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Board-Certified Physician Anesthesiologist & Dental Office Anesthesia Expert

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Board-Certified Physician Anesthesiologist specializing exclusively in dental office-based anesthesia and sedation. Founder and CEO of the largest dental office anesthesia group in the Los Angeles area, with over 5,000 documented cases performed strictly in the dental outpatient setting. Serves as an appointed General Anesthesia Evaluator for the Dental Board of California. Provides authoritative medicolegal analysis, chart review, and expert testimony regarding standard-of-care adherence, provider versus facility liability, and state regulatory compliance (including Caleb's Law / SB 501).

CORE MEDICOLEGAL COMPETENCIES

- **Standard of Care Analysis:** Identifying deviations in isolated, non-hospital settings.
- **Regulatory Enforcement & Auditing:** Official evaluator for the state board, assessing compliance with minimum equipment standards, continuous monitoring, and specific auxiliary staffing mandates.
- **Operational Liability:** Delineating shared liability between the anesthesia provider and the dental facility for emergency readiness.
- **Pre-Operative Clearance:** Evaluating the adequacy of independent, provider-driven pre-anesthetic evaluations outside of systemized hospital triage protocols.
- **Emergency Management:** Assessing "failure to rescue" incidents and the provider's capability to independently manage crisis scenarios without hospital "Code Blue" infrastructure.

LICENSURE & CERTIFICATIONS

- **Board Certification:** Diplomate, American Board of Anesthesiology (2019)
- **Medical Licensure:** Licensed Physician and Surgeon, Medical Board of California
- **Specialized Dental Permitting:** Medical General Anesthesia (MGA) Permit with Pediatric Endorsement, Dental Board of California

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

General Anesthesia Evaluator

Dental Board of California | 05/2026 – Present

- Appointed to act as an official agent of the State of California, tasked with conducting formal evaluations of dental facilities and anesthesia providers.
- Assess and enforce strict compliance with state regulations, minimum equipment standards, and emergency readiness protocols to ensure public safety in outpatient dental settings.

Chief Executive Officer & Founder

Los Angeles Dental Anesthesia (Encino, CA) | 11/2021 – Present

- Direct clinical and administrative operations for a large-scale dental office anesthesia group.
- Manage a daily team of anesthesiologists providing sedation across numerous private dental practices.
- Serve as a compliance consultant for private practices and DSOs, performing clinical audits to decrease organizational liability and align facilities with current safety standards.

Anesthesiologist

Specialty Surgical Center of Beverly Hills & West Hills Hospital | 01/2019 – 2023

- Provided comprehensive anesthesia services in high-acuity surgical and hospital environments, establishing a deep foundational understanding of the operational disparities between traditional medical facilities and outpatient dental offices.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Anesthesiology Residency

University of Miami, Jackson Memorial Hospital | 06/2014 – 06/2018

- *Distinction:* Emanuel M. Papper Award (Highest departmental award for outstanding achievement throughout 4 years of residency)

Doctor of Medicine (M.D.)

State University of New York at Buffalo | 06/2010 – 06/2014

- *Distinction:* Medicine Dean's List (Top Quartile)