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### Employment History

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**08/22- Present** Chief of the Division of Otolaryngology Newton Wellesley Hospital  
**07/12 - Present** Physician and Founding Partner - New England Ear Nose and Throat  
**07/11 - Present** Assistant Professor Otolaryngology, Boston Medical Center, Boston University  
**01/17 - Present** Consultant for GI reviewers, Massachusetts  
**07/11 - 07/12** Otolaryngology Private Practice, 65 Walnut St. Wellesley

### Consulting

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**1/17 - Present** GI reviewers, LLC  
**04/22- 2023** Consulting Medical Expert for multiple case lawsuit ( involved in 7 cases, 7 reports written, 3 depositions)  
**2023** Consulting Medical Expert for Malpractice lawsuit - Settled.

### Board Certification

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**2011-Present** Medical License to practice in Massachusetts  
**06/12-Present** Board Certified by the American Board of Otolaryngology

### Training

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**07/07 - 06/11** Resident, Otolaryngology, Boston Medical Center, Boston University  
**06/06 - 06/07** Intern, General Surgery, Boston Medical Center, Boston University

### Education

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**M.D. 08/02 – 05/06**  
Medical School, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine  
**M.S. 09/00 – 05/02**  
Biomedical Engineering, Boston University  
Thesis: JNDS of interaural time delay of selected frequency bands in speech and music signals  
**B.S. 09/96 – 05/00**  
Biomedical Engineering, Minor in Computer Science, The Johns Hopkins University  
Thesis: 3D reconstruction of rat heart arteries with the Gradient Vector Field technique

### Honors

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Elected member Alpha Eta Mu Beta, The Biomedical Engineering Honor Society, Best Doctors Newton Wellesley Hospital, Resident Teaching Award 2015, Boston Top Docs 2020-2023

### Committee

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2012 - 2018 Infection Control Committee - Newton Wellesley Hospital  
12/19 - Present NWH Affiliate Physician Advisory Group  
2021 - Present NWH Epic Ambulatory Council

### Lectures

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2/2022 NWH Medicine Lunch and Learn - Sudden hearing loss  
3/2021 NWH Medicine Lunch and Learn - Ear Fullness  
10/2018 Presented at Scary Case Conference  
2014-2018 Instructor Temporal Bone Lab - Boston Medical Center

7/2013	Didactic Lecture - Deep Neck Space Infections
11/2012	Tinnitus - Lecture For BU/Tufts ENT residents
10/2012	Mastoiditis, Otitis Media, Acoustic Tumors - Mass. Col. of Pharm. Physician Assistant Program
7/2012	Granulomatous Disease of the Head and Neck- Lecture For BU/Tufts ENT residents
6/2012	Tonsillectomy and Adenoidectomy - Lecture For BU/Tufts ENT residents
1/2012	Ear Pain - Grand Rounds Internal Medicine, Boston Medical Center
10/2012	Mastoiditis, Otitis Media - Guest Lecture for Students Mass. COL of Pharm. PA Program
12/2008	New England Oto Society, Resident Presentation - First Place, Case of Intracranial Cholesteatoma

## Research

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### **Endovascular treatment of sigmoid Sinus diverticulum in patients with pulsatile tinnitus. Interv Neuroradiol.**

Abdalkader M, Klein P, Setty B, Andreu Arasa VC, Farris C, Mian A, Bedi H, Peeler C, Aliphass A, Weber P, Hu W, Sakai O, Nguyen TN. 2025 May 21

### **Venous sinus diverticulum in patients with pulsatile tinnitus: An acquired lesion. Interv Neuroradiol.**

Abdalkader M, Klein P, Aliphass A, Weber P, Nguyen TN. 2024 Sep 19

### **The Impact of COVID-19 on Otolaryngology Community Practice in Massachusetts.**

Fan T, Workman AD, Miller LE, Sakats MM, Rajasekaran K, Brant JA, Parasher AK, Huckins D, Aliphass A, Glicksman R, Eskander A, Glicksman JT. Otolaryngol Head Neck Surg. 2021 Sep;165(3):424-430.

### **Endovascular coiling of large mastoid emissary vein causing pulsatile tinnitus.**

Abdalkader M, Ma A, Cohen M, Aliphass A, Sakai O, Nguyen TN. Interv Neuroradiol. 2020 May 14.

### **The Benefits and Limitations of Targeted Training in Flexible Transnasal Laryngoscopy Diagnosis.**

Russell KA, Brook CD, Platt MP, Grillone GA, Aliphass A, Noordzij JP. JAMA Otolaryngol Head Neck Surg. 2017 Jul 1;143(7):707-711.

### **Time to competency, reliability of flexible transnasal laryngoscopy by training level: a pilot study.**

Brook CD, Platt MP, Russell K, Grillone GA, Aliphass A, Noordzij JP. Otolaryngol Head Neck Surg. 2015 May;152(5):843-50.

### **Changes in the jugular bulb associated with sacrifice of the internal jugular vein.**

Brook CD, Buch K, Gadaleta D, Jalisi S, Grillone G, Sakai O, Aliphass A. Otol Neurotol. 2015 Jan;36(1):146-50.

### **Otologic outcomes after blast injury: the Boston Marathon experience.**

Remenschneider AK, Lookabaugh S, Aliphass A, Brodsky JR, Devaiah AK, Dagher W, Grundfast KM, Heman-Ackah SE, Rubin S, Sillman J, Tsai AC, Vecchiotti M, Kujawa SG, Lee DJ, Quesnel AM. Otol Neurotol. 2014 Dec;35(10):1825-34.

### **Predictive findings of allergic disease in fiberoptic nasolaryngoscopy.**

Brook C, Noordzij JP, Russell K, Aliphass A, Platt M. Laryngoscope. 2015 Feb;125(2):286-90.

### **Poster Presentation (COSM-AAFPRS 4/18/12) -**

The Pectoralis Major Muscle Flap: An Excellent Choice for Reconstruction of Neck Soft Tissue Defect After Penetrating Trauma

### **Poster Presentation - Oropharyngeal Stenosis in a Patient with Sarcoidosis: A Case Report**

Bearrelly S, Aliphass A, Grillone G, Berman J. Eastern Section, Trilologic. 2007

### **Membranous band of a first branchial cleft anomaly.**

Lin HW, Aliphass A, Leonard DS. Otolaryngol Head Neck Surg. 2009 Sep;141(3):420-1.

### **Analysis of recurrent angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor-induced angioedema.**

Roberts DS, Mahoney EJ, Hutchinson CT, Aliphass A, Grundfast KM. Laryngoscope. 2008 Dec;118(12):2115-20.

### **Emerging therapies for the treatment and prevention of otitis media.**

Aliphass A, Pruffer N, Grundfast KM. Expert Opin Emerg Drugs. 2006 May;11(2):251-64.

### **JNDS of interaural time delay of selected frequency bands in speech and music signals.**

Aliphass A, Colburn HS, Ghitza O. Poster, 143rd Meeting of the Acoustical Society of America, June 3-7, 2002.

