

## Personal Data

Name: Hammam H. Akbik, M.D.

Place of Birth: Syria

## Education

### Undergraduate/Graduate

| Year      | Degree | Institution   |
|-----------|--------|---|
| 1982-1988 |        | Aleppo University School of Medicine, Aleppo, Syria |

### Postgraduate Training

| Year                     | Title                  | Specialty          | Place of training  |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Aug, 1988–<br>Sept. 1988 | ER<br>Physician        | Emergency<br>Room  | The Medical Care Center Damascus, Syria  |
| 1988-1992                | Resident               | Gen. Surgery       | University of Damascus, Damascus, Syria  |
| 1992-1993                | Staff<br>Surgeon       | Anesthesiology     | The Medical Surgical Center, Damascus, Syria   |
| 1993-1994                | Int. Fellow            | Plastic Surgery    | Eastern Virginia Medical School, Norfolk,<br>Virginia                                      |
| 1994-1995                | Clinical<br>Attachment | Plastic Surgery    | Carolina Medical Center, Charlotte, NC   |
| 1995-1997                | Resident               | General Surgery    | The Graduate Hospital, Hospital University of<br>Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. |
| 1997-1998                | Resident               | Anesthesiology     | Metrohealth Medical Center, Case Western<br>Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio            |
| 1998-2000                | Resident               | Anesthesiology     | Brigham and Women's Hospital, Harvard<br>Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts.            |
| 2000-2001                | Fellowship             | Pain<br>Management | Brigham and Women's Hospital, Harvard<br>Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts.            |

### Licensure and Certification

| Certification | Type of License/Cert  |
|---------------|---|
|               | American Board of Anesthesiology, 2006  |
|               | American Board (eligible) in Pain Management, Brigham and Women's<br>Hospital, Harvard Medical School |
|               | American Board in Anesthesiology, Brigham and Women's Hospital,<br>Harvard medical School             |
|               | ACLS Instructor   |
|               | United States medical Licensing Examination (USMLE I, II, III)  |

### Licensure:

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| 1992 | Practice License in Gen. Surgery, Ministry of Health, Damascus, Syria |
| 2005 | Massachusetts State medical License                                   |
| 2005 | Ohio State Medical License  |

## Academic Appointments:

### University

| Year                    | Academic Title   | Institution   |
|-------------------------|--|---|
| March 2002-<br>May 2005 | Clinical Instructor<br>of Anesthesiology<br>& Pain<br>Management | Brigham and Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical<br>School, Boston, Massachusetts. |

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|-------------------------|--|--|
| April 2002-<br>May 2005 | Clinical Instructor<br>of Anesthesiology<br>& Pain<br>Management | New England Medical Center, Tufts University, Boston,<br>Massachusetts |
| May 2005 –<br>present   | Assistant<br>Professor of<br>Anesthesiology                      | Cincinnati College of Medicine, University of Cincinnati,<br>OH        |

#### Hospital and Affiliated Institution Appointments

| Year | Title                          | Institution                                     |
|------|--------------------------------|---|
| 2001 | Director of Pain<br>Management | Veterans Affairs Health Care System, Boston, MA |
| 2005 | Director of Pain<br>Management | University Hospital, Cincinnati, OH             |

#### Other Professional Positions

| Year | Position/Title              | Institution  |
|------|-----------------------------|--|
| 2001 | Director of the Pain Center | Veterans Affairs Health Care System in Boston, MA<br>and Providence, RI, |
| 2005 | Director of Pain Management | University Hospital, Cincinnati, OH                                      |

#### **Professional Societies:**

| Year | Society  | Role (officer/committee assignment) |
|------|--|-------------------------------------|
| 1989 | The Syndicate of Syrian Physicians             | Member                              |
| 1997 | American Medical Association                   | Member                              |
| 1997 | Cleveland Society of Anesthesiologists         | Member                              |
| 1997 | Ohio Society of Anesthesiologists              | Member                              |
| 1997 | American Society of Regional Anesthesia        | Member                              |
| 1997 | Academy of Medicine of Cleveland               | Member                              |
| 1997 | American Society of Anesthesiologists          | Member                              |
| 1998 | Arab American Medical Association              | Member                              |
| 1998 | Massachusetts's Society of Anesthesiologists   | Member                              |
| 2000 | National Arab Medical Association              | Member                              |
| 2000 | Syrian-American Medical Society                | Member                              |
| 2000 | International Association of the Study of Pain | Member                              |
| 2001 | New England Pain Society                       | Member                              |
| 2001 | International Headache Foundation              | Member                              |
| 2001 | American Academy of Pain Medicine              | Member                              |
| 2005 | Greater Cincinnati Pain Society                | Member                              |

#### **Service:**

##### Committee Involvement

| Date         | Committee                          | Role   |
|--------------|------------------------------------|--------|
| 2005-present | Executive Committee                | Member |
| 2005-present | University Hospital Pain Committee | Member |
| 2005-present | Education Committee                | Member |
| 2005-present | Quality Assurance Committee        | Member |
| 2005-present | Trauma PI – Committee              | Member |
| 2005-present | Clinical Competence Committee      | Member |

**Teaching:**

| Dates | Activity  | Location  |
|-------|---|---|
| 2001  | Intrathecal Morphine Pros and Cons                            | Brigham and Women's Hospital, Anesthesia Ground Rounds                                  |
| 2002  | Pain Management In patients with spinal cord injury           | National Spinal Cord injury conference VA Boston, Boston, MA                            |
| 2003  | Principles of Pain Management                                 | Boston, MA  |
| 2003  | Pain management in patients with spinal cord injury           | University of Greensboro, NC<br>PM & R, Grand Rounds                                    |
| 2003  | Pre-emptive analgesia   | Orthopaedic Department, Boston, MA  |
| 2003  | Principles of Pain management                                 | The pain week awareness, Albany   |
| 2003  | Pain management in patients with Addiction History            | North Hampton   |
| 2003  | Principles of Pain management                                 | North Hampton   |
| 2003  | Pain Management inpatients with Addiction History             | Togus, VA   |
| 2003  | Pain Management in SCI from Nursing Perspective               | National VA nursing conference  |
| 2003  | Principles of Pain management                                 | Providence, RI  |
| 2003  | Regional Anesthesia for Carotid Surgery                       | Anesthesia Ground Rounds, Boston, MA  |
| 2003  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Colombia, SC  |
| 2003  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Detroit, MI   |
| 2003  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Holyoke Hospital, Annual Grand Rounds, Holyoke, Groton Naval Base, PCP Grand Rounds, CT |
| 2003  | Principles of Pan management                                  | Seventh Annual Lecture Series in Palliative Care, John Hopkins Hospital.                |
| 2004  | Pain Management in Cancer patients,                           | Indianapolis, KA, Providence, RI  |
| 2004  | Men's Health Initiative Lecture Series                        | Baltimore, MD   |
| 2004  | Men's Health Initiative Lecture Series                        | Boston, MA  |
| 2004  | Men's Health Initiative Lecture Series                        | Regional VA Pain Conference, New Haven, CT  |
| 2004  | The role of anesthesiologist in Multidisciplinary Pain Center | Kalamazoo, MI   |
| 2004  | Pain management from Nursing perspective                      | Kalamazoo, MI   |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Surgical Grand Rounds, Tufts University   |
| 2004  | Acute Pain Management,  | Delaware  |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Delaware  |
| 2004  | Principles of Pain Management                                 | Philadelphia  |
| 2004  | Principles of Pain Management                                 | Boston, MA  |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Bedford, CT   |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Providence, RI  |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with spinal cord injury           | Beth Israel Hospital, Boston, MA  |
| 2004  | Intrathecal approach for Pain Management                      | Boston, MA  |
| 2004  | Pain Management in patients with Addiction History            | Nobel Hospital, Springfield, MA   |
| 2004  | Pain Management inpatients with spinal cord injury            | Spaulding Rehab Hospital, Boston MA   |
| 2005  | "Chronic Pain" lecture to Residents                           | Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH  |
| 2005  | Speaker: Grand Rounds-Pain Blocks in OR                       | Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH  |
| 2005  | Grand Rounds Presentation to PCP GIM Education Conference     | Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, OH  |
| 2005  | Grand Rounds Presentation to Orthopedic Surgery               | Cincinnati College of Medicine,   |

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| 2005 | of U of C<br>Grand Rounds - Radiation Oncology to Oncology  | Cincinnati, OH<br>Cincinnati College of Medicine,<br>Cincinnati, OH |
| 2005 | General Surgery - Acute Pain Management   | Cincinnati College of Medicine,<br>Cincinnati, OH                   |
| 2005 | Spinal Cord Stimulations Practical Aspects  | University of Cincinnati<br>Department of Anesthesia                |
| 2005 | Hematology Oncology Grand Rounds  | University of Cincinnati<br>Department of Internal Medicine         |
| 2005 | Cadaver Workshop: Upper and lower extremity<br>anatomy review, Brachial Plexus block techniques,<br>Lower extremity block technique | University of Cincinnati<br>Department of Anesthesia                |
| 2006 | Chronic Pain  | Indiana University, College of<br>Medicine                          |
| 2006 | Oncologic Pain Management with Interventional Pain<br>Techniques  | University of Cincinnati<br>Department of Anesthesia                |
| 2006 | Grand Rounds Presentation to PCP GIM Education<br>Conference  | Cincinnati College of Medicine,<br>Cincinnati, OH                   |
| 2006 | Grand Rounds - Radiation Oncology to Oncology   | Cincinnati College of Medicine,<br>Cincinnati, OH                   |

Teaching materials developed

2004                      Acute Pain Service Manual

**Grants and Contracts:**

Akbik, HH. "Prevalence of Breast Cancer in Syria", Residency Research Project, Ministry of Higher Education, 1992. Damascus, Syria.

**Publications:**

List in order of when published (oldest first) – Bold your name

**Akbik, HH.** "Spread of Leishmania in the North East of Syria", Damascus, Syria. July-August, 1987.

**Akbik, HH,** "Pharmacist-managed pain clinic at a Veterans affairs Medical Center", Am J Health System Pharm., 1;61 (13):1341-3, July 2004.