

DR. SYED IRTEZA HUSSAIN

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Syed Irteza Hussain, MD

Department Chair, Neurology, Neurological Institute



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EXPERIENCE

17

BIOGRAPHY

Syed Irteza Hussain, MD is the Department Chair in the Neurological Institute at Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi. Dr. Hussain is a Consultant Neurologist with 17 years of experience. After completing his medical degree from the prestigious Aga Khan University he underwent extensive post graduate training in the US. He is American Board certified in Neurology, Vascular neurology, Neurocritical Care and Neuroendovascular surgery.

Upon completion of his post graduate training he joined Michigan State University as assistant professor in 2009. There he helped establish a 24/7 Neurointerventional surgery service and fellowship training program. In addition to his procedures he had an integral role in the management of acute stroke and critically ill neurological patients in the hospital.

Subsequently in 2011 he assumed the Medical Directorship of the stroke program at Michigan State University and its affiliate Sparrow Health system. In this administrative role he supervised multiple successful Joint Commission recertifications of the primary stroke center and subsequently became the first in Michigan to become a JC certified Comprehensive stroke center. Recognizing his services he was promoted to Associate Professor in 2014 and awarded the Physician Leader of the year award in 2015 by his institutions. He joined Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi in 2016 as staff physician in the Neurological Institute.

Dr. Hussain lives in Abu Dhabi with his wife and two daughters. He enjoys travelling with his family, listening to music and football.

PROFESSIONAL JOURNEY

MEDICAL SCHOOL

1995 - 2000
THE AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY MEDICAL COLLEGE KARACHI, PAKISTAN
 Doctor of Medicine (MD)

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Dr. Syed Irteza Hussain can help you with...

Ischemic Hemorrhagic Stroke

Cerebral Aneurysms

Carotid And Intracranial Atherosclerosis

Arteriovenous Malformations

Headache

Epilepsy

Parkinson Disease

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Achievements & Career Highlights

- Completed more than 2000 cerebral angiograms and Neuroendovascular procedures
- Participated in many clinical trials related to cerebrovascular care
- Setup a Neurointerventional surgery and fellowship training program in the US
- Medical Director of the first Joint Commission certified Comprehensive Stroke center in Michigan, USA at Sparrow health system
- Physician leader of the year award recipient in 2015 at Sparrow health system, Michigan
- Teaching awards recipients from the University of Wisconsin Medical School

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RESIDENCY

2002

2002 - 2006

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN HOSPITALS CLINIC, MADISON, WISCONSIN, US
Resident, Department of Neurology

FELLOWSHIP

2007

2007 - 2009

MEDICAL COLLEGE OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, US
Instructor, Neurology & Neuro Intervention

2006

2006 - 2007

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO HOSPITALS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, US
Instructor, Neurology-stroke & Neurocritical Care

WORK EXPERIENCE

2016

2016 - 2017

CLEVELAND CLINIC ABU DHABI, ABU DHABI, UAE
Staff Physician, Neurological Institute

2015

2015 - 2016

SPARROW HOSPITAL, LANSING, MICHIGAN, US
Attending Physician, Department of Neurology & Neurointervention

2011

2011 - 2015

SPARROW HOSPITAL, LANSING, MICHIGAN, US
Medical Director of William & Claire Dart Stroke Center

2009

2009 - 2014

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN, US
Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology & Ophthalmology

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