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### *Curriculum Vitae*

#### **Education:**

- 8/2002 – 5/2006      Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine  
New York College of Osteopathic Medicine  
New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York
- 8/1998 – 5/2002      Bachelor of Arts  
Yeshiva University, New York, New York  
Major: Economics  
Minor: Biology

#### **Post-Doctoral Training:**

- 7/2009 – 6/2012      Clinical Fellow, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York.
- 7/2010 – 11/2010      Transplant Hepatology Rotating Clinical Fellow, Division of Liver Diseases, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
- 7/2007 – 6/2009      Internal Medicine Resident, Department of Medicine, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

#### **Licensure/Certifications:**

Medical License: New York & New Jersey

#### **Invited Presentations:**

- May 22, 2012      Getting Polyps off the Street: The Five-Year Experience of a "No-Cost" Screening Colonoscopy Program. Digestive Disease Week 2012, San Diego, California.
- February 27, 2011      Evaluation & Management of Abnormal Liver Function Tests. Internal Medicine House Staff Conference. Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY.
- April 19, 2010      Foreign Bodies & The GI Tract: Medical and Endoscopic Management. Internal Medicine House Staff Conference, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY.
- December 23, 2009      Caring for the Cirrhotic In-Patient: A Guide To Management. Internal Medicine House Staff Conference, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY.
- May 23, 2006      Laboratory Parameters in the Diagnosis of Choledocholithiasis: A Meta-Analysis. Podium Presentation  
Digestive Disease Week (DDW) Conference, Los Angeles, California.

## **Research:**

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