



KATHERINE SCHAFFER FRANCIS

License Number: ME54403

Profession	Medical Doctor
License Status	RETIRED/
Year Began Practicing	01/01/1990
License Expiration Date	01/31/2024
Controlled Substance Prescriber (for the	Yes
Treatment of Chronic Non-malignant Pain)	

General Information

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Primary Practice Address

KATHERINE SCHAFFER FRANCIS
4912 CARDINAL TRAIL
PALM HARBOR, FL 34683

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
PRESBYTERIAN HEALTH GROUP	ALBUQUERQUE	NEW MEXICO

Email Address

Please contact at: kathysfrancis1@gmail.com

Other State Licenses

This practitioner has indicated the following additional state licensure:

State	Profession
NEW MEXICO	MEDICINE

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

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Education and Training

Institution Name	Degree Title	Dates of Attendance	Graduation Date
UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA	MD	1/1/1983 - 1/1/1987	01/01/1987

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
TALLAHASSEE MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL	RESIDENCY	FP - FAMILY MEDICINE		TALLAHASSEE	FLORIDA	06/01/1987	06/30/1990

Academic Appointments

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Graduate Medical Education

The practitioner did not provide this mandatory information.

Academic Appointments

This practitioner does not currently hold faculty appointments at any medical/health related institutions of higher learning.

Specialty Certification

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Specialty Certification

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 FAMILY MEDICINE	FP - FAMILY MEDICINE	

Financial Responsibility

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Financial Responsibility

I do not have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain professional liability coverage in an amount not less than \$100,000 per claim, with a minimum annual aggregate of not less than \$300,000 from an authorized insurer as defined under s. 624.09, F. S., from a surplus lines insurer as defined under s. 626.914(2).

Proceedings and Actions

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Proceedings & Actions

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](#).

The following liability actions have been reported as required under section 456.049, F. S., within the previous 10 years:

Incident Date	County	Judicial Case	Settlement Date	Amount	Policy Amount
11/15/2016	HILLSBOROUGH	17-005383-CI	09/18/2018	\$250,000.00	\$1,000,000.00
08/05/2019	PINELLAS	21-005765*-CI	11/07/2022	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00

Optional Information

The practitioner has not verified the information contained in this profile.

Committees/Memberships

This practitioner has not indicated any committees on which they serve for any health entity with which they are affiliated.

Professional or Community Service Awards

This practitioner has not provided any professional or community service activities, honors, or awards.

Publications

This practitioner has not provided any publications that he/she authored in peer-reviewed medical literature within the last ten years.

Professional Web Page

stlukeseeye.com

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
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF FAMILY PRACTICE
FLORIDA ACADEMY OF FAMILY PRACTICE