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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Michigan State University

*Bachelor of Science in Human Biology
Summa Cum Laude*

East Lansing, MI

June 2007

Wayne State University

*Doctor of Medicine
With High Distinction*

Detroit, MI

June 2011

Henry Ford Health System

Residency in Adult Psychiatry (PGY1 Year Only)

Detroit, MI

July 2012 – June 2013

University Of Michigan Health System

Residency in Adult Psychiatry

Ann Arbor, MI

July 2013 – June 2016

Case Western Reserve University

*Fellowship in Forensic Psychiatry
Program Director: Phillip Resnick, M.D.
Assistant Program Director: Stephen Noffsinger, M.D.*

Cleveland, OH

July 2016 – June 2017

ACADEMIC AND CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS

Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

Assistant Professor of Psychiatry

Cleveland, OH

July 2017 – Present

University Hospitals of Cleveland

Staff Psychiatrist

Cleveland, OH

July 2017 – June 2018

Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare

*Forensic Psychiatrist (Contractor)
Attending psychiatrist on a competency to stand trial restoration unit*

Northfield, OH

July 2017 – June 2018

St. Joseph Mercy Ann Arbor
On-Call Psychiatrist

Ypsilanti, MI
Sept 2016 – July 2018

Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare
Forensic Psychiatrist (State of Ohio Employee)

Northfield, OH
June 2018 – Present

FORENSIC SERVICES AND CONSULTATION

Private Practice in Forensic Psychiatry **2017 – Present**
Performing a variety of civil and criminal evaluations for courts, IMEs, and fitness for duty/risk assessment evaluations for employers

PsyBar **2018 – Present**
Independent Contractor performing fitness for duty evaluations, independent medical examinations, and case reviews

Ohio Specialty Network **2018 – Present**
Independent Contractor performing forensic psychiatric evaluations

Ohio School Employees Retirement System **2018 – Present**
Independent Contractor performing disability evaluations

Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas **2019 - Present**
Forensic psychiatrist performing evaluations including competency, sanity, mitigation of penalty, and other evaluations for the Court Psychiatric Clinic.

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

Board Certified by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology
Certificate #73414

State Medical Board of Ohio Physician License

State of Michigan Board of Medicine Physician License

BLS Certified through May 2020

RESEARCH EXEPERIENCE

Henry Ford Hospital, Division of General Surgery **Detroit, MI**
Research Extern **2008**

HONORS AND AWARDS

Undergraduate Awards
Board of Trustees 4.0 GPA award for graduating with a 4.0 GPA

Medical School Awards **2007 – 2011**
Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Society

Overall Honors in Years I, II, and III
Clerkship Honors in Psychiatry, Neurology, Internal Medicine, Pediatrics,
and Surgery
Janet M. Glasgow Memorial Achievement Citation

Midwest American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law 2015
Margolis Travel Scholarship

Psychiatry Chief Resident at University of Michigan 2015 – 2016
Chief of Outpatient Services

University of Michigan Patient Advocate Award 2016

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law 2016 – Present

Midwest Chapter of American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law 2018 – Present

EDITORIAL POSITIONS

Statpearls Editor of Forensic Psychiatry 2017 - Present
Assist with determining appropriateness of subspecialty questions for a continuing medical education databank.

International Journal of Forensic Mental Health 2019 – Present
Ad-Hoc peer reviewer for journal article submissions.

Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health 2019 – Present
Ad-Hoc peer reviewer for journal article submissions.

PRESENTATIONS AT NATIONAL MEETINGS

American College of Surgeons Annual Clinical Congress **Chicago, IL**
Hoban, A., Velanovich, V. *Correlation of Preoperative Quality of Life with*
Frailty as Predictors of Postoperative Complications. (Oral Presentation)
(Presented under maiden name). October 2009

American Psychiatric Association **San Diego, CA**
Noffsinger, S., Knoll, J., Piel J., **Saxton, A.** *Keeping Your Cool Under Cross*
Examination. (Workshop). May 2017

American Psychiatric Association **San Diego, CA**
Saxton, A. Noffsinger, S., Faulkner, L. *Consequences of Breaching the*
Standard of Care: From Lawsuits to License Action. (Workshop). May 2017

American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law **Austin, TX**
VanDercar, A. Scott, C. Noffsinger, S. Piel, J. Landess, J. **Saxton, A.**
Sonnier, L. Aoun, E. *Recent Cases and Why They Matter.* (Panel). October 2018

American Psychiatric Association

Saxton, A., West, S., Saragoza, P., VanDercar, A., Noffsinger, S. *Will My Patient be the Next Mass Shooter? Mastering Risk Assessment and Minimizing Liability.* (Oral Session).

San Francisco, CA

May 2019

LOCAL PRESENTATIONS

Veterans Administration Hospital Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds Journal Club Presentation

Ann Arbor, MI

Saxton, A., *Antidepressant Efficacy of Ketamine in Treatment-Resistant Major Depression: A Two-Site Randomized Controlled Trial*

October 2013

University of Michigan Psychiatry Evidence Based Medicine Seminar

Ann Arbor, MI

Saxton, A., *Clozapine Induced Neutropenia: Lithium to the Rescue?*

January 2015

University of Michigan Morbidity and Mortality Conference

Ann Arbor, MI

April 2016

University of Michigan Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds

Ann Arbor, MI

Saxton, A. *Metabolic Monitoring in Adults on Atypical Antipsychotic Drugs: A Quality Improvement Project (Presented as part of Senior Paper Day)*

June 2016

University Hospitals Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds

Cleveland, OH

Saxton, A. *Psychiatrists in Peril: Lawsuits, Lockup, and Loss of License*

June 2017

Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas Noon Seminar

Cleveland, OH

Saxton, A. *Psychiatrists in Peril: Lawsuits, Lockup, and Loss of License*

June 2017

Clark County Prosecutor's Association

Cleveland, OH

Saxton, A. *Harmless or Hannibal? Assessing Violence Risk.*

November 2018

PUBLICATIONS – JOURNAL ARTICLES

Saxton, A., Velanovich, V. *Preoperative Frailty and Quality of Life as Predictors of Postoperative Complications.* *Annals of Surgery.* 2011; 253: 1223 – 1229

Saxton, A. Resnick, P. *Competence to Proceed Pro Se.* *Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law.* *Legal Digest.* 2017; 45 (4): 503- 505

Ostermeyer, B. Anacker, L. Perdue, J., **Saxton, A,** Noffsinger, S. *Examining Decision-Making: Understanding Civil and Criminal Competencies.* *Psychiatric Annals.* 2018; 48(2):79-85.

Noffsinger, S. **Saxton, A.** Ostermeyer, B. *Psychiatric Disability Evaluations.* *Psychiatric Annals.* 2018; 48(2):86-94.

Saxton, A. Resnick, P. Noffsinger, S. *Chief Complaint: Homicidal. Assessing Violence Risk.* Current Psychiatry. 2018 May; 17(5):26-28,30-32,34,55.

Calhoun, C. **Saxton, A.** *Ohio Execution Protocol - A Risk of Serious Pain and Needless Suffering, But Not to a Constitutionally Unacceptable Level of Certainty.* Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law. Legal Digest. December 2018; 46 (4) 552-554

Resnick, P. **Saxton, A.** *Malpractice Liability Due to Patient Violence.* Forthcoming in Focus – The Journal of Lifelong Learning in Psychiatry.

BOOK REVIEWS

Saxton, A. Review of the book *Criminal Genius: A Portrait of High IQ Offenders*, by James Oleson. Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law. December 2018; 46 (4) 561-563.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Saxton, A. *The Opioid Epidemic: How We Got Here, Where We Are Now, and How to Get Out.* (Review of Seminar) American Academy of Psychiatry at the Law Newsletter. January 2019. 7, 12.

COMMITTEE SERVICE

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| University of Michigan Dept. of Psychiatry Adverse Event Review Committee | 2015 – 2016 |
| University of Michigan Dept. of Psychiatry Curriculum Review Committee | 2015 – 2016 |
| Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare Forensic Services Committee | 2017 – Present |
| Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare Clinical Advocacy Committee | 2018 - Present |
| American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law Judicial Action Committee | 2018 – Present |
| Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services: Forensic Services and Risk Management Committee | 2018 – Present |

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine

2016 – Present

- *Offered interactive lectures on suicide risk assessment and violence risk assessment to third year medical students.*
- *Created a medical student problem-based learning module on suicide and violence risk assessment*
- *Involved in lecturing forensic psychiatry fellows on psychiatric malpractice, physician discipline, suicide risk assessment, and landmark court cases.*
- *Supervisor for forensic psychiatry fellows during their treatment rotations at Northcoast Behavioral Healthcare*

Police Officer Crisis Intervention Training

Provided lectures on overview of mental illness: signs & symptoms, as part of a one-week training course for officers

**Fairview Park, OH
Brooklyn, OH
2017 – 2018**

MetroHealth Hospital Psychiatry Residency Program

- *Gave Lectures to psychiatry residents on psychiatric malpractice, physician discipline, and violence risk assessment.*
- *Supervised senior residents during their forensic psychiatry rotation*

**Cleveland, OH
2017 – Present**

Northeast Ohio Medical University

- *Supervised third year medical students during their psychiatry rotations*

**Northfield, OH
2017 – Present**