

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Hamilton College, Clinton, New York, A.B. 1967
Albany Medical College, Albany, New York, M.D. 1971
District of Columbia General Hospital
Georgetown University Division
Washington, District of Columbia
Straight Medical Internship, 1971-1972
Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, Georgia
Neurology Residency, 1973-1976

Employment

Group Health Associates, 2121 Pennsylvania Ave. NW,
Washington, D.C.; General Medical Physician 1972-1973

Neurosurgical and Neurological Group Inc.
80 Congress Street, Springfield, Massachusetts Neurologist 1976-Present
Treasurer 1979-1998
President 1998-2002

Springfield Neurology Associates, LLC
300 Carew Street, Springfield, Massachusetts
Neurologist 2002-Present
Manager 2002-Present

Pavilion Rehabilitation Associates, Inc.
80 Congress Street, Springfield, Massachusetts
Treasurer 1988-1992

Sorrell Medical Incorporated
5 Chatham Road, Longmeadow, Massachusetts
Founder and President, 1993-Present

Challenge Physical Therapy, Inc.
Advantage Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation, Inc.
HEALTHSOUTH Incorporated
71 Park Avenue, West Springfield, Massachusetts
Medical Director 1993-2002

Publications

Gould DB, Sorrell MR, Lupariello AD. Barium Sulfide Poisoning, some factors contributing to survival. Arch Int Med. 132:891-894, 1973.

Sorrell MR. Review of "Management of meralgia paresthetica", Williams PH, Trzil KP, Neurosurg 74:76-80, 1991 in Neurology Chronicle 1(3):4-5, 1991.

Baquis GD, Moral L, Sorrell MR. Neck Extensor Myopathy: A Mitochondrial Disease, Poster P06.137 at the American Academy of Neurology Meeting, Boston, March 1997, Abstract, Neurology 48:A443, March 1997.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan WP. The influence of depression and anxiety on the treatment of myofascial pain. J Musculoskeletal Pain 9 (suppl 5):49, 2001.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan WP. Efficacy of multidisciplinary treatment of severe non-surgical chronic pain in patients who failed to improve with other modalities. J Musculoskeletal Pain. 9 (suppl 5):50, 2001.

Pfanni R, Sorrell M, Moral L. Dropped head syndrome and camptocormia share histopathologic features in paraspinal muscles. Journal of Neuropathology & Experimental Neurology. 60:527, 2001.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan W. Treatment of chronic resistant myofascial pain using a multidisciplinary protocol [The Myofascial Pain Program]. Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain 11(1):5-9, 2003.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan W, McCall A Symptom duration affects the outcome of multidisciplinary treatment of myofascial pain: the method of assessment influences the understanding of the results. Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain 11(1):11-16, 2003.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan W, McCall JL The effect of depression and anxiety on the success of multidisciplinary treatment of chronic resistant myofascial pain. Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain 11(1):17-20, 2003.

Sorrell MR. The Physical Examination of Migraine. Current Pain and Headache Reports 10(5):350-354, 2006.

Sorrell MR. Pericranial muscle tenderness in migraine by physical examination. Cephalalgia 27(6):662, 2007.

Sorrell MR. Physical therapy improves migraine without aura and chronic migraine. Cephalalgia 11 (6): 739, 2007.

Sorrell MR. Myofascial examination leads to diagnosis and successful treatment of migraine headache. Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain 18 (1): 31-37, 2010.

Presentations

Sorrell MR. Thermographic findings in brachial plexus neuritis (Parsonage - Turner Syndrome). Academy of Neuro-muscular Thermography, Fifth Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida, September 22, 1989.

Sorrell MR. Thermographic findings in diabetic truncal neuropathy. Academy of Neuro-muscular Thermography, Fifth Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida, September 23, 1989.

Sorrell MR. Livedo reticularis and protein C deficiency with central and peripheral nervous system lesions. Massachusetts Neurologic Association, Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, May 18, 1991.

Sorrell MR. Metastatic infiltrating B-Cell lymphoma as a cause of Wallenberg's syndrome: a case report. Massachusetts Neurologic Association, Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, May 15, 1993.

Sorrell MR. New therapies in epilepsy management. The New England Society of Electroneurodiagnostic Technologists. Current concepts in neurodiagnostics Mercy Hospital, Springfield, Massachusetts, January 29, 1994.

Sorrell MR. Elements, of muscle and nerve pain in whiplash. Neurosurgical and Neurological Group, Inc. and the Baystate Medical Center. The multifaceted problem of mild head and neck injury: a 21st century approach. Holyoke, MA. May 18, 2001

Sorrell MR, Flanagan W. The success of treatment of chronic resistant myofascial pain using a multidisciplinary protocol (the Myofascial Pain Program) and the influence of symptom duration and location and of patient age. Poster presentation. Fifth World Congress on Myofascial Pain and Fibromyalgia. Portland, OR. September 11, 2001.

Sorrell MR, Flanagan WP. The influence of depression and anxiety on the treatment of myofascial pain. Fifth World Congress on Myofascial Pain and Fibromyalgia, Portland, OR. September 11, 2001.

Sorrell MR, Myofascial Pain Causes Migraine without Aura: a study of 50 patients referred with a diagnosis of migraine. Poster Presentation S114, American Headache Society, Vancouver, BC, Canada. June 12, 2004.

Clinical Research

Sub Investigator: Parallel group study to investigate the effects of Rosiglitazone (extended release tablets) as adjunctive therapy to Acetylcholinesterase Inhibitors on cognition and overall clinical response in APOE 4- stratified subjects with mild to moderate Alzheimer's disease. Protocol: AVA102670. 2006-2007.

Sub Investigator: Open-label parallel study to evaluate the effect of scheduled neutralizing antibody testing on treatment patters versus usual care in high-dose interferon treated patients. Protocol PM028. 2007.

Sub Investigator (Unblinded): Study evaluating the efficacy and safety of Botulinum Toxin Type A purified Neurotoxin complex as headache prophylaxis in migraine patients with 15 or more headaches days per 4-week period in a 24-week, followed by a 32-week open label extension phase. Protocol 191622-079/080. 2006-2007.

Sub-Investigator: Study to evaluate the effect of fixed dose Stalevo 100mg (t.i.d.) vs. immediate release Cabidopa/Levodopa 25/100mg (t.i.d.) in Parkinson's disease patients requiring Levodopa. Protocol CELC200A2305. 2006-2007.

Sub- Investigator: Randomized conversion to monotherapy comparison of two doses of Lamotrigine for the treatment of partial seizures. Protocol: LAM30055. 2005-2006.

Sub-Investigator: Cohort study to evaluate the safety and tolerability of converting from Ropinirole Immediate Release (IR) to Ropinirole Extended Release (XR) formulation in patients with Restless Legs Syndrome (RLS). Protocol: ROX104805. 2006.

Sub Investigator: Study to assess the tolerability and clinical benefits of Ropinirole Extended Release tablets compared with Ropinirole Immediate Release tablets in subjects with Restless Legs Syndrome. SK&F101468/204. 2006.

Sub Investigator: To assess the long-term safety of Ropinirole Extended Release (XR) in patients with Restless Legs Syndrome. Protocol: SK&F101468/206. 2006.

Sub Investigator: Study comparing the safety and efficacy of the Lidocaine Patch 5% with placebo in patients with pain from Carpel Tunnel Syndrome (CTS). EN3272-301. 2006-2007.

Sub Investigator: An assessment of behavioral changes associated with Lamotrigine and Levitriacetam in patients with Epilepsy. Protocol: LAM40124. 2007.

Sub Investigator: To establish efficacy, safety and tolerability of RWJ-333369 as adjunctive therapy in subjects with refractory partial seizures. Protocol: 333369-EPY-3002 (double blind) 333369-EPY-3004. 2006.

Sub Investigator: Single Cross-Over study of warm compress versus usual Injection site

preparation on local injection site reactions among persons with Multiple Sclerosis who perform daily injections of Copaxone. Protocol PM016. 2005-2006.

Sub Investigator: Study of Pregabalin fixed doses vs. placebo in the treatment of Neuropathic Pain associated with Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy. Protocol A0081071. 2005-2006.

Sub Investigator: Study comparing the efficacy and safety of 0.5mg and 1.25mg Fingolimide administered orally once daily versus placebo in patients with relapsing-remitting Multiple Sclerosis. Protocol: CFTY20D2309. 2006-2007.

Sub Investigator: A 90 Day Copaxone adherence enhancement program among persons with Multiple Sclerosis who participate in Shared Solutions alone or in partnership with their M.S. Center. Protocol: PM024. 2005-2006.

Honors

Fellow, American Academy of Neurology, September 10, 1987

The Best Doctors in America, Northeast Region, 1996-1997, Naifeh S and Smith GH, Woodward/White, Aileen, SC, p.169.

The Best Doctors in America, 2000, 2001-2010.

Honorary Life Member, Jewish Family Services of Western Massachusetts, 2003

Patents

Sorrell MR, Slootsky S. Safety Walker. U.S. Patent 5,271,422. December 21, 1993.

Sorrell MR, Engdahl LW, Slootsky S. Foldable Front-Entry Walker Having Resistance to Backward Motion. U.S. Patent 5,499,856. March 19, 1996.

Certifications

National Board of Medical Examiners, 1972

American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, 1977

American Academy of Neuro-muscular Thermography, 1989

American Society of Neuroimaging, in Neurosonology, 1993

United Council for Neurologic Subspecialties, Headache Medicine, 2006

Current Licenses

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 56495

State of New York, 179578, inactive

State of Connecticut, 31186, inactive

Hospital Affiliations

Baystate Medical Center,

Springfield, Massachusetts 1976 - present

Attending Neurologist

Department of Medicine

Quality Assessment Committee, 1978 - 1986

Medical Staff

Medical Staff Council, 1987 - 1993

Executive Committee, 1987 - 1993

Administrative Affairs Committee, 1993 - present

Neurosciences Task Force, 1993 - 1995

Mercy Hospital

Springfield, Massachusetts 1976 - present

Neurologist, Courtesy Staff

Ambulatory Care Committee, 1989 - 1993

Ludlow Hospital

Ludlow, Massachusetts, 1976 - 1995

Consulting Neurologist

Medical Associations

American Medical Association, 1976 - present
 Massachusetts Medical Society, 1976 - present
 American Academy of Neurology
 Junior Member, 1974
 Member, 1977
 Fellow, 1987
 Massachusetts Neurologic Association, 1977 - present
 Treasurer, 1980 - 1982
 Senior Counselor, 1986 – 1987
 Corresponding Secretary, 1987
 Vice President, 1988 - 1989
 President, 1989 - 1990
 Maimonides Medical Club, 1976 - present
 President 1983 - 1984
 Boston Society of Neurology and Psychiatry, 1985 - 2004
 American Academy of Clinical Neurophysiology, 1985 - 2002
 Academy of Neuro-Muscular Thermography, 1985 -1993
 American Academy of Thermology, 1993 – 1996
 American Society of Neuroimaging, 1992-2002
 American Heart Association, Stroke Council, 1992-present
 Fellow, 1992
 International Myopain Society, 2000 - present
 American Headache Society, 2001- present

Academic Appointments

Clinical Assistant Professor of Neurology, Tufts University School of Medicine, 1979 – 2009
 Clinical Associate Professor of Neurology, Tufts University School of Medicine, 2009- present
 Clinical Professor of Medicine, Springfield College, Springfield, Massachusetts, 1986

Laboratories and Programs Established

Baystate Medical Center
 Evoked Responses, 1983
 Intraoperative Evoked Responses, 1986
 Mercy Hospital
 Evoked Responses, 1979
 Shriner's Hospital, Springfield, Massachusetts
 Intraoperative Evoked Responses, 1985
 Neurosurgical and Neurological Group, Inc.
 Evoked Responses, 1981
 Carotid Ultrasonography, 1983
 Infrared Electronic Thermography, 1987
 Transcranial Doppler Studies, 1990
 Myofascial Pain Program, 1997

Springfield Neurology Associates, LLC
Co-founder, Clinical Research Division

Community Service

Pre-School French program, Blueberry Hill School, Longmeadow, MA, 1982-1984
Founder

Jewish Family Services of Western Massachusetts, Springfield, MA
Trustee, 1994 - 2003
Chairman, Elder Affairs Committee, 1997 - 2000
Executive Committee, 1997 - 2002
Chairman, Adoption Committee, 2000 - 2002
Chairman, Nominating Committee, 2000-2002
Honorary Life Member, 2003

Sinai Temple, Springfield, MA
Chairman, By-laws Committee, 1987

Springfield Symphony Orchestra
Trustee, 1996 - present
Hot Winter Jazz Weekend, Founder
(coordinated with Community Music School of Greater Springfield), 1999
Executive Committee, 1999 - 2003
Conductor Selection Committee, 2000 - 2001
Planning Committee, 2000

Musicorda Festival, South Hadley, MA
Trustee, 2001 – 2005
Vice President - 2005

Miscellaneous

Moderator, “Epilepsy in Clinical Practice: A View to the 1990s”, Woodstock Inn, Woodstock, Vermont, February 8-10, 1991.

Reviewer, Neurology Chronicle, Adams Publishing Group, Ltd., Box 263, Prudential Center, Boston, MA 02199, 1991.

Reviewer, Journal of Musculoskeletal Pain, Haworth Medical Press, Inc., 10 Alice Street, Binghamton, NY, 13904, 2003-2004.

Reviewer, Headache, the Journal of Head and Face Pain, 2007, 2008.

Reviewer, Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Psychiatry; 2009, 2010.

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