, Department of Family Medicine January 2013 – Present
Sharp Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA 91942

Vice Chairman, Department of Family Medicine January 2010 – December 2012
Sharp Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA 91942

BioMedical Ethics Committee Member July 2009 – Present
Sharp Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA 91942

Hospitalist, Department Internal Medicine April 2019 – Present
Sharp Grossmont Hospital, La Mesa, CA 91942

Hospitalist, Department Internal Medicine May 2019 – Present
Alvarado Hospital, San Diego, CA 92120

Chief, Family Medicine Resident May 2007 – June 2008
University California of San Francisco – Fresno Family & Community Medicine
Fresno, CA 93702

Committee Appointee October 2007 – June 2008
Internal Review Committee for the Residency Program Accreditation
University California of San Francisco – Fresno Residency Program, Fresno, CA 93702

Program Director/Teacher July 2006
Director of McLane H.S. Medical Educational and Research Program Medicine Camp
McLane H.S., Fresno, CA 93702

Teaching Assistant in Clinical Science May 2003 – November 2003
Ross University School of Medicine, British West Indies-Dominica

Research Associate / Phlebotomist June 1997 – March 2000
LXN Corporation, San Diego CA 92126

Science Tutoring Manager for Teaching Workshops April – December 1996
Math / Science Teaching Assistant/Tutor
Office of Academic Support and Instructional Services (OASIS)
University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92037

Volunteer Experience

**Director of McLane High School Medical Magnet Summer Camp - 2003
Community Service**
Advisor to the school, wrote the curriculum, and taught classes in the areas of
Health careers, Basic Anatomy and Physiology, Sexual transmitted diseases,
Alcohol and Illegal Drugs.

Research Experience

University California of San Diego Surgery (Otolaryngology) Department 1997
Independent Researcher in the Faculty Mentor Program
Commetto-Muniz, J.E. Ph.D., Cain, W.S. Ph.D.
[Pharmacology Biochemistry and Behavior](#)
"Nasal pungency, odor & eye irritation thresholds for homologous acetates"
University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92037

LXN Corporation (1997 - 2000)
Research Associate
Researched and experimented different materials to improve the performance of
glucose test strips and subsequent glucose meters.
Mira Mesa, CA 922126

Language Fluency (Other than English); Spanish, spoken and written

Hobbies & Interests: Surfing, Tennis, Golf, Skiing, Chess

Awards/Accomplishments

Top Doctor of San Diego County: 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017

San Diego Magazine – October Issue: 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017 “Top Doctor of San Diego County”

America's Most Honored Professionals 2017 - Top 1%

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: America's Most Honored Professionals 2017 - Top 1%
Recognized By: Americas Most Honored
Publication Date: April 2017
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Compassionate Doctor 2016

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: Compassionate Doctor 2016
Recognized By: Vitals Patients Choice
Publication Date: January 2017
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

On-Time Physician Award - 2016

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: On-Time Physician Award - 2016
Recognized By: Vitals Patients Choice
Publication Date: January 2017
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Compassionate Doctor 2015

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: Compassionate Doctor 2015
Recognized By: Vitals Patients Choice
Publication Date: June 2016
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

America's Most Honored Professionals 2016 - Top 5%

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: America's Most Honored Professionals 2016 - Top 5%
Recognized By: Americas Most Honored
Publication Date: April 2016
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Patients' Choice 2016

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: Patients' Choice
Recognized By: Vitals Patients Choice
Publication Date: January 2016
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

On-Time Physician Award - 2015

Business Name: Sharp Grossmont Hospital
Recognition Name: On-Time Physician Award - 2015
Recognized By: Vitals Patients Choice
Publication Date: January 2016
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Compassionate Doctor - 2015

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Publication Date: January 2015
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

On-Time Physician Award - 2014

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Sharp Grossmont Hospital - 2014

Performance Excellence in Quality
Percent Perfect Care
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Grossmont Hospital Foundation Anniversary Gala, October 29, 2013

Recognized for Excellent Patient Care
Honoree: Dr. James Veltmeyer

Grossmont Hospital Foundation Annual Golf Tournament

Won the tournament in 2014
Runner Up 2012, 2013, 2015

United States Patent

A new technology for Roller blades to produce a faster skate
"Skate with Tilttable Foot Support", patented July 2001

References: Excellent references available upon request