

Curriculum Vitae

RICHARD S. ISAACS, MD, FACS

Personal

Place of Birth: Detroit, Michigan

Married: Debra Karling Isaacs, MD (Internal Medicine, VA McClellan)

Children: Dayna (22) and Rachel (19)

Education

M.D., Wayne State University School of Medicine, Detroit, Michigan,
Graduate with Honors, 1984 -1988

B.S., Literature, Science, and Arts, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor,
Graduate with Distinction, 1980 -1984

Medical Training

University of California, Davis, School of Medicine Fellow in Head and Neck Oncologic and
Skull Base Surgery / Microvascular Surgery, July 1, 1993 – June 30, 1995

Manhattan Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital / Cornell University Medical College /

Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center,

Resident in Surgery, July 1, 1988-June 30, 1990

Resident in Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, July 1, 1990 – June 30, 1993

Executive Development

Korn Ferry CEO Assessment Report Evaluation - **“Ready Now”**

June 2015 and July 2016

Professional Appointments

Physician-in-Chief and Chief-of-Staff, Kaiser Permanente Medical Center

South Sacramento, April 2005 to present

Chair, Head and Neck Surgery Chief’s Group, N. California, January 2001 – March 2005

Chief, Head and Neck Surgery, Kaiser Permanente, South Sacramento, 2000 – March 2005

Clinical Assistant Dean of Medical Education, California Northstate University School of Medicine

Clinical Professor of Otolaryngology and Adjunct Clinical Faculty

University of California, Davis, 1995 - Present

Drexel University School of Medicine, 2012 – Present

California Northstate University College of Medicine, 2013 – Present

Director, Otolaryngology Residency Journal Club, UC Davis, 1995-2005

Director, Advisory Board to Chancellor for School of Medicine Dean and Vice-Chancellor

Selection Committee, January 2013 to December 2013

Chair, Scholarship Committee, UC, Davis, School of Medicine Alumni Board of Directors,

January, 2013 to present

Director, Drexel Sacramento, Advisory Board of Directors, October, 2013 to present

Hospital Staff Privileges

Hospital Staff Membership – Kaiser Medical Center, South Sacramento, 1995 to present

Courtesy Staff Membership – Kaiser Medical Center, Sacramento, 1995 to present

Courtesy Staff Membership – Kaiser Medical Center, Roseville, 1998 to present

Special Training

American Leadership Forum, (ALF) Mountain Valley Chapter, Senior Fellow, 2014
California Healthcare Foundation, Leadership Program, University of California,
San Francisco, Cohort 9, Graduate 2010.
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Keenan-Flagler School of Business,
Advanced Leadership Program (ALP) Kaiser Permanente, 2004

Honors and Awards

Chosen as one of the Top Otolaryngologists in Northern California by
Consumer Reports survey of American Physicians, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014
Top Doctor Award, Otolaryngology, Sacramento Magazine, 2001, 2003, 2005, 2016
Special Award, University of California, Davis, School of Medicine:
Dedication to Teaching within the Department of Otolaryngology, June 1997, June 2003
President's Award, The American Academy of Otolaryngology, for Scientific Exhibit:
Skull Base Surgical Approaches to Distal Carotid Artery Aneurysms, September 1995
Kaiser-Permanente Extra Mile Hero Award: Lifesaving emergency tracheotomy
Mercy Methodist Hospital ED, Easter Sunday, 2001.
Distinguished Medical Student Research Award.
The University of Michigan School of Medicine Annual Research Forum, 1983.

Certifications and Licensure

Board Certified in Otolaryngology, American Board of Otolaryngology, 1994

Certified in Advanced Head and Neck Oncologic Surgery,
Joint Council of Head and Neck Oncologic Surgery, 1995

California State Medical License # G075756

Memberships and Offices in Professional Societies

Delegate, California Medical Association, VLMGF, 2007 to present
Expert Reviewer, Medical Board of California, January 2003 to present.
Fellow, American College of Surgeons, July, 1995 to present.
Board of Governors, The American Academy of Otolaryngology, 2002 to 2005.
President, Sacramento Society of Otolaryngology, January 2002 to 2005.
Secretary/Treasurer, Sacramento Society of Otolaryngology, 2000 to 2002.
Editorial Review Board, Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery Journal, 1995 – 2005.
Alpine Member, National Ski Patrol, 2008 to present

Team Accomplishments:

Led the strategic leadership and successful political battle against UCD/Mercy for
Level II Trauma Designation, 2005 to 2008
Received Kaiser Permanente's first Trauma designation in 2008
KP South Sacramento Verified as Level II Trauma Center, American College of Surgeons
(ACS), July 2009, reaccredited 2012
Implemented KP HealthConnect as alpha-site for KP National Program, 2005-06
Emergency Department redesign: Physician-in-Treatment / Clinical Decision 2006
Early adopter of "Baldwin Park" Hospital Model, 2007
Created Innovative environment: HealthConnect Toolbar and several iPhone/iPad applications
Bariatric Surgery Developed - comprehensive Bariatric Surgery Program, 2012

Robotic Surgery – Developed comprehensive Robotic Surgery Program, 2012
Interventional Cardiology – Developed comprehensive STEMI program, 2012
Sports Medicine – Developed Kaiser Permanente’s first comprehensive Sports Medicine Center, including Sports Medicine, Nutrition, and Fitness, 2005
Medical Directorship of the California International Marathon, 2008 to 2013
Established Kaiser Permanente’s 10K “Run for Independence” 2005 to present
Established Kaiser Permanente’s “Running of the Elk” 10K and half marathon, 2011
Sacramento Kings, NBA, Medical Provider for the Players and their Families, 2013.

Presentations at Scientific Meetings

Guppy, KH, **Isaacs, RS**. Transmandibular Approach to the anterior cervical spine and clivus for resection of Clival Chordoma. Congress of Neurological Surgeons. Washington DC, October 4, 2011.

Buckmiller, LM, and **Isaacs, RS**. Metachronous Radiation Induced Head and Neck Tumors: A Case Report and Review. Presented at the Fourteenth Annual Meeting of The Bay Area Residency Research Symposium, Berkeley, California, June, 1998. First Place award winner.

Isaacs, RS, Brodie, HA, Gadre, A, and Donald, PJ. Skull Base Approaches for the Management of Distal Carotid Artery Aneurysms: A Clinical Study and Cadaveric Analysis. Presented at the Annual Meeting of The American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, New Orleans, September 1995.

Isaacs, RS, Manolidis, S, and Donald, PJ. The Safety of Simultaneous Bilateral Radical Neck Dissection. Presented at the Annual Meeting of The American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, New Orleans, September 1995.

Isaacs, RS, Manolidis, S, and Sykes, JM. Solitary Lag Screw Osteosynthesis: Techniques and Applications in Mandibular Fractures. Presented at the Annual Meeting of The American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, New Orleans, September 1995.

Isaacs, RS. Evaluation and Management of the Carotid Artery in Skull Base Surgery. Presented at the Annual Spring Meeting of the American Society of Otorhinolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgical Nurses, University of California, Davis, School of Medicine, Sacramento, May 1994.

Isaacs, RS, Komisar, AD, Szabo, MA. Secondary Hyperparathyroidism: A management dilemma when associated with “Hungry Bone Syndrome.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, Minneapolis, October 1993.

Isaacs, RS, Spingarn, AT, Levenson, MJ. Complications of Streptococcal Otitis Media: A Reemerging Disease Entity. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, Minneapolis, October, 1993.

Isaacs, RS, Anand, VK. Endoscopic Surgical Approaches to Sphenoid Sinus Disease. Presented at the Eastern Section Meeting of the Triologic Society, New York, January 1993.

Isaacs, RS, Wang, RC. The Oral Manifestations of the Immunologically Mediated Vesiculobullous Diseases: Case Report and Review. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology, Washington, DC, September 1992.

Isaacs, RS, Selesnick, SH, Parisier, SC. Middle Ear Vascular Lesion Presenting Ten Years After Mastoidectomy. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, Washington, DC. September 1992.

Isaacs, RS, Weiss, MH, Harrison, LB. Use of Decision Analysis in Planning a Strategy for the NO Neck. Presented at the Third International Conference on Head and Neck Cancer, San Francisco, July 1992.

Isaacs, RS, Wang, RC. Mucosal Melanoma of the Tongue: A Review. Presented at the Third International Conference on Head and Neck Cancer, San Francisco, July 1992.

Edelstein, DR, Parisier, SC, **Isaacs, RS**. The Microfiberoptic Evaluation of the Middle Ear Cavity. Presented at the 26th Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Neurotologic Society, Waikoloa, May 1991.

Isaacs, RS, Edelstein, DR, Anand, VK, Lisman, R. Spontaneous Enophthalmos Associated with the Atelectatic Maxillary Sinus. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, Kansas City, 1991.

Isaacs, RS, Hamlet, S, Mathog, RH. Deglutition: An Assessment of the Timing Relation to the Respiratory Cycle. Presented at the Annual Otolaryngology Medical Research Forum – Wayne State University School of Medicine, Detroit, June, 1988.

Isaacs, RS, Wiggins, RC, Wilson, BS. 1) The Development and Analysis of Monoclonal Antibodies to Various Human Antigenic Systems; and 2) Characterization of the Antigens to Two Monoclonal Antibodies Raised Against Human Glomerular Basement Membrane. Presented at the University of Michigan Medical School 31st Annual Research Forum, June 1983.

Publications

Guppy, KH, **Isaacs, RS**. En bloc resection of a multilevel highcervical chordoma involving C2: new operative modalities. J Neurosurg Spine 19:232242, 2013.

Isaacs, RS, Sykes, JM. Anatomy and Physiology of the Upper Airway. In: Anesthesiology Clinics of North America. December, 2002; 20(4): 73345.

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Manolidis, S, **Isaacs, RS**, Donald, PJ. The use of Positron Emission Tomography (PET) to detect occult and recurrent disease in patients with head and neck cancer. ACTA Otolaryngica (Stockh). 1998; Suppl, 534.

Manolidis, S, **Isaacs, RS**, Donald, PJ. Myoepithelial Carcinoma: A Report of 2 Cases and Review of the Literature. Otorhinolaryngol Nova. 1997:7; 22026.

Manolidis, S, **Isaacs, RS**, Donald, PJ. Malignant Mucosal Melanoma of the Head and Neck: A Comprehensive Review of the Literature and Report of 14 New Cases. Cancer, 1997:80(8); 137386.

Isaacs, RS, and Donald, PJ. Sphenoid and Sellar Tumors. In Otolaryngologic Clinics of North America, Vol 28:6, December, 1995.

Isaacs, RS, Sykes, JM. Essential Anatomic Considerations in Airway Management. In: Hanowell, LH, and Waldron, R. Airway Management, J.P. Lippincott, Co. 1996.

Sykes, JM. **Isaacs, RS**. Surgical Techniques in Airway Intervention. In: Hanowell, LH, and Waldron, R. Airway Management, J.P. Lippincott, Co. 1995.

Anand, VK. **Isaacs, RS**. Nasal Physiology and the Treatment of Turbinate Disorders. In: Rees, TD, LaTrenta, GS. Aesthetic Plastic Surgery, 2nd Edition, Philadelphia, WB Saunders, Co. 1994.

Isaacs, RS, Sykes, JM. Maxillomandibular Fixation With Intraoral Cortical Bone Screws. Letter. Laryngoscope, 105, January, 1995.

Spingarn, AT, **Isaacs, RS**, Levenson, MJ. Complications of Acute Streptococcal Otitis Media: A Resurgence. Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, 111:5, November, 1994.

Weiss, MH, Harrison, LB, **Isaacs, RS**. Use of Decision Analysis in Planning a Management Strategy for the Stage N0 Neck. Archives of Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery, July, 1994.

Edelstein, DR, Parisier, SC, **Isaacs, RS**, Magnon, JA. The Microfiberoptic Evaluation of the Middle Ear Cavity. The American Journal of Otology, January 1994.