Florida HEALTH Department of Health

ERNEST FRANCIS BLOCK

License Number: ME60765

Profession	Medical Doctor
License Status	Clear/Active
Year Began Practicing	09/01/1987
License Expiration Date	01/31/2027

General Information

Primary Practice Address

ERNEST FRANCIS BLOCK
720 WEST OAK STREET
SUITE 303
KISSIMMEE, FL 34741

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
	ORLANDO	FLORIDA
CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL HOSPITAL	SANFORD	FLORIDA
OSCEOLA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	KISSIMEE	FLORIDA

Email Address

Please contact at: **efjblock@gmail.com**

Other State Licenses

This practitioner has indicated the following additional state licensure:

State	Profession
PENNSYLVANIA	MEDICAL

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 indicated that he/she has submitted payment of the assessment.

Education and Training

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Institution Name	Degree Title	Dates of Attendance	Graduation Date
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI	MD	9/1/1982 - 5/11/1986	05/11/1986

Other Health Related Degrees

This practitioner has completed the following other health related degrees:

School/University	City	State/Country	Dates Attended From	Dates Attended To	Degree Title
UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE	KNOXVILLE	TENNESSEE	01/01/2007	12/20/2007	MBA

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
ALBERT EINSTEIN MEDICAL CENTER	RESIDENCY	GS - SURGERY		PHILADELPHIA	PENNSYLVANIA	07/01/1986	06/30/1991
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI/JACKSON	RESIDENCY	GS - SURGICAL CRITICAL CARE		MIAMI	FLORIDA	07/01/1991	06/30/1992
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI/JACKSON	FELLOWSHIP	OTHER	TRAUMA SURGERY	MIAMI	FLORIDA	07/01/1992	06/30/1993

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
CLINICAL ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF SURGERY	UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA COLLEGE OF MEDICIN	GAINESVILLE	FLORIDA
PROFESSOR OF SURGERY	UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	ORLANDO	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 - SURGERY	

Financial Responsibility

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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

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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.

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:
ETHICS COMMITTEE

Professional or Community Service Awards

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

Community Service/Award/Honor	Organization
PAST CHAIR	FLORIDA COMMITTEE ON TRAUMA
PAST PRESIDENT	EASTERN ASSOCIATION FOR THE SURGERY OF TRAUMA
PAST CHAIR	FLORIDA CHAPTER, AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS

Community Service/Award/Honor	Organization
PRESIDENTIAL CITATION, SOCIETY OF CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE	
SOCIETY OF CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE, SURGERY SECTION COMMUNI	

Publications

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

Title	Publication	Date
PRELOAD ASSESSMENT IN PATIENTS WITH AN OPEN ABDOMEN	JOURNAL ON TRAUMA	01/01/1994
THE NATURAL HISTORY OF EXTREMITY VENOUS REPAIR PERFORMED F	AMERICAN SURGERY	01/01/1999
POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY IN THE DIAGNOSIS OF OCCULT AD	AMERICAN SURGERY	01/01/1998
MANAGEMENT OF BB WOUNDS TO THE HEART	JOURNAL ON TRAUMA	01/01/1996
NUTRITIONAL SUPPORT OF THE GUT: HOW AND WHY	NEW HORIZONS	05/01/1994
THIS PRACTITIONER HAS AUTHORED SEVERAL OTHER PUBLICATIONS		

Professional Web Page

This practitioner has not provided any professional web page information.

Languages Other Than English

This practitioner has indicated that the following languages other than English are used to communicate with patients, or that a translation service is available for patients, at his/her primary place of practice.

HEBREW
FRENCH
SPANISH

Other Affiliations

This practitioner has not provided any national, state, local, county, or professional affiliations.