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Pankaj Kumar Bhatnagar

General Surgeon

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Professional Summary

Accomplished general surgeon with over 30 years of diverse experience, including training at Hahnemann University Hospital in Philadelphia, PA. Expertise includes general surgery, thoracic and vascular surgery, and bariatric surgery, complemented by a significant role as Director of Wound Care at Wound Tech in Nevada. Teaching contributions span multiple institutions, including the DO School of Medicine at Pikeville, Kentucky, and the University of Wisconsin, as well as serving as faculty for the OB-GYN fellowship at Centennial Hills Hospital. Proven leadership demonstrated through several years as Chairman of the Surgery Department, ensuring high standards of patient care and surgical excellence.

Work history

Omni Wound Care Physciains

Valencia,CA

08/21/2025-Current

Providing Wound Care to Facilities in Las Vegas

Advanced Laparoscopic and General Surgery of Nevada - General Surgeon
Las Vegas, Nevada
02/2025 - 07/2025

- At the North Vista Hospital as a consultant surgeon
- **Advanced Laparoscopic and General Surgery of Nevada - Private Practice of General, Thoracic, Laparoscopic and Vascular Surgery**

Las Vegas, Nevada
01/2008 - 02/2025

- Based mainly at Centennial Hills Hospital, Mountainview Hospital, Summerlin Hospital and North Vista Hospital

Skills

General Surgery experience of thirty years, with wound care

Administrative experience

Goal-oriented mindset

Research

Professionalism and etiquette

Strong academic record

Effective communication

Multitasking

Organizational skills

Analytical thinking

Operations support

Education

06/1976 - 06/1979
University of Delhi
New Delhi, India
B.S. Honors: Zoology
Sri Venkateswara College,
University of Delhi, Delhi, Inida

07/1979 - 06/1980
Kent State University

Centennial Hills Hospital - Chairman, Department of Surgery
Las Vegas, Nevada
01/2017 - 01/2025
Departmental responsibilites of all surgical specialities

Woundtech of Nevada - Medical Director
Hollywood, Florida
11/2014 - 11/2021
Managed over fifteen nurse practitioners providing home based wound care

University of Wisconsin - Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Surgery, Division of General Surgery, Section of Peripheral Vascular Surgery
Madison, Wisconsin
2002 - 2007

- Teaching rotating students at the Freeport Health Network with honarary professorship from the University of Wisconsin.

Freeport Health Network - In Practice of General, Thoracic, Vascular Surgery including Interventional and Advanced Laparoscopic including Bariatric Surgery
Freeport, Indiana
2001 - 2007

Private Practice at 645 Hambley Boulevard - Vascular and Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery
Pikeville, Kentucky
1995 - 06/2001
General and Vascular surgeon in private practice

Faculty, Pikeville Osteopathic School
Pikeville, Kentucky
1999 - 2001

Hahnemann University Hospital - Residency, General Surgery, Department of Surgery
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
07/1990 - 06/1995

St. Luke's Hospital - Internship, Internal Medicine
Cleveland, Ohio
07/1989 - 06/1990

- Company Overview: affiliated with Case Western Reserve University

Kent, Ohio
B.S.: Organic Chemistry, Psychology, Physics and Calculus
B.S. level courses in Advanced organic chemistry

07/1980 - 06/1986
Delhi Public College of Competitions
New Delhi, India
Medical College Admission Test
For Medical College Admission Test

06/1981 - 06/1986
University of Delhi
New Delhi, India
M.B., B.S.
Maulana Azad Medical College

LICENSURE / CERTIFICATION

1989 ECFMG Components I & II (January)

1989 Flex Components I & II (June)

1994 Pennsylvania License No. MD051198-L

1995 Kentucky License No. 31510

1996 Board Certified in General Surgery

1997 Virginia License No. 19385

2001 Illinois License No. 036-104967

2007 Recertified in General Surgery

2008 Nevada License No. 12469

2017 Recertified in Board of General Surgery

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BLS, ACLS certified 2025

References

- Ben Seifzad, M.D - benseifzad@yahoo.com, , Las Vegas, NV. Internal Medicine
- Adin Boldur, M.D - aboldur@gmail.com, Kidney Specialists of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV. Nephrologist
- Kim Nguyen, DO - kimnguyen911@gmail.com, , Las Vegas, NV. General Surgeon

Awards

1. Best Teaching Resident, Department of General Surgery Hahnemann University Hospital Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Publications

- Evaluation of Multiple Vascular Reconstructive Procedures with Synthetic Graft Occlusions P.K. Bhatnagar, M.D., Y. Ikeda, M.D., Mark Rummel, M.D., Charles Fields, M.D., P. Khoury, M.D., A. Wilson, M.D., M. Kerstein, M.D., T. Matsumoto, M.D. Journal of Cardiovascular Surgery, 1994, Volume 35, Page 315-319
- Relationship of Run-Off Vessels to Results following Thrombolysis and Revascularization for Synthetic Graft Occlusions Y. Ikeda, M.D., Mark Rummel, M.D., Charles Fields, M.D., P.K. Bhatnagar, M.D., P. Khoury, M.D., A. Wilson, M.D., M. Kerstein, M.D., T. Matsumoto, M.D. The American Surgeon, June 1995, Volume 61, Page 481-485
- Thrombolytic Therapy in Patients with Femoro-popliteal Synthetic Graft Occlusions Y. Ikeda, M.D., Mark Rummel, M.D., P.K. Bhatnagar, M.D., Charles Fields, M.D., P. Khoury, M.D., A. Wilson, M.D., M. Kerstein, M.D., T. Matsumoto, M.D American Journal of Surgery, February 1996, Volume 171
- Thrombolysis of Peripheral Graft Occlusions in Patients with Hypertension Y. Ikeda, M.D., Mark Rummel, M.D., Charles Fields, M.D., P.K. Bhatnagar, M.D., P. Khoury, M.D., A. Wilson, M.D., M. Kerstein, M.D., T. Matsumoto, M.D International Surgery, Volume 80 – No. 2, Page 185-188
- The Impact of Thrombolytic Therapy on Arterial and Graft Occlusions – A Critical Analysis P.K. Bhatnagar, M.D., Ralph Ieradi, M.D., Y. Ikeda, M.D., Wada, M.D., A. Wilson, M.D., M.D., P. Khoury, M.D., K. Karamante, M.D., M. Kerstein, M.D., T. Matsumoto, M.D., Journal of Cardiovascular Surgery

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RECENT CONTINUING EDUCATION

Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning: American College of Surgeons course, 4.5 CME

Languages

English Hindi

Volunteer work

1. Worked in the medical camps during the Indian political riots in 1983 tending to hundreds of injured citizens
2.Planned Medical Mission to Vietnam and Philippines in November 2025

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