



## BLAKE A ZIKA

License Number: OS9230

Profession Osteopathic Physician  
License Status CLEAR/Active  
Year Began Practicing 01/01/2001  
License Expiration 03/31/2026  
Date

## General Information

### Primary Practice Address

BLAKE A ZIKA  
ST JOSEPHS HOSPITAL SOUTH  
6901 SIMMONS LOOP  
RIVERVIEW, FL 33578

### 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
MANATEE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	BRADENTON	FLORIDA
BRANDON REGIONAL HOSPITAL	BRANDON	FLORIDA
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL	APOLLO BEACH	FLORIDA

### Email Address

Please contact at: [bczika@verizon.net](mailto:bczika@verizon.net)

### Other State Licenses

This practitioner has indicated the following additional state licensure:

State	Profession
FLORIDA	EMERGENCY 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 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
DES MOINES UNIVERSITY	DO	8/1/1996 - 6/1/2000	06/01/2000

## 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 WISCONSIN	EAU CLAIRE	WISCONSIN	08/01/1991	06/01/1995	BS BIOLOGY

## 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
PONTIAC OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL	INTERNSHIP	EM - EMERGENCY MEDICINE	AOA APPROVED INTERNSHIP	PONTIAC	MICHIGAN	06/26/2000	06/25/2001
PONTIAC OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL	RESIDENCY	EM - EMERGENCY MEDICINE		PONTIAC	MICHIGAN	07/01/2001	06/30/2004

## Academic Appointments

### Graduate Medical Education

The practitioner did not provide this mandatory information.

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

## 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
AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC BOARD OF EMERGENCY	EM - EMERGENCY MEDICINE

## Financial Responsibility

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I have hospital staff privileges and I have obtained and maintain professional liability coverage in an amount not less than \$250,000 per claim, with a minimum annual aggregate of not less than \$750,000, from an authorized insurer as defined under s.624.09 FS, from a surplus lines insurer as defined under s.626.914(2)FS, from a risk retention group as defined under s.627.942 FS, from the Joint Underwriting Association established under s.627.351(4)FS, or through a plan of self-insurance as provided in s.627.357 FS, or through a plan of self-insurance which meets the conditions specified for satisfying financial responsibility in s.766.110 FS.

## 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 the following criminal offenses:

Description of Offense	Date	State or Jurisdiction	Under Appeal	Status	Date Of Corroboration
DUI/OPEN CONTAINER	09/28/1994	WAUKESHA, WI	NO	CORROBORATED	

## 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
10/03/2015	HILLSBOROUGH	18-CA-3247	03/24/2022	\$150,000.00	\$250,000.00

## Optional Information

### Committees/Memberships

This practitioner has an affiliation with the following committees:

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIAN

AMERICAN OSTEOPATHIC ASSOCIATION

### 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

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

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