

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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NAME Robert W. Veith, MD		POSITION TITLE Clinical Associate Professor, Internal Medicine/Hematology, LSUHSC, New Orleans, LA	
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EDUCATION/TRAINING (Begin with baccalaureate or other initial professional education, such as nursing, include postdoctoral training and residency training if applicable.)			
INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE (if applicable)	MM/YY	FIELD OF STUDY
LSU Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA	M.D.	1978	Medicine
Charity Hospital, LSU Affiliated University of Washington, Seattle, WA		1979-1981 1981-1985	Internal Medicine Hematology/Oncology

A. PERSONAL STATEMENT

I earned my medical degree in 1981 from the LSU School of Medicine, and am a Clinical Associate Professor of Internal Medicine/Hematology. I completed my internship in internal medicine at Memorial Hospital in Worcester, Massachusetts and my residency in internal medicine at Charity Hospital in New Orleans. My four-year fellowship in Hematology was completed at the University of Washington in Seattle. With Augusto Ochoa, MD, I direct the National Cancer Institute-funded Minority-Based Community Clinical Oncology Program (MB COOP) for the Cancer Center, and was the original Principal Investigator for this grant. First funded in 1994, this program focuses on increasing the enrollment of minority patients onto state-of-the-art clinical trials for cancer treatment and cancer prevention and control.

B. POSITIONS AND HONORS

POSITIONS

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1992 – 2004 Director, Bone Marrow Transplant Program, LSU Health Sciences Center/University Hospital, New Orleans, LA
 1989 – 2002 Director, Hematology Training Program, Department of Medicine, LSU Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA
 1985 – 2002 Associate Professor, Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, LSU Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA
 2002 – Present Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, LSU Health Sciences Center, New Orleans, LA

APPOINTMENTS

1988 – 2006 Attending Physician, Memorial Medical Center, New Orleans, LA
 1985 – Present Attending Physician, Medical Center of Louisiana at New Orleans (Charity Hospital) and University Hospital (formerly Hotel Dieu), New Orleans, LA
 1994 – Present Courtesy Staff, Children’s Hospital, New Orleans, LA
 2004 – Present Attending Physician, East Jefferson General Hospital, Metairie, LA
 2005 – Present Attending Physician, Kenner Ochsner Medical Center

HONORS

1974 Mu Sigma Rho
 1980 – 1981 Assistant Chief Medical Resident, LSU Department of Medicine

1981 Resident Teaching Award

MEMBERSHIP AND SOCIETIES

American Society of Hematology
American Association for the Advancement of Science
American Society of Clinical Oncology
Southwest Oncology Group

BOARD CERTIFICATION

09/15/82 Internal Medicine, American Board of Internal Medicine
11/13/84 Hematology (American Board of Internal Medicine)
11/10/87 Oncology (American Board of Internal Medicine)

C. SELECTED PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS (IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER):

1. Hayden J, **Veith RW**, Moody-Thomas S, Austin JP, Moore T. Changing Cancer Outcomes. The role of the LSUHC Minority-Based Clinical Community Oncology Program. *La St Med Soc* 149: 131-133, 1997.
2. Adams-Graves P, Kedar P, Steinberg M, **Veith RW**, and Ward D. Rheothrx® (Ploxadamer 188) Injection for the Acute Painful Episode of Sick Cell Disease (SCD): A Pilot Study. *Blood* 90: 2041-2046, 1997.
3. Higano CS, Crowley JJ, **Veith RW** and Livingston RB. A Phase II Trial of Intravenous Vinorelbine in Previously Untreated Patients with Extensive Small Cell Lung Cancer : A Southwest Oncology Group Study. *Investigational New Drugs* 15: 153-156, 1997.
4. Moinpour C, Savage M, Troxel A, Lovato L, Eisenberger M, **Veith RW**, Higgins B, Skeel R, Yee M, Blumenstein B, Crawford E, Meyskens F. Quality of Life in Advanced Prostate Cancer: Results of a Randomized Therapeutic Trial. *Journal of the National Cancer Institute* 20: 1537-1544, 1998.
5. Kardinal C and **Veith RW**. Prevention of Breast Cancer in High Risk Women. *Journal of the Louisiana Medical Society* 15: 198-201, 1999.
6. Kish J, Benedetti J, Balcerzak S, **Veith RW**, Davis R, Pollock T, Schuller D, Ersley J. Feasibility Trial of Post-operative Radiotherapy and Cisplatin Followed by Three Courses of 5-FU and Cisplatin in Patients with Resected Head and Neck Cancer. A Southwest Oncology Group Study. *Cancer Journal Sci AMS*: 307-311, 1999.
7. Calabresi AR, **Veith RW**, Rigby PG. High-dose cycles of dexamethasone in idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura. *J La State Med Soc*. 2004 Sep-Oct;156(5):269-72.

D. RESEARCH SUPPORT

Ongoing Research Support

U10CA063845 (NIH NCI) Veith (PI) 06/01/2009 – 05/31/2014

LSUHSC Minority-Based Community Clinical Oncology Program

The goal of this project is to increase minority participation in state-of-the-art, NCI clinical trials in the Greater New Orleans area and surrounding regions.

Role: Principal Investigator

Completed Research Support

U10CA063845-11S1 (NIH NCI) Veith (PI) 09/30/2009 – 09/29/2013

ARRA APRC Supplement to LSUHC Minority-Based Community Clinical Oncology Program (MB-CCOP)

The goal of the overall program to increase minority participation in state-of-the-art, NCI clinical trials offered through the Aids Malignancy Consortium in the Greater New Orleans area and surrounding regions.

Role: Principal Investigator