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**PERSONAL:** 

MARITAL STATUS: Married, two children

**EXPERIENCE:** 

2006-PRESENT Pacific Shores Medical Group

A Hematology/Oncology Private Practice

Member, UCLA Affiliated Translational Oncology research Network

**EDUCATION:** 

1983-1987 Shahriar College, Diploma in Mathematics and Physics

MEDICAL SCHOOL:

1987-1994 Tehran University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran

### **POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:**

2003-2006 Fellowship, Hematology/Oncology

Westchester Medical Center University Hospital New York Medical College, Valhalla, New York

2002-2003 Fellowship, Geriatric Medicine

Long Island Jewish Medical Center/Parker Jewish Geriatric Institute for

Health Care and Rehabilitation

Albert Einstein College of Medicine, New Hyde Park, New York

1999-2002 Internship/Residency, Internal Medicine

The Mt Vernon Hospital/Westchester Medical Center University Hospital

New York Medical College, Valhalla, New York

## **APPOINTMENTS:**

2008-present Teaching Head, Hematology, Internal Medicine Residency Program,

St Mary's Medical Center, David Gaffen School of Medicine, UCLA

2009-present Assistant Professor of Medicine, David Gaffen School of Medicine, UCLA

2006-2008 Clinical instructor of Medicine, David Gaffen School of Medicine, UCLA

2005-2006 Chief Hematology/Oncology Fellow

Westchester Medical Center, New York Medical College

Valhalla, New York

2000-2001 Chief Medical Resident

The Mt Vernon Hospital, New York Medical College

Mt Vernon, New York

1996-1999 House Officer/E.R. Physician

Iranmehr General Hospital, Tehran, Iran

1994-1996 Director of Community Health Center

Ilam University of Medical Sciences, Ilam, Iran

#### **BOARD CERTIFICATIONS:**

2006	Diplomat, American Board of Hematology
2006	Diplomat, American Board of Oncology
2004	Diplomat, American Board of Geriatric Medicine
2003	Diplomat, American Board of Internal Medicine

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP:

2003	Member-American Society of Hematology
2003	Member-American Society of Clinical Oncology
2002	Member-American Geriatric Society
1999	Member-American Medical Association
1999	Member-American Society of Internal Medicine

#### **AWARDS:**

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2006	Travel Award NCCN Mar 2006
2005	Travel Award ASH Dec 2005
2004	Travel Award ASCO May 2004
2004	Travel Award ASH Dec 2004
2003	Recipient of Best Clinical Poster Award, Baltimore, MD
2000	Recipient of Best Intern Award, Mt Vernon Hospital, NY

#### **PRESENTATIONS:**

Advances in Biology and Treatment of Multiple Myeloma, Hematology/Oncology Ground Rounds; Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York, November 2004

Epidermal Growth Factor Receptor Inhibitors: Mechanism and Rational as a Clinical Target, Hematology/Oncology Ground Rounds; Westchester Medical Center, Valhalla, New York, February 2004

An Update in Treatment of Prostate Cancer, Geriatric Medicine Ground Rounds; Long Island Jewish Medical Center, New Hyde Park, New York, April 2003

TTP associated with Metastatic Breast Cancer, Clinical Pathologic Conference; The Mt Vernon Hospital, Mt Vernon, New York, October 2001

Hepatitis C and Multiple Myeloma, Clinical Pathologic Conference; The Mt Vernon Hospital, Mt Vernon, New York, September 2000

Superior Vena Cava Syndrome associated with Anaplastic Thyroid Cancer, Clinical Pathologic Conference; The Mt Vernon Hospital, Mt Vernon, New York, June 2000

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Farjami, S, Nesheiwat O, Karmen C., Lerner R: An Unusual Case of Lead Poisoning <a href="http://www.cyberounds.com">http://www.cyberounds.com</a>
October 2004

**Farjami S**, Merchant A, Darvesh G, Acosta M, Wolf-Klein G, Silverstone F. Erythropoietin and Cognitive Function: A Case Report. Annual Meeting of the American Geriatrics Society (AGS) **Presidential Poster Presentation**, May 14-18, 2003. Baltimore, Maryland. *Journal of American Geriatric Society; Volume 51 Issue s4 April 2003* 

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Merchant A, Darvesh G, Wolf-Klein G, **Farjami S**, Cohen A. Acute Transverse Myelitis After Influenza Vaccination in a Patient with Multiple Sclerosis. Annual Meeting of the American Geriatrics Society (AGS), May 14-18, 2003. Baltimore, Maryland. *Journal of American Geriatric Society; Volume 51 Issue s4 April 2003*