



Community Academic Profile

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Professional Snapshot

Administrative Appointments

Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine, Stanford University, 2007-present

Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Stanford University, 2001-2007

Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco, 1999-2001

Education & Community

Professional Education

Fellowship, Charles A. Dana. Foundation Fellowship in Geriatrics, Stanford University, 1992-1993

Fellowship, Geriatric Medicine, University of California San Francisco, 1990-1992

Residency, Tucson Hospitals Medical Education Program, 1987-1990

M.D., University of Utah School of Medicine, 1983-1987

B.S. with honors Zoology/Physiology, University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyoming, 1979-1983

Scientific Focus

Publications

Karlin, B, **Fuller, JD**: Meeting the Mental Health Needs of Older Adults in Primary Care. *Geriatrics* 2007 Jan, 1.

Fuller, JD: Advance Directives...Why Bother? *American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine Bulletin*. 3(2) Winter 2003.

Weaver, FM, Hughes, SL, Giobbie-Hurder, A, Ulasevich, A, Kubal, JD, **Fuller, JD**, Kinoshian, B, Lichtenstein, MJ, Rowe, J. The Involvement of Physicians in VA Home Care: Results From a National Survey. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 2000 June, 48(6):677-681.

PERSONAL

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EDUCATION

1983-1987	University of Utah School of Medicine Salt Lake City, Utah	MD
1979-1983	University of Wyoming Laramie, Wyoming	BS with honors Zoology/Physiology

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

1992-1993	Stanford University Charles A. Dana Foundation Fellowship in Geriatrics
1990-1992	University of California at San Francisco Fellowship, Geriatric Medicine
1987-1990	Tucson Hospitals Medical Education Program Internal Medicine Internship and Residency, Tucson, Arizona

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2007- Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of General Internal Medicine.
- 2001-2007 Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of General Internal Medicine.
- 1999-2001 Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco, Department of General Internal Medicine.
- 1998-1999 Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of General Internal Medicine.
- 1996-1997 Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of Endocrinology, Gerontology, & Metabolism
- 1993-1996 Clinical Instructor in Medicine, Stanford University School of Medicine, Department of Endocrinology, Gerontology, & Metabolism

ACTIVITIES

- 2006 Member, VHA Capacity Management Advisory Council, VA HQ.
- 2005 Member, VHA Clinical Advisory Council to Chief Business Office, VA HQ.
- 2005 VA representative to the White House Conference on Aging planning office – 4 month detail to Washington, DC.
- 2004 National Quality Forum Steering Committee Member, “Standardizing Home Health Care Performance Measures”
- 2004 Organizer, National VA Geriatrics Leads Conference, San Francisco.
- 2003 Faculty, Advanced Administrative and Clinical Training in End of Life Care, VA HQ
- 2001-2003 Member, National Field Advisory Group for Palliative Care, VA HQ
- 2001-2003 Member, VA Palo Alto Health Care System Ethics Committee
- 2001- Chair, VA Palo Alto Health Care System Medical Records Review Committee
- 1999-2002 Chair, Humanities & Arts Committee, Gerontological Society of America.
- 1999-2002 Stanford Faculty Development Program, Module development, EOL Care

1998-2000 VA Faculty Leader in End of Life Care

1999-2001 Member, San Francisco VA Medical Center ethics committee.

1999 Ward Attending, General Internal Medicine, SF VAMC

1999-2001 Attending, Geriatric & Palliative Care Service, SF VAMC

1999-2000 Clinical preceptor for UCSF medical students

1997 Member, National VA task force for the development of a national home and community-based care strategy for the VA.

1996-1999 Member, Humanities & Arts Committee, The Gerontological Society of America

1996 Fellowship Status, American Geriatrics Society

1995-1998 Ward Attending, General Internal Medicine, PAVAHCS

1994-1998 Clinical preceptor for Stanford University medical students

1994 Attending (July), Medicine/Geriatric Consultation Service, VA

1994-1997 Member, Membership Committee, American Geriatrics Society

1993-1998 Member, Palo Alto VA Health Care System ethics committee

1992-1993 Volunteer, The NAMES Project, AIDS Memorial Quilt.

1991-1992 Member, Geriatric Conference Education Committee, San Francisco Institute on Aging.

1991-1995 Member, Board of Directors, Tenderloin Senior Organizing Project, Inc. ("T.S.O.P." nonprofit organization).

1991-1996 Volunteer, AIDS Walk San Francisco.

1990-1992 Member, Mount Zion Medical Center of UCSF's ethics committee

1984 Family Practice Community Preceptorship

1981-1983 University Teaching Assistant

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 1999-present American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine
- 1995-2008 The Gerontological Society of America
- 1990-present American Geriatrics Society

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

- 2000-2008 Certificate in Palliative Medicine
- Renewed 2008 – expires 2018
- 1994-2004 Certificate of Added Qualifications in Geriatrics #130735
- Renewed 2001- expires 2014
- 1991-2001 American Board of Internal Medicine Certification #130735
- Renewed 2001 – expires 2011
- 1990-active Medical license, State of California #G068828
- 1989-1993 Medical license, State of Arizona #18012
- 1988 Diplomate of the National Board of Medical Examiners

RESEARCH

- 1996-1998 Medication Adherence in Older Adults.
- 1994-1998 "Evaluation of Cost Effectiveness of Home Care" Participation in a VA cooperative study of Hospital Based Home Care. Site PI.
- 1993-1996 Contingency Planning and Advance Directives in an Elderly Caregiver Population.
- 1991-1992 Recombinant Human Platelet-Derived Growth Factor (rhPDGF-B). Principal investigator for clinical drug trial. Sponsor: ETHICON, INC.
- 1984 Geriatric and gerontologic teaching in five British medical schools. Funded by the University of Utah Gerontology program.
- 1981-1983 Electrophoretic studies of Muridae serum for elucidation of potential tumor marker. Funded by the Whedon Cancer Foundation.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- 2009 “Balancing Veteran Demand Targets & Budget”, Invited speaker, VA Purchased Home Care Conference, Chicago, IL
- 2008 “Caring for Vulnerable Populations: Working the System and Making a Difference”, Invited speaker, Care Across the Continuum Conference. Stanford University
- 2007 “Palliative Care in Home Based Primary Care”, National Audio Conference, Invited speaker. Department of Veterans Affairs Employee Education System
- 2006 “Geriatric Meltdown”, National Pain and Palliative Care conference. Invited speaker. Stanford University.
- “Team Work” Palliative Care Fellowship Core Curriculum. VA Palo Alto HCS.
- 2005 White House Conference on Aging Solutions Forum “Care Coordination Across the Continuum”. Coordinator and presenter. Washington, DC
- “Living with Grief, Ethical Dilemmas at the End of Life”. Invited local panelist for national teleconference. VAMC, Washington, DC
- “Pain Management”, Invited speaker, Geriatrics lecture series, VAMC, Washington, DC
- “White House Conference on Aging” Presentation to the advisory committee of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Washington, DC.
- 2004 “Palliative Care” & “Pain Management”, Invited speaker, Comfort, Care & Compassion: End-of-Life & Palliative Care for the Elderly in the 21st Century. National conference sponsored by the Geriatrics Research, Education, and Clinical Center, Gainesville, FL
- “Death as an Option”, Palliative Care Grand Rounds, invited speaker. VA Palo Alto HCS.
- “Leadership or Followship”. GRECC Lecture series, invited speaker. VA Palo Alto HCS.
- “Teams” GRECC Lecture series, invited speaker. VA Palo Alto HCS.
- 2003 “Goals of Care & Communicating Bad News” and “Team Work”, VA Advanced Administrative and Clinical Training in End of Life Care, presentations in New York City, Durham, NC, and Phoenix, AZ

- “Pain management” and “End of Life Care”, Invited speaker, Family Practice Residency, Modesto, CA
- “Pain management” – National VA Pain & EOL conference. Alexandria, VA
- 2002 “End of Life Care in a Changing World: A Continuum of Perspectives”,
 Panelest. Gerontological Society of America 55th Annual Meeting, Boston.
- 2000 “Home Care for Patients with Advanced CHF” Satellite conference, organizing
 chair and panel participant. Veterans Affairs St. Louis Employee Education
 System.
- “Excellence in VA Home Care” Satellite conference, panel participant.
 Veterans Affairs St. Louis Employee Education System.
- Educating Physicians in End of Life Care curriculum presented by the Santa
 Clara Medical Society. Speaker.
- “Home Care Reduces Hospital Utilization”, **Fuller, JD, MD, AGSF**, Lee,MI.
 American Geriatrics Society 56th Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN. Poster
 Session
- 1999 “Presidential Symposium: PreSymptomatic Screening for Alzheimer’s
 Disease”, Moderator and Organizer. Gerontological Society of America 52nd
 Annual Meeting, San Francisco.
- “The Vanishing Line”. Movie showing. Moderator and Organizer.
 Gerontological Society of America 52nd Annual Meeting, San Francisco.
- “Stories we Live With...the Obstacles to Overcome”, **JD Fuller, MD, AGSF**.
 VA National Leadership Conference on Pain Management and End of Life
 Care, Alexandria, VA. Poster Session.
- “Palliative Care 2000”. Department of Medicine Grand Rounds. San Francisco
 VAMC.
- “High Dose Opioids for Palliative Care of Dyspnea”, RW Meyer, MD, **JD
 Fuller, MD, AGSF**. American Geriatrics Society 55th Annual Meeting,
 Philadelphia, PA. Poster Session.
- 1998 “Coordination & Program Survival During VA Reorganization”,D.
 Wilson, MN, RN, **JD Fuller, MD, AGSF**. American Geriatrics
 Society 54th Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA. Poster Session.
- “Interagency Collaboration In VA Home Care”, KS Schroer, RN,
 MSN, **JD Fuller, MD, AGSF**. American Geriatrics Society 54th
 Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA. Poster Session.
- 1996 "Contingency Planning and Advance Directives in an Elderly Caregiver
 Population", L Cayabyab-Loe, MD, **JD Fuller, MD**, J Gronendyke, Ph.D.

- American Geriatrics Society 53rd Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. Poster Session.
- "GRECCare Newsletter: Patient Education, Empowerment, and Lifeline", D Rettenmaier, DO, L Cayabyab-Loe, MD, H Sharma, MD, **JD Fuller, MD**. American Geriatrics Society 53rd Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. Poster Session.
- 1995 "Integrated Home Care Assessment", KS Schroer, RN, AM Jennings, RNP, CM Park, LCSW, B Bradley, OTR, S Alexander, RD, **JD Fuller, MD**. American Geriatrics Society 52nd Annual Meeting, Washington DC. Poster Session.
- "Resuscitation Revisited", E Kantor, **J Fuller, MD**, M Brod, Ph.D., M Buffam, RN American Geriatrics Society 52nd Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. Poster Session.
- 1993 "Loop Diuretics Cause Decreased Mononuclear Cell Magnesium in Nursing Home Habitants", **J. Fuller, MD**; S. Sanchez, MS; G. del Puerto, MS; R. Abelardo, MT; M. Hammond, MS, MBA; C. Arnaud, MD. American Geriatrics Society 50th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Poster Session.
- "A Case of Ignored Advance Directives", **J. Fuller, MD**. American Geriatrics Society 50th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Poster Session.
- "To Feed or Not to Feed", **J. Fuller, MD**. American Geriatrics Society 50th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Poster Session.
- "Evaluation of Hospital Policy For Documentation of DNR Status", **J. Fuller, MD**; M. Buffam, RN; M. Brod, Ph.D. The American College of Physicians Annual Session, Washington, DC. Poster Session.
- 1992 "Multidisciplinary Fellowship Training", C. Allen, MS; L. Feigenbaum, MD; **J. Fuller, MD**. The Gerontological Society of America 45th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. Poster Session.
- "Alzheimer's and Related Disorders", American Society on Aging 38th Annual Meeting, San Diego. Moderator for presentation of applied research briefs.
- "Teaching Geriatrics and Gerontology": A Primer on Multidisciplinary Program Development", C. Allen, MS; **J. Fuller, MD**. American Society on Aging 38th Annual Meeting, San Diego. Educational Workshop.
- 1991 "Evaluation of Hospital Policy For Documentation of DNR Status", **J. Fuller, MD**; M. Buffam, RN; M. Brod, Ph.D. Gerontological Society of America 44th Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Poster Session.

"Clinically Applied Anthropology in the Geriatric Medical Setting: A Model For Training", S. Heurtin-Roberts, PhD; **J. Fuller, MD**; M. Brod, Ph.D. Gerontological Society of America 44th Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Poster Session.

"Transitions - Life After Fellowship", Fellows-in-Training Workshop and Meeting. The Gerontological Society of America 44th Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. Organizer and moderator.

EMPLOYMENT

- 2006- Deputy ACOS, Geriatrics & Extended Care, VAPAHCS
- 2001-2006 Palo Alto VA Health Care System, Palo Alto, CA
- Co-Director, Geriatrics & Extended Care
 - Medical Director, Home Based Primary Care (HBPC)
- 1999-2001 San Francisco VA Medical Center, San Francisco, CA
- Medical Director, Home Based Primary Care (HBPC)
- 1992-1999 Palo Alto VA Health Care System, Palo Alto, CA
- Medical Director, Home Based Primary Care (HBPC).
- 1993 Interim Coordinator of Clinical Programs, Geriatric Fellowship Program, Palo Alto VA Health Care System, GRECC, Stanford University.
- 1992 Lakeside Senior Medical Center, San Francisco, CA
- Staff physician, half-time.
- 1990-1992 Hillhaven Pine Towers Nursing Home, San Francisco, CA.
- Medical director, special care unit.

PUBLICATIONS

Karlin, B, **Fuller, JD**: Meeting the Mental Health Needs of Older Adults in Primary Care. Geriatrics 2007 Jan, 1.

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Covinsky, KE, **Fuller, JD**, Yaffe, C, Johnston, CB, Hamel, MB, Lynn, J, Teno, J, Phillips, RS: Communication and Decision-Making in Seriously Ill Patients: Findings of the SUPPORT Project. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 2000 May, 48(5):S187-S193 supplement.

Quaglietti SE, Froelicher VF, McBride MR, **Fuller JD**: The ten-year experience of the Palo Alto Veterans Affairs Home-Based Primary Care Program [letter]. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 1999Apr, 47(4):496-497.

Ellingson S, **Fuller JD**: A Good Death? Finding a Balance Between the Interests of Patients and Caregivers. *Generations*, 1998 Fall, 22(3):87-91.

Fuller JD: The AGS Fellowship...A New Fellow's Perspective. *AGS Newsletter*, 1996 Oct/Nov/Dec, 25(5):8

Fuller JD: Review of *Clinics in Geriatric Medicine - Clinical Ethics*, 1994 August, 10(3). *Journal of Ethics, Law, and Aging*, 1995 Aug, 1(1):67-68.

Fuller JD: Doctors and Discrimination [letter]. *ACP Observer*, 1995 Jan, 15(3):6.

Goldstein MK, **Fuller JD**: Intensity of treatment in malnutrition: The ethical considerations. *Primary Care Clinics in Office Practice*, 1994 Mar, 21(1):191-206.

Fuller JD: Review of *Annual Review of Gerontology and Geriatrics*, Volume 12, 1992. *Contemporary Gerontology*, 1994 Spring, 1(1):26-28.

Fuller JD, Williams HJ, McRorie TI: Necrotic bilateral buttocks ulcerations occurring after multiple intramuscular iron dextran injections [letter]. *Archives of Dermatology*, 1988 Nov, 124(11): 1722-3.