

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Education

A.B., Psychology, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey; 1974  
M.D., University of California, San Diego, California; 1979  
Internship, OB/GYN, University of Oregon Health Sciences Center,  
Portland, Oregon; 1979-1980  
Residency, OB/GYN, University of Oregon Health Sciences Center, Portland,  
Oregon; 1980-1983  
Certified, American Board of Obstetrics & Gynecology; 1986  
Recertified through 12/31/09  
Certified, Accreditation Council for Gynecologic Endoscopy; 1995  
Advanced Operative Laparoscopy  
Advanced Operative Hysteroscopy

### Licensure

Oregon, #12311	1980 – present
California, #G43461	1980 – 1994, 2005 to present
Washington, #19274	1980 – present

### Current Position

Private Practice, Barbara S. Levy, M.D., P.S.  
Urogynecology & Surgery  
Medical Director, Women's Health Center  
St. Francis Pavilion  
1998-present

### Honors and Awards

Graduate Magna cum Laude, Princeton University	1974
Resident Prize Paper, American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists, Annual Meeting	1984
Consultant to FDA, OB/GYN Devices Panel	1988-1995, 1999-present
Member FDA OB/GYN Devices Panel	1996-1999
Editorial Board- Journal of AAGL	1993-1996

Gynecologic Laparoscopists	
Associate Editor-Journal of AAGL	1997-present
Editor- MVP Video Journal of OB/GYN	1994-2000
Editorial Board- OBG Management	1996-present
Editorial Board- Women's Health Resource Newsletter, Franciscan Health System	1996-present
Coordinating Editor: Practical Reviews in Women's Health	1999-2001
Editorial Board OB/GYN Malpractice Prevention	1999-present
Life Member of National Registry of Who's Who 2002 Edition	2001- present
Board of Trustees, Franciscan Health System	1997-2003
Professional Affairs Committee; Franciscan Health System	1998-2003
America's Top Obstetricians & Gynecologists	2002-2003
America's Top Obstetricians & Gynecologists	2004-2005

### **Professional Societies**

American Medical Association	
Correct Coding & Policy Committee	1997-present
CPT-5 Structure & Hierarchy Committee	1998
American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology,	
Jr. Fellow Chairman, Washington Section, District VIII	1984-1985
RBRVS Update Advisory Committee	1997-present
RBRVS Update Committee Alternate Delegate	1999-2000
Coding & Nomenclature Committee Liaison	1995-present
Representative AMA RVS Update Committee	2000-present
Member Committee on Quality Assessment	2000-2001
Fellow – American College of Obstetricians & Gynecologist	1987-present
Fellow – American College of Surgeons	1989-present
American Society of Reproductive Medicine	1986-present
American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists	
Board of Trustees	1986-1988,
Chairman, CME Committee;	1990-1993,
	1996- 2001
Executive Committee – Board of Trustees	1993-1994
President Elect	1994
President	1995
Chair, Department of OB/GYN	1991-1993
St. Francis Hospital	
Chair, Quality Assurance Committee	1991-1997
St. Francis Hospital	
American College of Physician Executives	
Alliance for Continuing Medical Education	1991-present
Association of Women Surgeons	1993-present
American Medical Women's Association	1990-present
International Pelvic Pain Society	
Founding Board Member	1997
Advisory Board Member	1998-present

Gynecologic Surgery Society	2002-present
Society of Pelvic & Reconstructive Surgeons	2002
International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health	2003-present
American Urogynecologic Society	2004-present

## Research Activities

Histological Findings in Traumatic and Electrical Injuries to the Bowel  
 Premenstrual Tension Syndrome  
 OB/GYN Devices  
 Sterilization Failure  
 Hysterectomy  
 Endoscopic Surgery  
 Electrosurgery, Complications, Cost-Effectiveness  
 Menopause and Hormone Replacement  
 Osteoporosis  
 Pelvic Pain  
 Surgical outcomes/quality

## Publications

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2. Soderstrom RM, Levy BS. Bowel Injuries During Laparoscopy- Causes and Medicolegal Questions, *Contemporary OB/GYN*, Vol. 27, No. 3, pp41-50, March 1986.
3. Soderstrom RM, Levy BS. Bipolar Symptoms- Do They Perform? *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, Vol. 69, No. 3, Part 1, March 1987.
4. Soderstrom RM, Levy BS, Engel T. Reducing Bipolar Sterilization Failures, *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, Vol. 14, No. 1, July 1989.
5. Martin D, Hubert G, Levy BS. Depth of Infiltration of Endometriosis, *Journal of Gynecologic Surgery*, Vol. 5, No. 1, 1989
6. Levy BS. Perforation of Large Vascular Structures. Corfman R., Diamond M, Decherney A. In: *Complications of Laparoscopy and Hysteroscopy*. Blackwell Scientific Publications, 1993; pp 33-37.
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8. Soderstrom RM, Levy BS. Medical & Legal Aspects of Laparoscopy. IN:Martin DC ed. *Manual of Endoscopy*. Baltimore Port City press 1990; pp53-55.
9. Levy BS, Soderstrom RM. Electrical Techniques of Sterilization. In: Martin DC ed. *Manual of Endoscopy*. Baltimore: Port City Press 1990; pp57-61.
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11. Soderstrom RM, Levinson C., Levy BS. Complications of Operative Laparoscopy. In: Soderstrom RD ed. Operative Laparoscopy The Masters' Technique. New York: Raven Press; 1993; pp 187-198
12. Levy BS. Perforation of Large Vascular Structures. Corfman RS, Diamond MP, DeCherney AH. eds. Complications of Laparoscopy and Hysteroscopy Second edition. Malden, Massachusetts: Blackwell Science, 1997; pp 26-29.
13. Levy BS. Editor-in-chief. Color Atlas Endoscopy. Santa Fe Springs: The American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists; 1993.
14. Martin DC, Levy BS. Laparoscopic Complications. In: Schlaff WD, Rock JA ed. Decision Making in Reproductive Endocrinology. Blackwell Scientific Publications, 1993: 415-418.
15. Levy BS, Hulka JF, Peterson HB, et al. Operative Laparoscopy: American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists 1993. Membership Survey. J. AM Assoc Gyn Lapar, Vol. 1, No. 4; August 1994.
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18. Levy BS. Carpenter R. Perioperative Pain Management. J AM Assoc Gyn Lapar, Vol. 2, No. 4; 1995.
19. Levy BS, Paratubal and Parovarian Cysts. In Adamson CD, Martin DC, eds. Endoscopic Management of Gynecologic Disease. Philadelphia: Lippincott-Raven Publishers; 1996 pp 219-221.
20. Levy BS. The Quality of Our Journey. J AM Assoc Gyn Lapar., Vol. 3, No. 2; 1996.
21. Levy BS. Complications. In Sanfilippo JS, Levine RL eds. Operative Gynecologic Laparoscopy- 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. New York: Springer-Verlag; 1996 pp 380-390.
22. Levy BS. Pelvic Pain: When is Laparoscopy in Order? OB Management; July 1996.
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