

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. KIANFA MARTINEZ-LU, MD

**ABA Board Certification in General Anesthesia
Subsequent Sub specialization in Liver and Solid Organ Transplantation
ABA and ABPM Board Certified in the Subspecialty of Pain Management**

LANGUAGES SPOKEN: Spanish, English, French, Portuguese

PAIN PROCEDURES PERFORMED:

- 1) Medial Branch Blocks and Neurotomy (RFA): Cervical, Thoracic, and Lumbar
- 2) Selective Nerve Root Blocks: Cervical, thoracic, and Lumbar
- 3) Radiofrequency application to Dorsal Root Ganglia
- 4) Interlaminar and Transforaminal Epidural Steroid Injections
- 5) Lumbar sympathetic blocks and RFA
- 6) Hypogastric Plexus block
- 7) Stellate Ganglion Block
- 8) Caudal Epidurals
- 9) Neurostimulation trials and implants
- 10) Intrathecal delivery device implants
- 11) Lateral Branch blocks and RFA
- 12) Sacroiliac steroid injections and RFA
- 13) Facet steroid injections
- 14) Discography
- 15) Peripheral nerves pulse RFA

SCOPE OF ANESTHESIA PRACTICE:

Administration of General Anesthesia for a variety of cases for patients from ASA I to ASA V
-OB
-Neurosurgery
-Orthopedic Surgery
-General surgery
-Vascular Procedures
Administration of Neuraxial anesthesia
Post operative acute Pain control
Administration of MAC anesthesia for inpatient and outpatient procedures
Anesthesia for Liver Transplantation
Trauma Anesthesia

EDUCATION:

08/01/1994-07/31/1998 **BS – Molecular Biology (Cum Laude, Dean’s List)**
Florida International University
11200 SW 8th Street
Miami, Florida 33199
(305) 348-2000

08/01/1999-12/30/2003 **MD - St. George University School of Medicine**
University Centre
Grenada, West Indies

07/01/2004-06/30/2005 **Surgical Internship**
Department of Surgery, SUNY at Buffalo
Buffalo General Medical Center
100 High Street
Buffalo, New York 14203
(716) 859-7330

07/01/2006-06/30/2009 **Anesthesia Residency**
Medical College of Georgia
1120 15th Street
Augusta, GA 30912
(706) 721-3871

POSTGRADUATE STUDIES:

07/01/2009- 06/30/2010 **Pain Management Fellowship**
Medical College of Georgia
1120 15th Street
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09/01/2012-01/19/2013 **Medical Acupuncture for Physicians**
University of Miami, Highland professional building
Family medicine training room
1801 NW 9th Ave, 4th floor

Miami, FL 33136
(305) 689-7073

11/03/2013-11/04/2013

Advance Auricular Acupuncture
Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center
Conference Room 1301
1475 SW 12th Ave
Miami, Fl 33136
(305) 689-7073

07/01/2016-03/01/2017

Fellowship in Liver Transplant Anesthesia
Jackson Memorial Hospital
1611 NW 12th Ave C301
Miami, FL 33136
Phone (305) 585-1446
Fax (305) 585-7094

Research Experience:

09/10/1998-07/01/1999

Study on the Spread on Tomato Gemini Viruses
Research Staff
University of Florida Institute Tropical Research
18905 SW 280th Street
Homestead, Florida 33031

08/30/1994-05/01/1996

“ALU Sequences in the Human Genome”
Research Staff
Florida International University
P.O. 659003
Miami, Florida 33265

07/01/2009-06/30/2010

The Study of the Influence of Culture on Pain Perception
Primary investigator
Medical College of Georgia
1120 15th Street
Augusta, GA 30912

CERTIFICATIONS:

ACLS
BLS
American Board of Anesthesiology: Anesthesia (ABA)
American Board of Anesthesiology: Pain Medicine

American Board of Pain Medicine (ABPM)

LICENSES:

Active Licences:
State of Florida

HONORS AND RECOGNITION:

MBRS Scholarship, Florida International University
Geoffrey Bourne Scholarship, St. George University School of Medicine
American Pain Society Scholarship, Medical College of Georgia

PUBLICATIONS

Martinez, K., Rogg, S., Martin, D., “The Influence of Ethnicity on Verbal Analog Scale Pain Ratings Pre- and Post- Radiofrequency Application for Pain of Zygoapophyseal Joint Origin.” ASIPP meeting 2010, in press

Martinez, K., Weatherred, T., Florentino, I., “Severe Compartment Syndrome Following Extravasation of Fluids in a Critically Ill Neonate”, Society of Pediatric Anesthesiology Winter Meeting, Jacksonville, Florida 2009

Novick, G., **Martinez, K.**, Duncan, G., Stoneking, M., Herrera, R.J., “Polymorphic Human Specific ALU Insertions as Markers for Human Identification.” Electrophoresis, September 1999, Volume 9, pages 1595-1601.

Novick, G., Batzer, M., **Martinez, K.** Herrera, R.J., “The Use of ALU Insertions as a New Methodological Alternative in Human Paternity Testing.” International Pediatrics, October 1998.

Martinez-Lu, K; Pineda, F: “Severe Compartment Syndrome Following Extravasation of Fluids in a Critically Ill Neonate.” Society of Pediatric Anesthesia, March 2009.

Ghaffaripur, S ; Martinez-Lu , K; Souki, F: “Anesthetic Approach for Endoscopic Repair of Acquired Tracheoesophageal Fistulas,” Seminars in Cardiothoracic and Vascular Anesthesia, Volume 4, Issue 4, 2017.

Souki, F; Martinez-Lu, K; Ghaffaripur, S: “Severe Type B Lactic Acidosis and Insulin Resistant Hyperglycemia Related to Cadaveric Kidney Transplantation.” Journal of Clinical anesthesia, February 2018 Volume 44, pages 100-101.

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES & ACTIVITIES:

American Society of Interventional Pain Physicians (ASIPP)
American Society of Anesthesiologists
Florida Society of Anesthesiologists

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Georgia Society of Anesthesiologists

American Pain Society

Golden Key National Society

Florida International University Honor College Alumni

North American Neuromodulation Society

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:

07/1999-6/2004

Radio Program Moderator
WQBA 1140 AM Radio Station
Miami, Florida

06/1997-01/1998

Research Staff
Metro Dade Crime Lab
Miami, Florida

HOBBIES:

Gardening

Deep Sea Diving

Computer/Information Technology

Fish Keeping