

Imaad Nasir, MD

Behavioral Neurology | Cognitive & Neurodegenerative Disorders
Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Neurology, UCLA
Board Certified Neurologist (ABPN)
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Professional Summary

Board-certified neurologist with fellowship training in Behavioral Neurology and Neuropsychiatry, specializing in neurodegenerative disease, cognitive and socioemotional syndromes, and complex diagnostic reasoning. Academic faculty physician at UCLA with attending-level clinical experience across academic, community, and independent practice settings. Expertise spans clinical neurology, translational research, advanced neuroimaging, and applied neuroscience across healthcare, advisory, and medicolegal contexts.

Education & Training

Behavioral Neurology & Neuropsychiatry Fellowship
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA | 07/2022 – 07/2024

Neurology Residency
University of Arizona, Tucson | 07/2018 – 07/2022

Doctor of Medicine
Ross University School of Medicine | 07/2014 – 07/2018

Postbaccalaureate Premedical Studies
Pennsylvania State University | 01/2011 – 07/2012

Bachelor of Science – Business Administration
Drexel University | 07/2006 – 07/2010

Academic & Clinical Appointments

Assistant Clinical Professor of Neurology
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA | 02/2025 – Present

Staff Physician, UCLA Faculty Group Practice
Department of Neurology | 2025 – Present

Affiliate, Brain Research Institute, UCLA | 2025 – Present

Independent & Attending Clinical Experience

Attending Neurologist (Independent Physician)

Memorial Hospital of Sweetwater County, Rock Springs, WY | 2024

Attending Neurologist (Independent Physician)

Butler Memorial Hospital, Butler, PA | 2024

Advanced Clinical Training

Mayo Clinic – EMG, EEG, and Neurophysiology in Clinical Practice | 02/2025

Neuro PET Preceptorship, UCLA Nuclear Medicine | 02/2025

Research & Scholarly Activity

Clinical Research Fellow and IRB Member, UCLA (2022–2024)

UCLA Initiative to Study Hate

FOXY Trial – Oxytocin in Frontotemporal Dementia

ALLFTD (ARTFL–LEFFTDS) Consortium

LEADS – Longitudinal Early-Onset Alzheimer’s Disease Study

Publications

Mendez MF, Nasir I. Delirium. In: Bradley and Daroff’s Neurology in Clinical Practice, 9th ed. Elsevier. (In press).

Holiday KA, Khattab YI, Chavez D, Nasir I, et al. Right anterior temporal lobe atrophy and socioemotional dysfunction. *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*. 2023.

Mendez MF, Nasir I. Distinguishing semantic variant primary progressive aphasia from Alzheimer’s disease. *Journal of Alzheimer’s Disease Reports*. 2023.

Nguyen T, Etter M, Kafka A, Nasir I, et al. Migratory focal neurological deficits due to non-ischemic leukoencephalopathy. *Neurology*. 2021.

Raya M, Nasir I, Liu A. Atypical posterior reversible encephalopathy syndrome in HIV. *Clinical Case Reports*. 2020.

Professional Memberships

American Academy of Neurology

American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology – Diplomate (Neurology)