

Curriculum Vitae
Robert Charles Wright, M.D., F.A.C.S

Education

General Surgery Residency 1985-1990	Texas A&M University, Scott & White Hospital Temple, Texas
Medical School 1981-1985	University of Washington Seattle, Washington
BS Biochemistry Cum Laude 1977-1981	Washington State University

Licenses

Washington	252-09 0025095	Unrestricted
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Board Certification

American Board of Surgery, Recertified	2009
American Board of Surgery, Recertified	1998
Fellow of the American College of Surgeons	1993
American Board of Surgery, Certified	1991
National Board of Medical Examiners	1986
Federation of Licensing Examination	1986

Awards & Honors

Excellent, Cost Effective Doctor Award	2013	Premera/Lifewise
Aexel Practice	2012	Aetna Performance Network Designation
Fruchund Prize, Best Poster	2011	American Hernia Society
General Surgery News	2011	Feature Article- Inguinal Hernia/Neuritis
Adjunct Asst. Professor of Surgery	2009	Touro University College of Osteopathic Medicine
America's Top Surgeons	2004	Consumer Research Council of America
People's Choice Award	2004	Good Samaritan Hospital
People's Choice Award	2003	Good Samaritan Hospital
People's Choice Award	1996	Good Samaritan Hospital
People's Choice Award	1994	Good Samaritan Hospital
People's Choice Award	1992	Good Samaritan Hospital
Alpha Omega Alpha	1990	ETA Chapter/Texas A&M
Superior Resident Award	1987	Texas A&M/Scott & White
Phi Beta Kappa	1981	Washington State University

Professional Societies

Fellow of the American College of Surgeons	American Hernia Society
North Pacific Surgical Association	Washington State Medical Society
American Society of Breast Surgeons	Pierce County Medical Society
Scott & White Surgical Alumni Association	
Christian Medical Association	

Publications

Wright, R.C. and Hurst, H. Unexpected Serosal Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor Encounters During Laparoscopic Hiatal Hernia Repair. *Hernia*, Volume 19, Supplement 1, CO 2:06, p S14-S15, March 2015

Wright, R.C. and Wright, R.J. (2014) Inguinal Neuritis in Open Recurrent Hernia Repair. *International Journal of Medicine*, 5, 790-798. <http://dx.doi.org/10.4236/ijcm.2014.513106>

Wright, R.C. "Inguinal Neuritis in Recurrent Inguinal Hernia, Abstract" *Hernia*, Volume 18, Supplement 1, S:53, P123, March 2014

Wright R.C.: " Inguinal Neuritis Identification During Primary Inguinal Herniorrhaphy", video abstract, *HERNIA* v 16 supplement. March 2012 s232-s233. Presented at the International Hernia Congress, New York. March 28-31-2012.

Wright R.C., E. Sanders: "Inguinal Neuritis is Common in Primary Inguinal Hernia." *Hernia*, Volume 15, Issue 4 (2011), Page 393-398. Online March 2011 at DOI 10.1007/s10029-011-0807-z.

Wright R.C., E Sanders: "Inguinal Hernia Causes Traumatic Neuroma, Abstract." *Hernia*, Volume 15, Supplement 1, S65-91, Page S71, August 2011.

Wright R.C., Kim CA, Horner I, Wright R: "Superior Lymph Node Resection is Achievable with Laparoscopic Colectomy." *The American Surgeon*, Vol. 74, Number 3, Pg 243-249, March 2008.

Wright R.C., Wright GJ: "Ordained to Heal." *Christian Medical Association Journal*, Vol. XXXV, No. 2, Summer 2004, Pg 10-13.

Wright R.C., Rhodes Kelsey: "Improvement of Laryngopharyngeal Reflux Symptoms After Laparoscopic Hill Repair." *The American Journal of Surgery*, Vol. 5, Pg 455-461, May 2003.

Weber R.A., Smith R.W., Wright R.C.: "Percutaneous Cholecystectomy for Acute Cholecystitis in the Third Trimester of Pregnancy, an Option?" *Contemporary Surgery for Residents*, Vol. 1, No. 3, Pg 21-23, July-August 1993.

Wright R.C., Roberts J.W.: "Fibrolamellar Carcinoma of the Liver Presenting with Hemobilia." *Contemporary Gastroenterology*, Vol. 1, Pg 25-32, November 1988.

Wright R.C., Roberts J.W.: "Fibrolamellar Carcinoma of the Liver Presenting with Hemobilia." *Contemporary Surgery*, Vol. 33, No. 1, Pg 29-35, July 1988.

Presentations

Unexpected Serosal Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor Encountered During Laparoscopic Hiatal Hernia Repair
World Conference on Abdominal Wall Hernia Surgery
Milan, Italy April 25-29, 2015

Inguinal neuritis in recurrent inguinal hernia
American College of Surgeons Oregon/Washington Chapter Annual Meeting
Chelan, WA June 2013

Finding inguinal neuritis during primary inguinal hernia repair
American College of Surgeons
Chicago, Ill October 2012

Inguinal Neuritis (neuroma) is Commonly Found in Recurrent Inguinal Hernia, Poster

International Hernia Congress
New York March 2012.

Inguinal Neuritis is Common in Primary Inguinal Hernia
American Hernia Society Annual Meeting
San Francisco, CA March 2011

Inguinal Neuritis is Common in Primary Inguinal Hernia
American College of Surgeons, WA/OR Chapters Annual Meeting
Chelan, WA June 2011

Inguinal Hernia Causes Traumatic Neuroma, Presentation
American Hernia Society Annual Meeting
Orlando, FL March 17-20, 2010

Superior Lymph Node Resection is Achievable with Laparoscopic Colectomy
American College of Surgeons, WA/OR Chapters
Chelan, WA June 2007

Laryngopharyngeal Reflux; Beyond GERD
St. Jude Medical Center
Fullerton, CA February 2003

Improvement of Laryngopharyngeal Reflux Symptoms After Laparoscopic Hill Repair: A Clinical Outcome Study
North Pacific Surgical Association
Seattle, WA November 2002

Cough, Sore Throat, Voice Loss and Globus: Symptoms Respond to Antireflux Surgery
Pierce County Medical Society
Whistler, B.C. January 2002

Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication: The Learning Curve
Scott & White Surgical Alumni Society; Texas A&M
Salado, TX May 1997

Fibrolamellar Carcinoma
Surgery Review Course, Osler Institute
Wisconsin 1988

Personal

Date of Birth July 1, 1959 – Fort Meade, Maryland USA
Married 29 years to wife Sally Jo
Four children Richard, Daniel, Robert and Julia

Interests

Downhill skiing, hunting, church and kids' activities, boating, wife and kids