Biography



Mordecai Potash, MD

Dr. Potash has been active in the clinical and academic practice of pain management throughout his medical career. He graduated from New York Medical College in 1997 and then completed a residency in Psychiatry at Tulane University in 2001. Dr. Potash subsequently did a fellowship in Psychosomatic Medicine at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, where he was assigned as the Psychiatry Fellow on the Pain Medicine and Palliative Care Team.

After graduation from his fellowship in 2002, Dr. Potash has been active in the delivery of pain management services, first at the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa, and then at Tulane University and the Southeast Louisiana Veterans Healthcare System in New Orleans. Dr. Potash has received board certifications in Psychiatry, Psychosomatic Medicine, and Pain Medicine.

Dr. Potash has also been very active in academic activities in pain medicine. Besides lecturing regularly at regional and national conferences about pain management issues, he has published articles in *Practical Pain Medicine, Pain Physician, Pain Medicine*, and the *Journal of the Louisiana State Medical Society*. Dr. Potash has also been very active in the Southern Pain Society, having been on its board for several years he is currently its President.