

Derrick Hendricks Adams, D.O., F.A.O.C.D.
Board Certified Dermatologist

Professional Experience

Current: **Vita Dermatology and Laser Institute (Medical Director)**
Lassen Medical Group
2450 Sister Mary Columba Driver, Red Bluff, CA 96080

August 2007 to 2010 **Dermatology Residency**
Fellow American Osteopathic College of Dermatology
Botsford Hospital/Michigan State University
28050 Grand River Ave, Farmington Hills, MI 48336

August 2003 to July 2007: **General Medical Officer (Major) United States Air Force**
Primary Care Clinic, David Grant USAF Medical Center (DGMC)
Travis Air Force Base, CA 94535

Positions held:

- Element Chief, Primary Care Clinic, 2005-2007
 - Supervised and managed all aspects of a 3-physician, 3-nurse and 12-medical technician team
 - Directly responsible for maintaining access-to-care and health prevention standards for over 14,000 patients while ensuring deployment readiness for personnel
- Pharmacy & Therapeutics Committee 2003-2007 (advisory and voting panel)
- Leading RVU-generating outpatient clinic physician (1 out of 52) for 2003-4 and 2004-5
- Leading hospital physician (1 out of 116) for total patient encounters 2003-4 and 2004-5
- Air Force Commendation Medal recipient 2007
- Meritorious Grollman Research Award Recipient from the Society of Air Force Physicians

June 2002 to July 2003: **Internal Medicine Internship**
Wilford Hall Medical Center (59th Medical Wing)
Lackland Air Force Base, TX 78236

Academic Appointments

Clinical Assistant Professor Michigan State University
Department of Internal Medicine
Adjunct Clinical Professor of Dermatology Touro University, CA
Associate Editor, Journal of the American Osteopathic College of
Dermatology

Education

August 1998 to May 2002: Oklahoma State University Center for Health Sciences
1111 W. 17th St
Tulsa, OK 74107
Degree granted: **Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine**

August 1994 to May 1997: Oklahoma State University
Stillwater, OK 74078 Degree: **Bachelor of Science - Physiology**

Professional Organizations

American Osteopathic College of Dermatology (AOCD) 2006 to present
American Osteopathic Association (AOA) 1998 to present
American Society of Dermatologic Surgery (ASDS) 2008 to present
DO Care International – Guatemala Medical Mission 2008 & 2009

Military-Specific Education/Training

- Commissioned Officers Training 1997
- Aerospace Medicine Physician Program 1998
- School of Space and Aeronautical Medicine Physiology 1999
- Fundamentals of Critical Care 2003
- Disaster & Battlefield Triage 2003/Refresher 2005
- Smallpox Vaccination Training Program 2003, 2004, 2005
- Chemical, Biological, Nuclear, Radiation, & Environmental Response Decon 2004
- Methods of the Dynamic Office Manager 2005
- Managerial T.E.A.M. S.T.E.P.S. Building (Healthcare-based Risk Management Course) 2006

Publications

1. **Adams D**, Quawsa R. Clinical Challenge: Itchy rash after starting hemodialysis. *Clinical Advisor*. Feb. 2011. Reprinted on hemodialysis.com Feb 2011. Also reprinted in *Nurse Practitioner*, empr.com
2. **Adams D**, Nasir H, Seiger E, Mahon M. Familial Pseudopelade of Brocq: A Novel Case. *Journal of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology*. July 2010.
3. **Adams, D**, Aleytha L, Bender B. Linear Epidermal Nevus of the Epidermal Nevus Syndrome: A Profound Case of Neurological and Pharyngeal Involvement. Submitted to *Cutis*. Nov. 2010.
4. **Adams D**, Fiore R, LaCasse A. Piebaldism: A Case Report and Historical Perspective from Slaves to c-Kit. Accepted for publication. *Journal of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology*
5. **Adams D**, Mahon M. Extragenital Lichen Sclerosus et Atrophicus in a 6-year-old Female. *Journal of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology*. Jan 2009; 8(2)70.
6. Bender B, Schneider J, Coppola J, Neuwanschaner B, Foley M, **Adams D**, Mahon M. Neutrophilic Dermatoses of the Dorsal Hands. American Osteopathic College of Dermatology Grand Rounds. <http://www.aocd-grandrounds.org>. June 2008.
7. Schneider J, Bender, B, Mahon M, Coppola J, Neuwanschaner B, Foley M, **Adams D**. Ocular Manifestations of Dermatological Disease, CME Article. Submitted for review: *Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology*.
8. **Adams D**, Nutt T. A Case Report and Discussion of Cetuximab-Induced Folliculitis. *American Journal of Clinical Dermatology* 2006; 7(5):333.
9. **Adams D**, Nutt T. Threading-Induced Folliculitis. *Family Medical Practice: The International Journal of Family Practice and American Family Physicians* October 2005.
10. **Adams D**. Orange Pigmentation and Other Skin Clues: Diagnostic Challenge: A Case of Irritant-Contact Dermatitis Leading to the Diagnosis of Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder. *Cortlandt Forum* July 2006, p 59-64. Reprinted in *Clinical Advisor*, August 2006.
11. **Adams D**. Acanthosis Nigricans Regression with Rosiglitazone after Previous Treatment with Pioglitazone. *Journal of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology* 2006; 6(1):63.
12. **Adams D**. Misperceptions Among the Elderly Regarding Survival Outcomes in CPR. *Journal of the American Osteopathic Association* 2006; 106(7):402-404. [Meritorious Grollman Research Award Recipient from the Society of Air Force Physicians]
13. Royal, M. **Adams D**. Jennings M. Retrospective Assessment of Frequency of Dosing of Sustained Release Opiate Preparations in Chronic Pain Patients. *Journal of Pain* 2002; 3(2).
14. **Adams, D**. Your Skin Doctor: monthly news column in *Redding Searchlight* press. 2011-present
15. **Adams D**. Preventing Postcoital Urinary Tract Infections in Women. *Cortlandt Forum*. March 2006. Also reprinted in *Clinical Advisor*, August 2006.

16. **Adams D.** White Coats and Drowning Horses. A medical commentary published in *Medical Economics*. June 21, 2002.
17. **Adams D.** Upright Rowing for Muscle Tension. *Cortlandt Forum*. November 2005.

Poster Presentations

1. Brooks C, **Adams D**, Legacy M, Bender, B. Unique Presentation of Bowel-Associated Dermatitis-Arthritis Syndrome. American Society of Dermatopathology, Oct 2010, Atlanta
2. **Adams D**, et al. Treatment of Severe Multi-Factorial Osteomalacia with Narrow-Band UVB Phototherapy. Michigan Dermatology Society, Winter Meeting. Feb 2009. Troy, MI
3. **Adams D.** Curious Case of Familial Scarring Alopecia in an Iraqi Family. Michigan Dermatology Society Winter Meeting, Feb 2009
4. **Adams D**, et al. Amelanotic Cellular Blue Nevus: A Case Report and Literature Review. Feb 2008; Michigan State Dermatological Society Meeting, Troy, MI.
5. **Adams D**, et al. Case Report of Extragenital Lichen Sclerosus et Atrophicus in an Adolescent Female. Feb 2008; Michigan State Dermatological Society Meeting, Troy, MI.
6. Kartono F, **Adams D**, et al. Alopecia Universalis during Infliximab Treatment of Crohn's Disease. Feb 2008; Michigan State Dermatological Society Meeting, Troy, MI.
7. Royal, M. **Adams D.** Jennings M. Retrospective assessment of frequency of dosing of sustained release Opiate preparations in chronic pain patients. 21st Annual Scientific Meeting of American Pain Society; poster presentation; Baltimore 2002.
8. **Adams D.** Hepatoprotective Measures in Acetaminophen Toxicity. Society of Air Force Physicians conference, Feb. 2002; San Antonio, [Health Professions Scholarship Medical Student Award Winner]
9. Royal, M. Jennings, M. **Adams D.** Botulinum Toxin Type B (Myobloc) in the Treatment of Refractory Lumbar Myofascial Pain. PETC Research Group, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Poster presentation at the International Conference 2002: Basic and Therapeutic Aspects of Botulinum Toxins (Toxins 2002), Hannover, Germany. June 8-12, 2002