



JOSEPH J TEPAS III

License Number: ME43165

Profession	Medical Doctor
License Status	Deceased/
Year Began Practicing	01/01/1974
License Expiration	01/31/2020
Date	

## General Information

### Primary Practice Address

JOSEPH J TEPAS III  
NOT PRACTICING

This practitioner does not have an address of record on file with the department. If you have any questions, please contact the department at (850) 488-0595.

### Medicaid

This practitioner DOES participate in the Medicaid program.

### Staff Privileges

This practitioner currently holds staff privileges at the following hospital/medical/health institutions:

Institution Name	City	State
SHANDS AT JACKSONVILLE	JACKSONVILLE	FLORIDA
WOLFSON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	JACKSONVILLE	FLORIDA

### Email Address

Please contact at: [jjt3md@comcast.net](mailto:jjt3md@comcast.net)

### Other State Licenses

This practitioner has not indicated any additional state licensures.

### Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Association

If you are a Florida Allopathic (MD) or Osteopathic (DO) Physician, you are required to provide proof of payment of the Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Association (NICA) assessment as required by section 766.314, Florida Statutes. Payment of the initial and annual assessment are required of all Florida Allopathic and Osteopathic Physicians who do not qualify for an exemption as set forth in section 766.314(4)(b)4, Florida Statutes.

This practitioner has not indicated whether he/she has submitted payment of the assessment.

## Education and Training

Education and Training

Institution Name	Degree Title	Dates of Attendance	Graduation Date
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY	MD	9/1/1967 - 5/1/1971	05/01/1971

Other Health Related Degrees

This practitioner does not hold any additional health related degrees.

Professional and Postgraduate Training

This practitioner has completed the following graduate medical education:

Program Name	Program Type	Specialty Area	Other Specialty Area	City	State or Country	Dates Attended From	Dates Attended To
NAVAL HOSPITAL	INTERNSHIP	TY - TRANSITIONAL YEAR		OAKLAND	CALIFORNIA	07/01/1971	06/30/1972
JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL	RESIDENCY	GS - PEDIATRIC SURGERY		BALTIMORE	MARYLAND	07/01/1976	06/30/1978
NAVAL MEDICAL CENTER	RESIDENCY	GS - SURGERY		PORTSMOUTH	VIRGINIA	08/01/1972	06/30/1976

Academic Appointments

Graduate Medical Education

This practitioner has had the responsibility for graduate medical education within the last 10 years.

Academic Appointments

This practitioner currently holds faculty appointments at the following medical/health related institutions of higher learning:

Title	Institution	City	State
PROF OF SURGERY AND PEDIATRICS SHANDS JACKSONVILLE	UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA COLLEGE OF MEDICIN	JACKSONVILLE	FLORIDA

Specialty Certification

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This practitioner holds the following certifications from specialty boards recognized by the Florida board which regulates the profession for which he/she is licensed:

Specialty Board	Certification	Date Certified
AMERICAN BOARD OF SURGERY	GS - SURGICAL CRITICAL CARE	
AMERICAN BOARD OF SURGERY	GS - PEDIATRIC SURGERY	

Financial Responsibility

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Financial Exemption

Proceedings and Actions

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Criminal Offenses

The criminal history information, if any exists, may be incomplete; federal criminal history information is not available to the public. Information is verified by the Department at the time of initial licensure and renewal.

This practitioner has indicated that he/she has no criminal offenses required to be published on this profile.

**Medicaid Sanctions and Terminations**

This practitioner has not been sanctioned or terminated for cause from the Medicaid program.

**Final Disciplinary Actions Reported by the Department of Health within the last 10 years:**

The information below is self reported by the practitioner.

**Final disciplinary action taken by a specialty board within the last 10 years:**

This practitioner has indicated that he/she has \*NOT\* had any final disciplinary action taken against him/her within the last 10 years by a specialty board.

**Final disciplinary action taken by a licensing agency within the last 10 years:**

This practitioner has indicated that he/she has \*NOT\* had any final disciplinary action taken against him/her within the last 10 years by a licensing agency.

**Disciplinary action taken by a health maintenance organization, pre-paid health clinic, nursing home, licensed hospital or ambulatory surgical center within the last 10 years:**

This practitioner has indicated that he/she has \*NOT\* had any final disciplinary action taken against him/her within the last 10 years by a health maintenance organization, pre-paid health clinic, nursing home, licensed hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

The following discipline has been reported as required under 456.041(5), F.S. within the previous 10 years.

**Resignation from or non-renewal of medical staff membership or the restriction or revocation of staff privileges within the last 10 years by a health maintenance organization, pre-paid health clinic, nursing home, licensed hospital or ambulatory surgical center in lieu of or in settlement of a pending disciplinary case related to competence or character.**

This practitioner has indicated that he/she has \*NEVER\* been asked to or allowed to resign from or had any medical staff privileges restricted or revoked within the last 10 years by a health maintenance organization, pre-paid health clinic, nursing home, licensed hospital or ambulatory surgical center.

**Liability Claims Exceeding \$100,000.00 Within last 10 years.**

Settlement of a claim may occur for a variety of reasons that do not necessarily reflect negatively on the professional competence or conduct of the physician. A payment settlement of a medical malpractice action or claim should not be construed as creating a presumption that medical malpractice has occurred.

**Additional claims information may have been reported to the Department of Financial Services. To check their web site, please click [here](#).**

There have not been any reported liability actions, which are required to be reported under section 456.049, F. S., within the previous 10 years.

**Optional Information**

**Committees/Memberships**

This practitioner has an affiliation with the following committees:  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS  
FLORIDA COMMITTEE ON TRAUMA  
SURGICAL QUALITY ALLIANCE

**Professional or Community Service Awards**

This practitioner has provided the following professional or community service activities, honors, or awards:

Community Service/Award/Honor	Organization
FLORIDA SURGICAL CARE INITIATIVE CELEBRATION OF SERVICE AWAR	FLORIDA HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

**Publications**

This practitioner has authored the following publications in peer-reviewed medical literature within the previous ten years:

Title	Publication	Date
INSURANCE STATUS NOT RACE IS A DETERMINANT OF OUTCOME FROM	J AMCOLL SURG	01/01/2011
BIOKINETIC ANALYSIS OF UBIQUITIN C-TERMINAL HYDROLASE-L1 UC	J NEUROSURG	01/01/2011

Title	Publication	Date
AGE DOES NOT AFFECT OUTCOMES OF NONOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT OF B	J AMCOLLSURG	01/01/2011
FORMAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT CURRICULUM AND DMAIC METHOD RE	J SURG RES	01/01/2012
HIGH VOLUME TRAUMA CENTERS HAVE BETTER OUTCOMES TREATING TRA	JOURNAL OF TRAUMA	02/01/2013
MACRO VS MICRO LEVEL SURGICAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT A REGIONA	JOURNAL OF AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS	04/01/2014

### Professional Web Page

This practitioner has not provided any professional web page information.

### Languages Other Than English

This practitioner has not indicated that any languages other than English are used to communicate with patients, or that any translation service is available for patients, at his/her primary place of practice.

### Other Affiliations

This practitioner has provided the following national, state, local, county, and professional affiliations:

Affiliation
STAFF PRV/WOLFSON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, JACKSONVILLE, FL