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Education

- Northfield High School, Wabash, Indiana, 1986
- BA, DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, 1990
- MD, Indiana University School of Medicine, 1994

Clinical Training

Internship in General Surgery: 1994-5

Methodist Hospital of Indiana, Indianapolis, Indiana

Residency in Orthopaedic Surgery: 1995-9

Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Fellowship in Musculoskeletal Surgical Oncology: 1999-2000

University of Florida, College of Medicine, Gainesville, Florida

Medical Licensure and Certification

Texas State Board of Medical Examiners: 2004-present

Board Certification - Diplomate, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery

Hospital Affiliations

- Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas, Texas - University of Texas
- Medical City Hospital, Dallas, Texas
- Children's Medical Center, Dallas, Texas
- Baylor University Medical Center at Uptown, Dallas, Texas
- Texas Health Presbyterian, Dallas, Texas
- Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, Dallas, Texas
- Southwestern Medical Center Affiliated Hospitals, Dallas, Texas
- Parkland Memorial Hospital, Dallas, Texas

Clinical Interests

- Benign and malignant tumors of the skeleton (adult and pediatric)
- Benign and malignant soft tissue tumors of the extremities and pelvis (adult and pediatric)
- Metastatic bone disease
- Primary and revision arthroplasty of the knee, hip, shoulder, and elbow
- Musculoskeletal infection, osteomyelitis, and infected joint replacements
- Diagnosis and surgical treatment of avascular necrosis, Paget's disease, metabolic bone disease, degenerative and inflammatory arthritis, and fibrous dysplasia
- General Orthopaedic Surgery

Society Memberships

- Diplomat, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgery
- Musculoskeletal Tumor Society
- Connective Tissue Oncology Society
- American Medical Association
- Texas Orthopaedic Association
- Texas Medical Association
- Dallas County Medical Society

Certification

Board Certified: American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery, Part 1, July 1999; Part II, July 2002.

Leadership

Medical Director, Baylor Sammons Bone Tumor Center
Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas, TX

Board Member, Baylor University Medical Center at Uptown,
Dallas, Texas

Experience

- Saint Francis Hospital & Health Centers, Indianapolis Indiana September 2003 – October 2004
- Assistant Professor, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Division, Musculoskeletal Oncology & Joint Replacement, University of Miami, School of Medicine; June 2002 to September 2003.
- Senior Staff Physician, Orthopaedic Oncology & Joint Replacement, Henry Ford Hospitals & Medical Centers, Detroit, Michigan; August 2000 to June 2002

Books & Monographs

- Mollabashy, A., Scarborough MT: The Mechanism of Bone Metastasis. Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research, 2002:254-267.
- Mollabashy, A., Richman, J.: Nonoperative treatment of cervical spine injury, Topics in Emergency Medicine, 1997, September.

Journal Articles

- Levy JC, Temple HT, Mollabashy A, Sanders J, Kransdorf M: The causes of pain in benign solitary enchondromas of the proximal humerus, Clinical Orthopaedics Related Research. 2005 Feb;(431):181-6.
- Muraskin S, Mollabashy A, Bush CH, Reith JD, Scarborough MT: Tibial Lesion in a 12-year-old Boy, Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research 2002: 2002: 254-267.
- Mollabashy A, Virkus WW, Zlotecki RA, Berrey BH, Scarborough MT, Soft Tissue Sarcoma: Radiation Therapy for Low-Grade Soft Tissue Sarcoma, Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research 2002; 2002:190-195.
- Virkus WW, Mollabashy A, Zlotecki RA, Berrey BH, Scarborough MT, Soft Tissue Sarcoma: Preoperative Radiotherapy in the Treatment of Soft Tissue Sarcomas, Clinical Orthopaedics and Related Research 2002; 2002:177-189.
- Shelbourne KD, Mollabashy A: Acute Anterior Cruciate Ligament Injury, Indiana Medicine 83 (12): 896-900, 1990 December.

Funded Research & Grants

- North Dade Medical Society Grant: The care of indigent patients with metastatic carcinoma to bone, December 2002.
- Albert B. Ferguson Foundation Grant: The efficacy of insulin-like growth factor in promoting healing of osteochondral fractures, July 1997-1998.
- Albert B. Ferguson Foundation Grant: Pilot study: Efficacy of insulin-like growth factor in promoting healing of osteochondral fractures. July 1996-1997.

Honors & Awards

- Hibbs Award – Best Clinical Presentation, Scoliosis Research Society, 39th Annual Meeting, Buenos Aires, Argentina, September 6-9, 2004.
- Second Place, Resident/Fellow Clinical Presentations, Fall Scientific Meeting, Pennsylvania Orthopaedic Society; November 16, 1996.
- Outstanding Clinical Research Presentation, J. K. Berman Essay Program, Department of General Surgery, Methodist Hospital of Indiana, June 20, 1995.

Papers & Posters Presented

- Hulen CA, Mollabashy A, Temple HT, Eismont FJ: Oncologic and Functional Outcome Following Sacrectomy for Sacral Tumors, Scoliosis Research Society, 39th Annual Meeting, Buenos Aires, Argentina, September 6-9, 2004.
- Hulen CA, Mollabashy A, Temple HT, Eismont FJ: Oncologic and Functional Outcome Following Sacrectomy for Sacral Tumors, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Meeting, March 10-13, 2004, San Francisco, California.
- Levy JA, Temple HT, Mollabashy A, Sanders JB, Kransdorf MJ: Coexisting Findings Associated with Solitary Enchondromas of the Proximal Humerus, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Meeting, March 10-13, 2004, San Francisco, California.
- Temple HT, Mollabashy A, Gajewski DA, Mnamneh W: Clinical Outcomes in Patients with Fungating Soft Tissue Sarcomas, American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting, February 5-9, 2003, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Temple HT, Gajewski DA, Mollabashy A, Rader DK, Mnamneh W: The Use of Chemotherapy in Patients with Non-Metastatic High-Grade Soft Tissue Sarcoma. American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons Annual Meeting, February 5-9, 2003, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Virkus W, Mollabashy A, Reith JD, Berrey HB, Zlotecki RA, Scarborough MT: Preoperative Radiation Therapy in the Treatment of Soft Tissue Sarcomas, Connective Tissue Oncologic Society, Fall Scientific Meeting, November 2000
- Mollabashy A, Virkus W, Zlotecki RA, Berrey HB, Scarborough MT: Radiation Therapy for Low-Grade Soft Tissue Sarcomas, Musculoskeletal Tumor Society, Annual Meeting, May 12, 2000, Gainesville, Florida.
- Mollabashy A, Baratz ME, Rudert J: The Efficacy of Insulin-Like Growth Factor in Promoting Healing of Osteochondral Fractures. (Poster Presentation). The American Association of Hand Surgery Annual Scientific Meeting, January 7-11, 1998, Scottsdale, Arizona.
- Mollabashy A, Baratz ME, Rich J: Vascular Injuries Associated With Widely Displaced Supracondylar Humeral Fractures in Children, Fall Scientific Meeting, November 16, 1996. Pennsylvania Orthopaedic Society, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- Mollabashy A, Carlson D, Rodman G: Reamed vs. Unreamed Modalities in the Treatment of Adult Femur fractures: A retrospective Review of Comorbidities. J. K. Berman Essay Program, June 1995. Methodist Hospital of Indiana, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Teaching

- UTSW Orthopaedic Residency – Didactic Lectures Musculoskeletal Oncology Series – June 2007-2009.
- Malignant Bone Tumors in Children, Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children Dallas, Texas, March 2007.

- Adult Musculoskeletal Tumors – Clinical Concepts, National Association of Orthopaedic Nurses – North Texas Chapter, Dallas, TX, October 10, 2006.
- Concepts in Limb Salvage, Graduation Grand Rounds
- Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, Allegheny General Hospital Pittsburgh, PA, June 23, 2006.
- Malignancies in Pediatric Orthopaedics, Association of Pediatric Oncology Nurses Dallas, Texas, May 8, 2006.
- Malignant Bone Tumors in Children, Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children Dallas, Texas, March 2006.
- Metastatic Bone Disease, Annual Meeting, American Society of Orthopaedic Physician's Assistants, Arlington, Texas, June 2005.
- Malignant Bone Tumors in Children, Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children Dallas, Texas, March 2005.
- Small Round Blue Cell Tumors & Giant Cell Tumors, Keys Musculoskeletal Oncology Review, H. Lee Moffett Cancer Center, Islamorada, Florida, June 2003.
- Malignant Tumors About the Knee, Ankle & Foot, State Wide Orthopaedic Training Program Education Day, Michigan State University, Orthopaedic Residency, Lansing, Michigan, September 12, 2001.
- Soft Tissue Sarcomas; Bi-County Hospital Orthopaedic Residency, Birmingham, Michigan, August 8, 2001.
- Soft Tissue & Bone Sarcomas, Grand Rounds: McLaren Regional Medical Center, Flint, Michigan, June 16, 2001.
- Evaluating Bone Lesions, Botsford General Hospital Osteopathic Orthopaedic Residency, Farmington Hills, Michigan, March 22, 2001.
- Evaluation of Soft Tissue Masses, Michigan State Medical Society, Annual Scientific Meeting, Dearborn, Michigan, November 2000.