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BIO & CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr. Burton Bentley II is a board-certified Emergency Medicine physician and a nationally recognized authority on medical liability, informed consent, and complex issues at the intersections of Medicine, Business & Law. He earned his M.D. degree at the University of Arizona, completed a residency in Emergency Medicine at the Medical College of Wisconsin, and practiced Emergency Medicine full-time for 21 years before developing a novel medical device that he developed and patented. His device was acquired by Centurion Medical in 2016, and Dr. Bentley now devotes his energy to Elite Medical Experts, a consulting firm he founded in 2010. Elite aligns Professors of Medicine and Surgery as experts in complex litigation and serves over 4000 clients across the United States. In addition to working with law firms, governmental entities, and corporations, Dr. Bentley consults strategically on informed consent, risk mitigation, and crisis management at the clinical practice level. Dr. Bentley also co-founded Consent Spectrum, a digital platform to optimize informed consent for nearly every aesthetic medical procedure. In 2020, Consent Spectrum aligned with Touch MD to bring state-of-the-art informed consent to aesthetic dermatology and plastic surgery practices nationwide.

CERTIFICATION AND EDUCATION

Fellow, American Academy of Emergency Medicine.

Diplomate, American Board of Emergency Medicine. 1995 (No. 940059); Recertified 2004 & 2014.

Residency: Emergency Medicine, The Medical College of Wisconsin; 1991 - 1994.

Internship: Internal Medicine, The Medical College of Wisconsin; 1990 - 1991.

- **Flight Physician:** Flight for Life Aeromedical Transport; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; 1992 - 1994.
- **Certified Life Support Provider:** Basic Life Support; Advanced Cardiac Life Support; Pediatric Advanced Life Support; Advanced Trauma Life Support.
- **Professional Organizations:** American Academy of Emergency Medicine
- **Best Doctors in America - Emergency Medicine;** 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014.

Doctor of Medicine, The University of Arizona, College of Medicine; 1990.

- **Licensure:** State of Arizona: Medicine and Surgery (No. 22362).
- **Awards:** ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA; Hewlett-Packard Top Medical Graduate.
- **Diplomate** of the National Board of Medical Examiners, (No. 384961).

Bachelor of Science, Magna Cum Laude, The University of Arizona; 1986. Major in Biochemistry, with Honors.

- **Awards & Honors:** PHI BETA KAPPA; Phi Kappa Phi; Mary Ann Farman Memorial Scholarship; Samuel Morris Scholarship; Golden Key Honor Society; University of Arizona Honors Program.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

- Northwest Tucson Emergency Physicians, P.C., Tucson, Arizona. Attending Emergency Department Physician at Northwest Medical Center, 1994 - 2015.
- Northwest Tucson Emergency Physicians, P.C., Tucson, Arizona. Attending Emergency Department Physician at Oro Valley Hospital, 2006 - 2015.
- St. Mary's Hospital - Ozaukee; Port Washington, Wisconsin. Medical Staff, 1992 - 1994.
- St. Luke's Hospital; Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Medical Staff, 1993 - 1994.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Consent Spectrum, LLC. Co-Founder, 2018 – Present.
- Elite Medical Experts, LLC. CEO, 2010 - Present.
- Nuvomed, Inc. Founder and Chief Medical Officer; 2014 -2016.
- Emergency Medicine Litigation Analysts (EMLA), Inc. CEO, 1997 - 2015.

PATENT

- Burton Bentley II, Inventor. United States Patent 8105335: Fecal Impaction Removal Tool. January 31, 2012.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- *Secrets to Success with Medical Experts: Critical Strategies to Control Cost and Improve Outcomes*; American Society for Hospital Risk Management - Annual Conference; 2021.
- *Medical Malpractice 2021 - Physician and Attorney Perspectives*; National Business Institute (NBI); 6-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Intro to Toxicology; Physician Insights on Toxins and Testing*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Medical Malpractice Essentials - Proven strategies for screening cases and working with experts*; myLawCLE; 2-hour CLE; 2021
- *Emergency Medicine Malpractice (and how to avoid it)*: Section of Emergency Medicine, Department of Pediatrics; University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence During Bariatric Surgery*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; April 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence Related to Spine Surgery and Surgical Delays*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence in Pharmacy and Prescription Drug Cases*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence in Stroke Litigation*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence During Bariatric Surgery*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence in the Emergency Department*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2021.
- *Insights Beyond the Law: Fundamentals of Negligence During Gallbladder Surgery*; National Business Institute (NBI); 1-hour CLE; 2020.
- *Maximizing Success with Medical Experts (and Avoiding Costly Mistakes)*: Academy of Rail Labor Attorneys (ARLA) 2020 Annual Convention; September 2020

- *Did My Job Cause Cancer: Proving and Disproving Occupational Links to Cancer*. Moderator; 2020
- *FDA Clearance Protects You and Your Patients: Reducing Risk in Medical Aesthetics*. Webinar for Bellus Medical; 2019.
- *Understanding and Defending Mild Traumatic Brain Injury Cases*. Atlantic Claim Executives Association (ACEA); 2019.
- *Emergency Medicine Malpractice*. University of Arizona Department of Emergency Medicine; 2019.
- *Malpractice Stories That Will Curl Your Toes - and How to Avoid One*. US Dermatology Partners; 2018.
- *Working with Medicolegal Experts: Pearls and Pitfalls*. National Association of Legal Assistants (NALA); 2017.
- *The Care and Feeding of Medical Experts*. State Bar of Arizona (CLE seminar); 2016.

MEDIA

- **12 News Phoenix:** *Arizona murder suspect's in-custody death ruled 'natural'*; September 2021.
- **Alpha Coding Podcast:** *Medical Coding Pro-Tips for Navigating Emergency Medicine*; November 2020.
- **Open Mike Podcast 68:** *This Team of Experts Can Be the Difference Between Freedom and Life Behind Bars for the Accused*; September 2020.
- **Law.com:** *The Growing Litigation Battle Over COVID-19 in the Nation's Prisons and Jails*; August 25, 2020.
- **FOX 10 News:** *Challenges ahead as investigation into JJ Vallow and Tylee Ryan's death continues*; June 11, 2020.
- **Heavy:** *Who Killed Jeffrey Epstein: The Theories on His Death*. May 31, 2020.
- **East Idaho News:** *Medical examiner says Alex Cox had blood clots in his lungs and died of natural causes*. May 8, 2020.
- **Detroit Free Press:** *As coronavirus spreads in Michigan prisons, parolees not tested before release*. April 20, 2020.
- **Business Insider:** *Ventilators and respirators are not the same thing —still a dire shortage of both*; March 24, 2020.
- **Business Insider:** *US jails and prisons are 'fertile grounds for infectious disease' and preventing the spread of coronavirus behind bars will be a challenge, say experts*; March 5, 2020.
- **New York Times:** *Jeffrey Epstein: Autopsy Shows Bones in Neck Were Broken*; August 15, 2019.
- **Fox News:** Live interview; October 30, 2019.
- **New York Times:** *Epstein's Autopsy Points to Homicide*; October 30, 2019.
- **FX Network** Emmy-winning series *The Americans*. Consultant; 2015.
- Quoted in **Us Weekly** and **TV Guide**.

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

- Bentley B II: Chapter 120 - Bites and Stings. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Manual of Emergency Medicine, 7th Edition. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2011.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 123 - Bites and Stings. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Tintinalli's Emergency Medicine - Just the Facts, 3rd Edition. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 2011.
- Bentley B II: The Caregiver and Dr. Gould. *Annals of Emergency Medicine* 1997;29:293-294.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 108 - Bites and Stings. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1996.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 137 - Ocular Emergencies. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1996.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 138 - Otolaryngologic Emergencies. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1996.

- Bentley B II: Chapter 139 - Nasal Emergencies. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc.,1996.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 141 - General Dental Emergencies. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc.,1996.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 171 - Behavioral Disorders. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1996.
- Bentley B II: Chapter 172 - Psychotropic Medications. In Cline D, Ma OJ (ed): Companion Handbook to Emergency Medicine: A Comprehensive Study Guide. McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1996.
- Ma OJ, Bentley B II, DeBehnke D: Review of Airway Management Practices in Emergency Medicine Residencies. *American Journal of Emergency Medicine* 1995;13:501-504.
- Bentley B II: "Emergent Airway Management: A Look Beyond Routine Endotracheal Intubation." Invited Guest Speaker at Grand Rounds, University of California at Davis,1994.
- Bentley B II, DeBehnke D, Ma OJ: Survey of Follow-up Systems in Emergency Medicine Residencies: Analysis and Proposals. *Academic Emergency Medicine* 1994;1:116-120.
- Bentley B II, DeBehnke D, Ma OJ: An Assessment of Follow-Up Systems in Emergency Medicine Residencies. Presented at the International EMRS / SAEM Annual Meeting. September,1993; Cambridge, England.
- Bentley B II, DeBehnke D, Ma OJ: An Assessment of Follow-Up Systems in Emergency Medicine Residencies. Presented at the 23rd Annual Meeting of the Society for Academic Emergency Medicine. May, 1993; San Francisco, California.
- Bentley B II: Cold-induced Urticaria and Angioedema: Diagnosis and Management. *The American Journal of Emergency Medicine* 1993;11(1):43-46.
- Bentley B II, Schnur PL: Synchronous Eruption of Cotton-Induced Granulomas 45 Years after Exposure: Report of an Unusual Case. *Annals of Plastic Surgery* 1991;27:355-357.