

CURRICULUM VITAE
Catherine A. Picken, M.D.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of birth: October 2, 1953
Place of birth: Sterling, Illinois

TRAINING

7/85 to 7/89 Resident in Otolaryngology
Georgetown University
Washington, D.C.

7/81 to 7/83 Clinical Associate
National Heart, Lung, Blood Institute
Clinic of Surgery
Bethesda, MD

7/80 to 7/81 Resident in General Surgery
Northwestern Memorial Hospital
Northwestern University
Chicago, IL

7/79 to 7/80 Intern in General Surgery
Northwestern Memorial Hospital
Northwestern University
Chicago, IL

EDUCATION

Medical School Northwestern University Medical School
Chicago, IL
Attended 9/75 to 9/79
Awarded M.D. June, 1979

College Knox College
Galesburg, IL
Attended 9/71 to 6/75
Awarded B.A., Summa cum laude

High School Sterling High School
Sterling, IL
Graduated June, 1971

HONORS

Valedictorian, Class of 1971, Sterling, IL
Phi Beta Kappa, elected 1973
Valedictorian, Class of 1975, Galesburg, IL
Henry A. Schwiegel Award for Academic Excellence

Knox College, 1975
Special Citation for Excellence, Georgetown University
Medical Center, May, 1998.
Teacher of the Year, Department of Otolaryngology, Georgetown
University Medical Center, June, 1999.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor of Otolaryngology
Georgetown University Hospital
May, 1999

Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology
Georgetown University Hospital
Washington, D.C.
July 1990 to 1999.

Chief, Section of Otolaryngology
Washington V.A. Medical Center
Washington, D.C.
July, 1990 to July, 1994

Consulting Attending, Head and Neck Trauma
Washington Hospital Center
Washington, D.C.
July, 1989 to present

Staff Otolaryngologist
Group Health Association
Washington, D.C.
July, 1989 to July, 1990

Emergency Physician, Full-time practice
Alexandria Physician's Group
Alexandria, VA
July, 1983 to July, 1985

LICENSES

District of Columbia #17380, 1989 to present

CERTIFICATION

American Board of Otolaryngology, October, 1989
Fellow, American College of Surgeons, October, 1993.

PRESENTATIONS

"Peripheral Nerve Grafting", Department of Otolaryngology-Head
and Neck Surgery, Grand Rounds, Georgetown University

Hospital, November 16, 1995.

"Management of Metastatic Neck Masses", Department of General Surgery, Grand Rounds, Georgetown University Hospital, October 21, 1995.

"Examination of Head, Ears, Nose and Throat", Nurse-Midwifery Program, School of Nursing, Georgetown University Hospital, September 8, 1995.

"Minimizing Pectoralis Myocutaneous Flap Loss Using the Delay Principle" at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, San Diego, CA, Sept. 21, 1994.

"Tonsillectomy in Adults", Interview for Woman's Day Magazine, May, 1994.

"Current Concepts in Chronic Sinusitis", Grand Rounds, Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital, February, 1994.

"Functional Considerations in Reconstruction of the Oral Cavity", Grand Rounds, Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Georgetown University Hospital, October 1993.

"Smoking and Cancer of the Larynx", TV Interview, Channel 9, October 9, 1993.

"Current Concepts in Evaluation and Treatment of Vocal Cord Paralysis", Grand Rounds, Department of Surgery, Georgetown University Hospital, September 17, 1993.

"Management Options for Permanent Vocal Cord Paralysis", American College of Surgeons, All Surgeon's Day, March 6, 1993.

"Vocal Cord Paralysis", Grand Rounds, Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery Grand Rounds, Georgetown Hospital, November 1992.

"Technique of Pectoralis Major Myocutaneous Flap Harvest", Instructional Course for Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Washington, D.C., September 14, 1992.

"Current Concepts in Head and Neck Metastasis", Grand Rounds, Malcolm Grow USAF Medical Center, Suitland, MD, February 11, 1992.

"Congenital Nasal Masses" to Grand Rounds, Otolaryngology-

Head and Neck Surgery Department, December, 1991.

"Reconstruction of the Oral Cavity" to Department of Plastic Surgery, Georgetown University Hospital, October, 1991.

"Management of the Fractured Mandible" to Grand Rounds, Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Georgetown University Hospital, September, 1990.

ABSTRACTS PRESENTED

Attinger, CE, Picken, CA, Evans, SRT, Davidson, B, Sessions, RB, "Delay of Pectoralis Myocutaneous Flap Using Endoscopy", Conjoint Symposium on Contemporary Head and Neck Reconstruction, Chicago, Illinois, July 27, 1995.

Levy, LM, Gulya, AJ, Picken, CA, Jasmin, L, et al "MR Flow Imaging of CSF Leaks: Clinical Utility and Neurosurgical Correlation to American Roentgen Ray Society, Washington, D.C., May 1, 1995.

Picken CA, Attinger CE, Sessions RB. "Contribution of the Internal Mammary Artery to the Blood Supply of the Pectoralis Major Muscle: Importance and Implications. Accepted for the Southern Section Meeting of the Triologic Society, January, 1995.

Solomon BI, Miller SD, Picken CA, Attinger CE, Troost TR, Sessions RB. "Speech and Swallowing Function Following Glossectomy with Radial Forearm Reconstruction", to the American Speech and Hearing Association Annual Meeting, November, 1994.

"Minimizing Pectoralis Myocutaneous Flap Loss Using the Delay Principle" to the Annual Meeting of American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, September, 1994.

Picken CE, Razavi Re. "Use of Dental Implants for Primary Retention of Onlay Bone Grafts in Oral Rehabilitation". To the Eastern Section Meeting of the Triologic Society, January 1995.

Picken CA, Attinger CE, Sessions RB. "Use of the Lateral Thigh Fasciocutaneous Free Flap in Head and Neck Reconstruction.

Picken CA, Attinger CE, Sessions RB. "A Cadaver Study of the Vascular Territories of the Pectoralis Muscle and Overlying

Skin". Annual Meeting of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, 1994.

Attinger CE, Picken CA, Sessions RB. "Refinements for Using the Radial Forearm Free Flap for Total Lip Reconstruction". To the Annual Meeting of the Academy of Otolaryngology, 1994.

Smith RV, Picken CA. "Postoperative Quadriplegia Secondary to Unsuspected Spinal Stenosis". To the Annual Meeting of Academy of Otolaryngology, 1994.

CHAPTERS AND ARTICLES

Picken CA. "Laryngitis in the Adult" in Clinical Practice of Emergency Medicine, Harwood-Nuss, et al, eds. Second Edition, J.P. Lipincott Co., Philadelphia, PA. 1996.

Picken CA. "Pharyngotonsillitis, Peritonsillar Abscess and Retropharyngeal Abscess in the Adult" in Clinical Practice of Emergency Medicine, Harwood-Nuss, et al, eds. Second edition, J.P. Lipincott Co, Philadelphia. 1996.

Sessions RB, Hudkins (Picken) CA. "Complications of Surgery of the Oral Cavity", in Complications in Head and Neck Surgery, Eisele, ed. Mosby, St. Louis. 1993.

Sessions RB, Hudkins (Picken) CA. "Malignant Cervical Adenopathy" in Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Cummings et al, eds. J.P. Lipincott Co., Philadelphia. 1993.

Sessions RB, Hudkins (Picken) CA. "Congenital Nasal Masses", in Head and Neck Surgery-Otolaryngology, Bailey, et al, eds. J.P. Lipincott Co., Philadelphia. 1993.

Hudkins (Picken) CA. "Tonsillitis, Peritonsillar Abscess, and Retropharyngeal Abscess" in Clinical Practice of Emergency Medicine, Harwood-Nuss, et al, eds. J.P. Lipincott Co., Philadelphia. 1990.

Lack EE, Picken CA, Kumar, PN "Cutaneous Acanthamoebiasis" in Pathology of Infectious Diseases. Connor DH et al, eds. Chapter 126. Appleton and Lavage, 1997.

Picken CA, Sessions, RB, "Congenital Anomalies of the Nose" in Head and Neck Surgery - Otolaryngology, 2nd ed. Bailey B. ed. J. D. Lippincott Co. 1997.

Ortiz JO, Hudkins (Picken) CA, Kornblut A. Adenitis, Adenopathy and Abscesses of the Head and Neck. EmClin N

Am5(2): 359-370, 1987.

Rutledge R, Hudkins (Picken) CA et al. Mitral Valve Replacement after Closed Mitral Commissurotomy. Circulation 66 (Suppl 1), 1982.

Picken CA, Sessions RB, "Malignant Cervical Adenopathy" in Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery, 3rd ed., Cummings et al., eds. Mosby, 1997.

Picken CA, Sessions RB, "Physical Examination of the Head and Neck" in Head and Neck Cancer: A Multidisciplinary Approach, Harrison et al., eds. Lippincott-Raven. 1998.

Harrison LB, Sessions RB, Picken CA, "Oropharynx" in Head and Neck Cancer: A Multidisciplinary Approach, Harrison et al., eds. Lippincott-Raven. 1998.

Koch CA, Picken CA, Clemnts Sc, et al. Ectopic Lingual Thyroid: An Otolaryngologic Emergency Beyond Childhood. Thyroid 10(6), 2000.

ARTICLES SUBMITTED

Attinger, AE, Picken, CA, Evans, SRT, Davidson, B, Sessions, RB, "Endoscopic Delay of the Pectoralis Myocutaneous Flap: a Preliminary Report". Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery Submitted November, 1995.

Attinger CE, Picken CA, Sessions RB. Maximizing Pectoralis Myocutaneous Flap Success Using the Delay Principle. Submitted to Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, September, 1994.

Montgomery E, Picken CA. Ectopic Hamartomatous Thymoma: Case Report and Review of the Literature. Accepted to ENT Journal.

Newkirk KA, Cullen KJ, Harter W, Picken CA, et al. Planned Neck Dissection for Advanced Head and Neck Malignancy Treated with Organ Preservation Therapy: Disease Control and Survival Outcomes. Submitted to Laryngoscope, May, 2000.

Mankani MH, Attinger CE, Picken CA. Scalp Closure Using Combination Wound Approximation and Skin Grafting. Submitted to Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Feb, 2000.

SERVICE

Member, Surgical Services Reengineering Team, Georgetown University Hospital, 1995 to 1997.

Chair, Head and Neck Tumor Board, VA Hospital
December 1989 to July 1994.

Chair, Surgical Quality Review Committee, VA Hospital
July 1992 to 1994.

Member, Cancer Committee, VA Hospital
July 1992 to 1994.

Member, Tumor Bank Oversight Committee, Georgetown
University Hospital, March 1994 to present.

Advisor, Tumor Registry, Georgetown University
Hospital, September, 1993 to 1997.

Member, Peer Review Panel, VA Hospital
July, 1993 to 1994.

Course Coordinator, "Thyroplasty Techniques" at Annual Meeting
of AAO-HNS, September 15, 1992, Washington, D.C.

Course Coordinator, "Functional Endoscopic Sinus Surgery" at
Annual Meeting of AAO-HNS, September 16, 1992,
Washington, D.C.

Course Coordinator, "Myocutaneous Flaps" at Annual Meeting of
AAO-HNS, September 14, 1992, Washington, D.C.

Elected to Faculty Senate, Georgetown University Medical
Center, May, 1999.

Appointed to Georgetown University Medical School Committee on
Students, July, 2000.

Georgetown University Hospital Board of Directors, Appointed
August, 2000.