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**SUMMARY OF REQUEST**

**DATE:** October 25, 2023

**FACILITY:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**SUBJECT:** Medical Staff Board Items

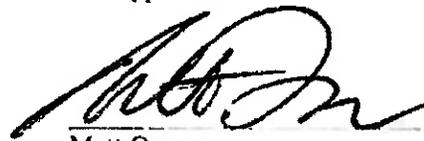
**REQUEST:** Approve recommendations as exhibited from the Medical Executive Committee of Broward Health Imperial Point

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Not applicable

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** See Attached

**LEGAL REVIEW:** Not applicable

**APPROVED:**

 10/9/2023  
 Matt Garner, Date  
 Interim Chief Executive Officer

 10/13/2023  
 Jerry Capote, MD Date  
 Broward Health Imperial Point Chief Medical Officer

  
 Shane Strum  
 10/19/2023 10:54 EDT  
 Shane Strum Date  
 President and CEO

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Board of Commissioners

**FROM:** Fernando Narvaez, MD  
Chief of Staff - Broward Health Imperial Point

**DATE:** October 25, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Medical Staff Board Items

The Medical Executive Committee at Broward Health Imperial Point, at its monthly meeting on October 9, 2023, approved the recommendations as exhibited for the following:

- Medical Staff appointments and modifications
- Medical Staff reappointments
  
- Allied Health appointments and modifications
- Allied Health reappointments

I, Fernando Narvaez, MD, Chief of Staff at Broward Health Imperial Point, do hereby attest that all pertinent and required information has been received and verified for providers being submitted to the Board of Commissioners for approval.

**Therefore, it is requested that the Board of Commissioners of the North Broward Hospital District approve these recommendations as submitted from the Medical Executive Committee at Broward Health Imperial Point.**

Chief of Staff: 

Date: 10/9/2023

**BROWARD HEALTH REPORT TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
MEDICAL STAFF AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS**

\_\_\_\_\_ Broward Health Coral Springs                      \_\_\_\_\_ Broward Health Medical Center  
  X   Broward Health Imperial Point                      \_\_\_\_\_ Broward Health North

**The following Medical Staff Committees:**

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE: 10/5/2023                      MEDICAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: 10/9/2023

**Approved MEC New Business:**

1. FPPE Report – No Report
2. OPPE Report – Deferred until November

**Recommended the following New Members - Medical Staff:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Primary</u>
1. Uyi Aideyan, MD	Medicine	Hospital Medicine	BHCS
2. Ignacio Bobes, MD	Psychiatry	Psychiatry	BHMC
3. Jason Dudas, MD	Surgery	Plastic Surgery	BHMC
4. Odille Mejia Mejia, MD	Surgery	Pathology	BHMC
5. Roberto Moreno Romero, MD	Medicine	Hospital Medicine	BHCS
6. Ronald Pachon, MD	Medicine	Cardiology/ Electrophysiology	BHMC
7. Renata Picciani, MD	Surgery	Ophthalmology	BHIP

**Recommended the following New Members - Allied Health:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Primary</u>
1. Christina Florido, APRN	Medicine	Nurse Practitioner	Craig DePodesta, DO	BHMC
2. Erika Franco, CRNA	Surgery	Nurse Anesthetist	Manuel Longo, MD	BHIP
3. Barandon Simmer, CRNA	Surgery	Nurse Anesthetist	Manuel Longo, MD	BHIP

**Recommended the following Status Changes:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Current Status</u>	<u>Status Requested</u>
None				

**Recommended the following Addition of Sponsor:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>

**Recommended the following Additional Privileges:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Privileges</u>	<u>Privileges Requested</u>
1. None			

**Recommended the following Addition of Sponsor:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Sponsor Added</u>
1. Karen Calcano, PA-C	Surgery	Physician Assistant	Add: Eric Weiss, MD

**Recommended the following Change in Primary Region:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>New Primary Region</u>
1. None			

**Recommended the following Medical Staff Reappointments and Status Changes:**

Reappointment Cycle: 10/25/2023 to 9/30/2025

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Current Status</u>	<u>Recommended Status</u>
1. Diogenes Alayon-Laguer, MD	Medicine	Hematology/Oncology	LOA	Courtesy
2. Neel Amin, MD	Surgery	Pain Management	Consulting	Courtesy

3. Darian Arman, MD	Medicine	Emergency Medicine	Provisional	Courtesy
4. Terrence Barrett, MD	Medicine	Radiology	Active	Active
5. Abhijit Basu, MD	Surgery	Colon and Rectal Surgery	Consulting	Consulting
6. Christopher Chen, MD	Medicine	Radiation Oncology	Consulting	Consulting
7. Kristofer Chenard, MD	Surgery	Orthopaedic Surgery	Provisional	Active
8. Nelson Cordero-Torres, MD	Psychiatry	Psychiatry	Active	Active
9. George Dreszer, MD	Surgery	Plastic Surgery	Provisional	Active
10. Noel Elgut, MD	Surgery	Ophthalmology	Active	Active
11. Joel Erickson, MD	Medicine	Radiology /Interventional Radiology	Active	Active
12. Glen Fox, MD	Surgery	Anesthesiology	Active	Active
13. Segundo Gonzalez Escola, MD	Surgery	General Surgery / Surgical Oncology	Provisional	Consulting
14. Firaz Hosein, DO	Medicine	Hospice / Palliative Medicine	Active	Active
15. Charles-Eric Hotte, MD	Medicine	Gastroenterology	Active	Active
16. John Kimpel, MD	Medicine	Emergency Medicine	Active	Active
17. Robert Lalane III	Surgery	Ophthalmology/Vitreoretinal Surgery	Active	Courtesy
18. Jonathan Levine, MD	Surgery	General Surgery /Surgical Oncology	LOA	Affiliate
19. Mary Madden, MD	Medicine	Internal Medicine	Courtesy	Active
20. Violeta Atanasoski McCormack, MD	Medicine	Cardiology / Interventional Cardiology	Consulting	Active
21. Humberto Palladino, MD	Surgery	Plastic Surgery	Consulting	Courtesy
22. Lav Panchal, MD	Surgery	Ophthalmology	Active	Active
23. Carl Raboi, MD	Medicine	Radiology / Interventional Radiology	Active	Active
24. Raghavendra Prakash, MD	Surgery	Anesthesiology	Courtesy	Active
25. Scott Snyder, MD	Surgery	Anesthesiology	Courtesy	Active
26. Leslie Sultan, DDS	Surgery	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	Consulting	Consulting
27. Glen Waskin, DO	Medicine	Family Medicine	Courtesy	Active
28. Chi Zhang, MD	Surgery	General Surgery / Bariatric Surgery	Active	Active

**Recommended the following AHP Reappointments and Status Changes:**

**Reappointment Cycle: 10/25/2023 to 9/30/2025**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Sponsor(s)</u>
1. Vivian Abdallah, CRNA	Surgery	Nurse Anesthetist	Manuel Longo, MD
2. Shalene Blake-Dennis, CRNA	Surgery	Nurse Anesthetist	Manuel Longo, MD
3. Karen Calcano, PA-C	Surgery	Physician Assistant	George Dreszer, MD; James Fletcher, MD; Eric Weiss, MD
4. Maria Companioni, APRN	Psychiatry	Nurse Practitioner	Peter Ventre, MD; Sandeep Mendiratta, MD; Nelson Cordero-Torres, MD; Joant Perdomo Espinal, MD; Ignacio Zabaleta, MD
5. Diane Dreibelbis, PA-C	Medicine	Physician Assistant	Dane Clarke, MD
6. Andy Plaisir, PA-C	Surgery	Physician Assistant	Robert Baylis, MD
7. Edward Punzalan, CRNA	Surgery	Nurse Anesthetist	Manuel Longo, MD

**Recommended the following Medical Staff Leave of Absence:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Current Status</u>	<u>Recommended Status (LOA I or LOA II)</u>
None				

**Recommended the following Allied Health Professional Leave of Absence:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Current Status</u>	<u>Status (LOA I or LOA II)</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
None					

**Accepted the following Resignations – Medical Staff:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>Specialty</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
1. Abdon Medina, MD	Medicine	Radiation Oncology	August 3, 2023
2. Marisa Prego-Lopez, MD	Medicine	Neurology	October 1, 2023

**Accepted the following Resignations – Allied Health Professional:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Department</b>	<b>Specialty</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
None			

**Medical Staff Committee Appointment/ Changes:**

None

**Other:**

The MEC recommended approval of the following updated privilege delineations:

- Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant for Emergency Medicine
- Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant for Neonatal Medicine
- Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant for Pediatric Primary Care
- Nurse Practitioner and Physician Assistant for Psychiatric Mental Health

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Uyi Aideyan, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 02/13/1978

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Coral Springs

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Specialty(ies)** Hospital Medicine

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Medicine

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine

**Practice Name:** SCP Health  
Website: <https://www.scphealth.com/>

**Primary Address Information:** 3000 Coral Hills Drive  
Coral Springs, FL 33065  
Phone: 954-344-3296  
Fax: 954-796-3922  
Email: [shannie\\_adams@scphealth.com](mailto:shannie_adams@scphealth.com)

**Medical/Professional School:** Universidad Tecnologica De Santiago Escuela De Medicina  
Dominican Republic  
From: 01/01/2001  
To: 10/14/2006  
Degree: MD

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-697-206-1  
Date Issued: 02/08/2011

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** Multicultural Wellness Center (unable to verify – facility closed)  
Philadelphia, PA  
From: 12/01/2010  
To: 06/30/2012  
Title: Mental Health Professional

**Internship:** N/A

**Residency:** Harlem Hospital Center  
New York, NY  
From: 07/01/2012  
To: 12/31/2015  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center  
Johnstown, PA  
From: 01/18/2016  
To: 07/17/2019  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

Conemaugh Miners Medical Center  
Hastings, PA  
From: 01/01/2018  
To: 05/02/2019  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

Uyi Aideyan, MD

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History: (cont'd)

Physician Regional Medical Center  
Naples, FL  
From: 05/22/2019  
To: 09/21/2021  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

HCA Florida Kendall Hospital  
Miami, FL  
From: 09/29/2021  
To: 06/28/2023  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

### Gap:

Applying for privileges and going through the credentialing process.  
From: 07/01/2023  
To: Present

### Board Certification:

Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Internal Medicine  
Certification Date: 08/20/2018  
MOC Reverification Date: 04/01/2024  
Certification Expiration: N/A

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Ignacio Bobes, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 11/23/1966

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Medical Center

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Imperial Point

**Specialty:** Psychiatry

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Psychiatry

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine  
Psychiatry

**Practice Name:** Ventre Medical Associates LLC  
Website: <https://mypsychiatrist.com/>

**Primary Address Information:** 1400 East Oakland Park Boulevard  
Suite 210  
Oakland Park, FL 33334  
Phone: 954-561-6222  
Fax: 954-990-7650  
Email: [credentialer@gmail.com](mailto:credentialer@gmail.com)

**Medical/Professional School:** Instituto Superior de Ciencias Medicas de La Habana  
Habana, Cuba  
From: 05/01/1984  
To: 08/15/1990  
Degree: MD

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-506-481-1  
Date Issued: 04/19/1999

**Foreign Hospital Affiliations/Work History:** University of Havana  
Habana, Cuba  
From: 08/01/1990  
To: 06/30/1999  
Specialty: General Practitioner

**Gap:** Obtaining political asylum, learning English, studying for ECFMG exams, applying for residency, and transitioning from Cuba to USA.  
From: 06/30/1999  
To: 06/30/2000

**Internship:** N/A

**Residency:** University of Miami / Jackson Memorial Hospital  
Miami, FL  
From: 07/01/2000  
To: 06/30/2004  
Specialty: Psychiatry

**Fellowship:** N/A

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History:

Bruce W. Carter Veterans Affairs Medical Center  
Miami, FL

From: 07/19/2004  
To: 05/13/2007  
Specialty: Psychiatry

Ignacio Bobes MD PA (Private Practice)  
Fort Lauderdale, FL

From: 06/18/2007  
To: 09/25/2015  
Specialty: Psychiatry

University of Miami / Jackson Memorial Hospital  
Miami, FL

From: 05/09/2011  
To: 11/22/2013  
Specialty: Psychiatry

HCA Florida Mercy Hospital  
Miami, FL

From: 04/08/2012  
To: 01/07/2021  
Specialty: Psychiatry

HCA Florida Kendall Hospital  
Miami, FL

From: 09/03/2014  
To: 01/02/2019  
Specialty: Psychiatry

HCA Sister Emmanuel Hospital (Closed)  
Miami, FL

From: 05/23/2016  
To: 11/30/2018  
Specialty: Psychiatry

Bobes Psychiatry, LLC (Private Practice)  
Key Biscayne, FL

From: 12/03/2018  
To: 06/30/2023  
Specialty: Psychiatry

Ventre Medical Associates, LLC  
Fort Lauderdale, FL

From: 06/20/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Psychiatry

### Board Certification:

Board: American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology  
Specialty: Psychiatry  
Certification Date: 09/08/2006  
MOC Reverification Date: 03/01/2024  
Expiration Date: N/A

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** Jason Dudas, MD

**Date of Birth:** 07/20/1979

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Medical Center

**Specialty(ies)** Plastic Surgery

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Surgery

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Surgery

**Practice Name:** Lisa Learn, DO PA  
Website: <https://drilisalearn.com/>

**Primary Address Information:** 3536 N Federal Highway  
Suite 100  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308  
Phone: 954-380-8411  
Fax: 954-380-8413  
Email: [drjasondudas@gmail.com](mailto:drjasondudas@gmail.com)

**ECFMG:** N/A

**Medical/Professional School:** University Of Pittsburgh  
Pittsburgh, PA  
From: 08/26/2002  
To: 04/28/2007  
Degree: MD

**Residency:** Washington University  
St Louis, MO  
From: 07/01/2007  
To: 06/30/2010  
Specialty: General Surgery

**Residency:** Washington University  
St Louis, MO  
From: 07/01/2010  
To: 06/30/2012  
Specialty: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

**Fellowship:** American Academy of Facial Plastic Surgery / Maas Clinic  
San Francisco, CA  
From: 07/01/2012  
To: 06/30/2013  
Specialty: Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** University of California  
San Francisco, CA  
From: 07/01/2012  
To: 11/21/2018  
Specialty: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

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**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History: (cont'd)**

California Pacific Medical Center  
San Francisco, CA  
From: 08/31/2012  
To: 07/01/2023  
Specialty: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery

**Gap:**

Applying for privileges, and transitioning to Florida  
From: 07/01/2023  
To: Present

**Board Certification:**

Board: American Board of Plastic Surgery  
Specialty: Plastic Surgery  
Certification Date: 11/14/2015  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Certification Expiration: 12/31/2025

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Odille Mejia mejia, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 06/30/1987

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Medical Center

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Imperial Point  
Broward Health North

**Specialty(ies)** Pathology

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Pathology

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Surgery  
Surgery  
Pathology

**Practice Name:** FirstPath Laboratory Services, LLC  
Website: [www.firstpathlab.com](http://www.firstpathlab.com)

**Primary Address Information:** 3141 W McNab Road  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069  
Phone: 954-977-6977  
Fax: 954-977-6922  
Email: [sfernandez@firstpathllc.com](mailto:sfernandez@firstpathllc.com)

**Medical/Professional School:** Universidad Autonoma de Santo Domingo  
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic  
From: 10/01/2005  
To: 10/01/2011  
Degree: MD

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-888-650-9  
Date Issued: 02/12/2015

**Gap:** Additional Training and work in Santo Domingo. Studied and prepared for ECFMG prior to transitioning to Florida.  
From: 11/01/2011  
To: 06/30/2017

**Residency:** Mt. Sinai Medical Center  
Miami, FL  
From: 07/01/2017  
To: 06/30/2021  
Specialty: Pathology – Anatomical & Clinical

Mt. Sinai Medical Center  
Miami, FL  
From: 07/01/2021  
To: 06/30/2022  
Specialty: Pathology – Surgical

**Fellowship:** University of Miami / Jackson Memorial Hospital  
Miami, FL  
From: 07/01/2002  
To: 06/30/2003  
Specialty: Cytopathology

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History:

Broward Health Medical Center  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
From: 07/26/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Pathology

### Board Certification:

Board: American Board of Pathology  
Specialty: Anatomic and Clinical Pathology  
Certification Date: 05/25/2021  
MOC Reverification Date: 01/31/2024  
Certification Expiration: N/A

Board: American Board of Pathology  
Specialty: Cytopathology  
Eligibility Date: 06/30/2023  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Certification Expiration: 06/30/2030

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Roberto Moreno Romero, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 10/26/1987

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Coral Springs

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Specialty(ies)** Hospital Medicine

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Medicine

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine

**Practice Name:** Schumacher Clinical Partners  
Website: [www.scphealth.com](http://www.scphealth.com)

**Primary Address Information:** 3000 Coral Hills Drive  
Coral Springs, FL 33065  
Phone: 954-344-3296  
Fax: 954-796-3922  
Email: [Lauren.Puckett@scp-health.com](mailto:Lauren.Puckett@scp-health.com)

**Medical/Professional School:** Facultad de Ciencias Medicas de Holguin  
Holguin, Cuba  
From: 09/01/2006  
To: 06/30/2012  
Degree: MD

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-996-235-8  
Issued Date: 10/11/2018

**Gap:** Working as a PCP and Intensivist in Caracas Venezuela before transitioning to the U.S. Studied and prepared for ECFMG, while also applying for residency.  
From: 08/01/2012  
To: 06/30/2019

**Internship:** N/A

**Residency:** Flushing Hospital Medical Center  
Flushing, NY  
From: 07/01/2019  
To: 06/30/2022  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Fellowship:** N/A

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** Flushing Hospital Medical Center  
Flushing, NY  
From: 09/19/2022  
To: Present  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Board Certification:** Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Internal Medicine  
Certification Date: 08/29/2022  
MOC Reverification Date: 04/01/2024  
Certification Expiration: N/A

Roberto Romero, MD

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Ronald E Pachon, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 09/18/1980

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Medical Center

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Imperial Point  
Broward Health North

**Specialty:** Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Medicine

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine  
Medicine  
Medicine

**Practice Name:** Florida Heart Rhythm Specialists, PLLC  
Website: <https://flahrs.com/>

**Primary Address Information:** 1841 NE 45<sup>th</sup> Street  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308  
Phone: 954-378-9531  
Fax: 954-678-9533  
Email: [doreen.westerlind@flahrs.com](mailto:doreen.westerlind@flahrs.com)

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-735-241-2  
Date Issued: 10/08/2009

**Medical/Professional School:** San Martin University Faculty of Medicine  
Bogota,  
From: 07/01/1997  
To: 06/30/2003  
Degree: MBBS

**Foreign Internship:** San Pedro Claver Clinic  
Bogota, Colombia  
From: 06/01/2002  
To: 06/30/2003  
Specialty: Medicine

**Gap:** Study for national exam for medical graduates in Colombia  
From: 07/01/2003  
To: 08/31/2003

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** South Hospital  
Bogota, Colombia  
From: 09/01/2003  
To: 09/30/2007  
Specialty: Hospital Medicine

Mount Sinai Medical Center  
Miami, FL  
From: 08/01/2006  
To: 06/03/2010  
Specialty: Monitor Technician

**Internship:** N/A

Ronald E Pachon, MD

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**Residency:** Raritan Bay Medical Center - New Jersey  
Perth Amboy, NJ  
From: 07/01/2010  
To: 06/30/2013  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Research Fellowship:** Rutgers - The State University of New Jersey  
Newark, NJ  
From: 08/01/2013  
To: 08/03/2015  
Specialty: Research Cardiovascular Biology & Molecular Med.

**Gap:** Personal time off and credentialing process for hospital privileges  
From: 08/04/2015  
To: 10/25/2015

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** Robert Wood Johnson - University Hospital/Hamilton  
Hamilton, NJ  
From: 10/26/2015  
To: 07/03/2016  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

HCA Florida Aventura Hospital  
Aventura, FL  
From: 08/17/2016  
To: 12/10/2020  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

Broward Health Imperial Point  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
From: 10/26/2016  
To: 09/25/2017  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Fellowship:** Broward Health Medical Center  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
From: 07/01/2018  
To: 06/30/2021  
Specialty: Cardiovascular Disease

**Fellowship:** University of Miami / Jackson Health System  
Miami, FL  
From: 07/01/2021  
To: 08/31/2023  
Specialty: Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology

**Board Certification:** Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Clinical Cardiac Electrophysiology  
Eligibility Date: 07/31/2023  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Eligibility Expiration: 07/31/2030

Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Cardiovascular Disease  
Eligibility Date: 07/31/2021  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Eligibility Expiration: 07/31/2028

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** **Renata Picciani, MD**

**Date of Birth:** 07/30/1977

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** None

**Specialty(ies)** Ophthalmology

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Surgery

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** None

**Practice Name:** Retina Group of Florida  
Website: <https://www.retinagroupflorida.com/>

**Primary Address Information:** 6333 N. Federal Highway  
Suite 300  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 333088  
Phone: 954-776-6880  
Fax: 954-776-6895  
Email: [ren.gp@hotmail.com](mailto:ren.gp@hotmail.com)

**Medical/Professional School:** Universidade Federal do Ceara Faculdade de Medicina Fortaleza  
Fortaleza, Brazil  
From: 08/01/1997  
To: 10/22/2003  
Degree: MD

**ECFMG:** Number: 0-675-301-6  
Date Issued: 12/22/2005

**Gap:** Continued training and work in Brazil. Transited to US and did research while applying and awaiting start of residency.  
From: 12/23/2005  
To: 06/18/2009

**Internship:** N/A

**Residency:** Temple University  
Philadelphia, PA  
From: 06/19/2009  
To: 06/18/2010  
Specialty: Transitional Year  
  
Temple University  
Philadelphia, PA  
From: 07/01/2010  
To: 06/30/2013  
Specialty: Ophthalmology

**Fellowship:** Baptist Health – Bascom Palmer Eye Institute  
Palm Beach Gardens, FL  
From: 07/01/2013  
To: 07/01/2014  
Specialty: Medical Retina

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History: (cont'd)

University of Miami  
Coral Gables, FL  
From: 08/19/2013  
To: 07/06/2014  
Specialty: Clinical Instructor

The University of Texas Medical Branch  
Galveston, TX  
From: 07/28/2014  
To: 07/14/2016  
Specialty: Clinical Instructor

Aran Eye Associates  
Coral Gables, FL  
From: 09/26/2016  
To: 07/20/2023  
Specialty: Ophthalmology

Retina Group of Florida  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
From: 09/01/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Ophthalmology

### Board Certification:

Board: American Board of Ophthalmology  
Specialty: Ophthalmology  
Certification Date: 06/05/2016  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Certification Expiration: 12/31/2026

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Medical Staff Applicant

**Name:** Lauren Vaughan, MD

**Date of Birth:** 05/15//1989

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Coral Springs

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Imperial Point  
Broward Health Medical Center  
Broward Health North

**Specialty(ies)** Cardiology

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Medicine

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine

**Practice Name:** Broward Health Physician Group  
Website: www.browardhealth.org

**Primary Address Information:** 2901 Coral Hills Drive  
Suite 240/ 250  
Coral Springs, FL 33065  
Phone: 954-884-0111  
Fax: 954-366-6120

**ECFMG:** N/A

**Medical/Professional School:** Florida Atlantic University  
Boca Raton, FL  
From: 08/01/2013  
To: 04/28/2017  
Degree: Doctor of Medicine

**Internship:** N/A

**Residency:** East Carolina University Vidant Medical Center  
Greenville, NC  
From: 07/01/2017  
To: 06/30/2020  
Specialty: Internal Medicine

**Fellowship:** Broward Health Medical Center  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
From: 07/01/2020  
To: 06/30/2023  
Specialty: Cardiovascular Disease

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** None

**Board Certification:** Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Internal Medicine  
Certification Date: 08/31/2020  
MOC Reverification Date: 04/01/2024  
Certification Expiration: N/A

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### Board Certification (Cont'd):

Board: American Board of Internal Medicine  
Specialty: Cardiovascular Disease  
Eligibility Date: 06/30/2023  
MOC Reverification Date: N/A  
Eligibility Expiration Date: 06/30/2030

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**Name:** **Cristina Florido, APRN**

**Date of Birth:** 03/22/1992

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Medical Center

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Imperial Point  
Broward Health North

**Specialty:** Nurse Practitioner

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Family Medicine

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Medicine

**Physician Sponsorship:** Craig DePodesta, DO  
Hernan Osorno Ramirez, MD  
Malika Jafferjee, DO  
Faneece Embry, MD

**Practice Name:** TrustBridge, Incorporated  
Website: [www.trustbridge.com](http://www.trustbridge.com)

**Primary Address Information:** 5300 East Avenue  
West Palm Beach, FL 33407  
Phone: 561-848-5200  
Fax: 561-863-2806

**Professional School:** Chamberlain University  
Downers Grove, IL  
From: 12/17/2017  
To: 06/26/2021  
Degree: MSN  
Major: Family Nurse Practitioner

**Hospital Affiliations/ Work History:**

Nicklaus Children's Hospital  
Miami, FL  
From: 02/27/2017  
To: Present  
Title: Registered Nurse

HCA Florida Woodmont Hospital  
Tamarac, FL  
From: 06/20/2022  
To: Present  
Title: Nurse Practitioner

HCA Florida Northwest Hospital  
Margate, FL  
From: 07/21/2022  
To: Present  
Title: Nurse Practitioner

HCA Florida Westside Hospital  
Plantation, FL  
From: 12/15/2022  
To: Present  
Title: Nurse Practitioner

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History (cont'd):

Memorial Regional Hospital  
Hollywood, FL  
From: 04/26/2023  
To: Present  
Title: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

Memorial Hospital Miramar  
Miramar, FL  
From: 04/26/2023  
To: Present  
Title: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

Memorial Hospital Pembroke  
Pembroke Pines, FL  
From: 04/26/2023  
To: Present  
Title: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

Memorial Hospital West  
Pembroke Pines, FL  
From: 04/26/2023  
To: Present  
Title: Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Allied Health Professional Applicant

**Name:** **Erika Franco, CRNA**

**Date of Birth:** 04/28/1990

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Medical Center  
Broward Health North

**Specialty:** Nurse Anesthetist

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Surgery

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Surgery

**Physician Sponsorship:** John Valdes, MD  
Gladys Cardenas, MD  
Manuel Longon-Llenin, MD  
Edward A Czinn, MD

**Practice Name:** Anesco, LLC  
Website: [www.drivinghp.com](http://www.drivinghp.com)

**Primary Address Information:** 3601 West Commercial Boulevard  
Suite 4/5  
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309  
Phone: 954-485-5666  
Fax: 954-484-1651  
Email: [bmelendez@anesco.net](mailto:bmelendez@anesco.net)

**Professional School:** Barry University  
Miami Shores, FL  
From: 05/18/2020  
To: 05/06/2023  
Degree: Doctor of Nursing Practice  
Major: Anesthesiology

**Gap:** Completing credentialing process for Broward Health  
From: 06/15/2023  
To: Present

**Hospital Affiliations/ Work History:** Hendricks Medical Center  
Abilene, TX  
From: 08/10/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Nurse Anesthetist

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**Name:** **Brendon Simmer, CRNA**

**Date of Birth:** 02/23/1994

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health Imperial Point

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Medical Center  
Broward Health North

**Specialty:** Nurse Anesthetist

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Surgery

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Surgery

**Physician Sponsorship:** John Valdes, MD  
Gladys Cardenas, MD  
Manuel Longon-Llenin, MD  
Edward A Czinn, MD

**Practice Name:** Anesco, LLC  
Website: [www.drivinghp.com](http://www.drivinghp.com)

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**Professional School:** Barry University  
Miami Shores, FL  
From: 05/18/2020  
To: 05/06/2023  
Degree: Doctor of Nursing Practice  
Major: Anesthesiology

**Gap:** Completing credentialing process for Broward Health  
From: 06/15/2023  
To: Present

**Hospital Affiliations/ Work History:** Hendricks Medical Center  
Abilene, TX  
From: 08/10/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Nurse Anesthetist

Brendon Simmer, CRNA

## Broward Health – Credentialing Abstract – Allied Health Professional Applicant

**Name:** **Lidia Tunyan, APRN**

**Date of Birth:** 06/13/1989

**Citizenship:** US

**Primary Facility:** Broward Health North

**Other Broward Health Facilities:** Broward Health Coral Springs  
Broward Health Imperial Point

**Specialty:** Nurse Practitioner

**Dept. at Primary Facility:** Surgery

**Secondary Facility Depts.:** Surgery

**Physician Sponsorship:** Kush Tripathi, MD  
Marc Cohen, MD

**Practice Name:** Interventional Pain & Wellnes  
Website: [www.ipwcbroward.com](http://www.ipwcbroward.com)

**Primary Address Information:** 4515 Wiles Rd.  
Ste 201  
Coconut Creek, FL 33073  
Phone: 954-943-1133  
Fax: 954-366-5543  
Email: [cquerrero@mybrowardmd.com](mailto:cquerrero@mybrowardmd.com)

**Professional School:** Chamberlain University  
Downers Grove, IL  
From: 06/01/2020  
To: 12/17/2022  
Degree: MSN  
Major: Family Nurse Practitioner

**Hospital Affiliations/  
Work History:** Baptist Health South Florida  
Coral Gables, FL  
From: 10/12/2020  
To: Present  
Title: Registered Nurse (Pool)

IV Concierge  
Delray Beach, FL  
From: 01/01/2023  
To: 07/01/2023  
Specialty: Nurse Practitioner

Med Connect FL, LLC  
Boca Raton, FL  
From: 01/12/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Owner/ Nurse Practitioner

Urology Medical Specialist dba Interventional Pain & Wellness  
Coconut Creek, FL  
From: 04/19/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Nurse Practitioner

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### Hospital Affiliations/ Work History (cont'd):

HCA Florida Northwest Hospital  
Margate, FL  
From: 07/13/2023  
To: Present  
Specialty: Nurse Practitioner

HCA Florida Woodmont Hospital  
Tamarac, FL  
From: 07/17/2023  
To: 07/01/Present  
Specialty: Nurse Practitioner