

CURRICULUM VITAE

Ricardo E. Morales, RVT, PA-C

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

NCCPA Certified Physician and Surgical Assistant

OFFICE

Sarasota Vascular Specialists
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CLINICAL RESEARCH CENTER

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EDUCATION

- Bachelor of Health Science, Physicians Assistant – University of Florida

1982-1984
- Bachelor of Science, Biology – Mercer University 1976-1981

CERTIFICATIONS\LICENSURES

- NCCPA – Board Certified Physician Assistant #851150 Florida Board of Medicine – License OPA0001770
- Registered Vascular Technologist – ARDMS Reg. #026078
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Physician Assistant & Surgical Assistant – Sarasota Vascular Specialists, July 1, 2001 to present - R.H. Samson, MD; D.P. Showalter, MD, M.R. Lepore Jr, MD, DG Nair, MD, Vascular Surgery
- Physician Assistant & Surgical Assistant – The Heart & Vascular Center, February 1, 2000 – June 2001 – R.H. Samson, MD; D.P. Showalter, MD, Vascular Surgery

- Physician Assistant & Surgical Assistant – VASA – July 1, 1997 - January 31, 1999, General & Vascular Surgery
- Physician Assistant – Bay Area Heart Center January 1996 - June 30 1997
- Clinical Cardiology –Inpatient and Outpatient management Cardiac stress testing, Pacemaker clinic, Lipid clinic.
- Physician Assistant & Surgical Assistant, June 1984 - January 1996, J. Crayton Pruitt M.D., General, Thoracic & Vascular Surgery
- Comprehensive pre-operative and post-operative care, teaching and counseling First Surgical Assistant in all major thoracic, vascular and general cases.
- Assistant Director – Vascular Institute of Florida, May 1990 - 1996. Supervising non-invasive vascular laboratory
- Registered Vascular Technologist – peripheral arterial and venous studies
- Clinical Faculty Member – University of Florida, PA Program June 1985 - January 1996. Instruct physician assistant students in surgery rotation

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/LEADERSHIP

- Mote Vascular Foundation – Secretary/Treasurer
- Florida Academy of Physician Assistants Foundation-Trustee
- Active member of American Academy of Physician Assistants
- Active member of Florida Academy of Physician Assistants
 - President – Florida Academy of Physician Assistants 7/1/2012-6/30/2013
 - President Elect – Florida Academy of Physician Assistants 1/2011-6/2012
 - Treasurer – Florida Academy of Physician Assistants 7/2007-12/2010
 - Vice President – Florida Academy of Physician Assistants 7/2005-6/2007

- West Central Regional Director – Florida Academy of Physician Assistants 12/2004-6/2005
- Florida Vascular Society – Associate Member

RECOGNITIONS/AWARDS

- Outstanding Clinical Physician Assistant Award, 1984
- Outstanding Didactic Physician Assistant Award, 1984
- Outstanding Clinical Instructor – Physician Assistant Program, University of Florida, 1990

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Speak fluent Spanish – Married with 2 children

References available upon request.