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Name: Allison Ramsey Soneru, MD

Education:

2005	B.A.	French Language and Literature; Media Studies	University of Virginia, School of Arts and Sciences
2008	(N/A)	Post-baccalaureate PreMedical Program	Columbia University, School of Continuing Studies
2012	M.D.	Medicine	Northwestern University's Feinberg School of Medicine

Postdoctoral Training:

July 2013 – June 2016	Resident Physician	Ophthalmology	Northwestern University / Northwestern Memorial Hospital
July 2016 – July 2017	Glaucoma Fellow	Ophthalmology	Tufts University / The New England Eye Center

Faculty Academic Appointments:

Nov 2018- present	Instructor	Ophthalmology	Harvard Medical School
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Appointments at Hospitals/Affiliated Institutions:

2018- present	Clinical Associate	Ophthalmology	Massachusetts Eye and Ear
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Other Professional Positions:

2017-2018	Glaucoma Specialist / Ophthalmologist	Pisacano Eye Surgery and Laser Specialists, Bronx NY
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Committee Service:

Local

2014-2016	Committee on Infection Control and Prevention	Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Chicago IL
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Professional Societies:

2017-present	American Glaucoma Society	Member
2015-present	Women in Ophthalmology	Member
2013-present	American Academy of Ophthalmology	Member

Report of Funded and Unfunded Projects

Unfunded Current Projects

2019-present	I will be compiling and writing up illustrative glaucoma cases to submit to the Grand Rounds Section of DJO (Digital Journal of Ophthalmology), alongside our trainees, to ultimately create a free and accessible searchable database of glaucoma cases for physicians and trainees
2019-present	I am investigating the effect of intranasal steroid sprays on intraocular pressure in patients with primary open angle glaucoma.

Report of Local Teaching and Training

Formal Teaching of Residents, Clinical Fellows and Research Fellows (post-docs):

2018 - present	Glaucoma Teaching session on the clinical management of glaucoma, for Ophthalmology Residents, at Boston Veterans Affairs hospital	I teach one half-hour (30 min) teaching session every 2 weeks.
2018-present	Glaucoma Junior Teaching Rotation Session	I teach a one-on-one session, 1 hour long, to the resident on their glaucoma rotation, 8 times per year
2019	ER chart review session, for Ophthalmology Residents	I teach one hour-long session, to a resident on their glaucoma rotation, several times per year
2019	Board Review Course for Ophthalmology Residents	I teach one hour of this 2-hour long formal course, which is held annually in February

Clinical Supervisory and Training Responsibilities:

2018-present	I staff clinic and OR at the Boston VA in Jamaica Plain with ophthalmology residents and glaucoma fellows for 2 full days per week. In addition I teach the anterior segment fellow in clinic and OR at MEEI, 3 to 5 days per month.	2-3 days per week, 25% of which is surgical training in the OR, and 75% of which is clinical training in the outpatient clinic.
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Formal Teaching of Peers (e.g., CME and other continuing education courses):

Those presentations below sponsored by outside entities are so noted and the sponsor is identified.

2017	Continuing Education Course for Optometrists: Part A. Clinical Diagnosis of Glaucoma. Part B. Update on MIGS procedures	3 hour continuing education course. Sponser: Pisacano Eye Surgery and Laser Specialists, Bronx NY
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Report of Clinical Activities and Innovations

Current Licensure and Certification:

2016-present	Massachusetts State License
2016-present	Massachusetts Controlled Substance License
2016-present	DEA
2017-present	New York State License
2018-present	Board Certified, Ophthalmology

Practice Activities:

2018-present	Clinical and supervisory training	Mass Eye and Ear, Boston	2 sessions of clinic per week, and 1-2 sessions of OR per month
2018-present	Clinical and supervisory training	Mass Eye and Ear, Stoneham	1 session per week
2018-present	Clinical and supervisory training	VA Boston, Jamaica Plain	3 sessions of clinic and 1 session of OR per week

*1 session = 1 half-day (AM or PM)

Report of Education of Patients and Service to the Community

No presentations below were sponsored by outside entities

Activities

- 2011 As a Global Health Fellow, performed visual acuity testing to patients in rural communities outside of Accra, fitted patients for glasses, and educated patients on eye medications and eye health
- 2013-2015 Volunteered in Northwestern Chapter of Respectacles, collecting donated glasses, organized meetings and uploaded prescriptions and photos of donated glasses onto the Respectacles.org database
- 2014 Spent an away elective during residency at the Grewal Eye Institute, in Chandigarh, India, performing medical outreach and cataract surgeries
- 2015-2016 I organized Northwestern Ophthalmology Department involvement and then volunteered at Community Health Clinic, Chicago seeing uninsured patients, one evening clinic per month.

Report of Scholarship

Non-peer reviewed scholarship in print or other media:

Books/textbooks for the medical or scientific community

Chapter co-author, Ocular Manifestations of Neurologic Diseases. Levin, A. Enzenauer, R. The Eye in Pediatric Systemic Disease, Springer 2017. (pp.491-516)

Abstracts, Poster Presentations and Exhibits Presented at Professional Meetings:

Presenting author, ARVO 2014, Orlando, FL. Soneru, A, Munk, M, Fawzi, A, Lin, P, Goldstein DA. Multimodal Imaging in Birdshot Chorioretinopathy. Ophthalmology, Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago, IL. April 2014

Presenting author, ARVO 2016, Seattle, WA. Soneru, A, Shah, S, Sigulinsky, K, Tanna, AP. Classification of Hypotony Maculopathy. Ophthalmology, Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago IL. May 2016

Presenting author, Chicago Ophthalmologic Society, Chicago, IL Soneru, A, Rahmani, B. Case Presentation: Primary Congenital Glaucoma. Ophthalmology, Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago IL, June 2016

Presenting author, Chandler Grant Glaucoma Society. Soneru, A. Case Presentation: Malignant Glaucoma, June 2017

Presenting author, AGS 2018, New York, NY. Subconjunctival Bleb Revisions with Mitomycin-C, Performed In Office. Ophthalmology, Tufts / New England Eye Center, Boston, MA. March 2018.

Narrative Report

I am a clinician-scientist and educator who specializes in the medical and surgical management of glaucoma. I completed my ophthalmology residency at Northwestern in Chicago, and my glaucoma

fellowship at Tufts University in Boston. I then joined the faculty at Massachusetts Eye and Ear, where I provide clinical care and supervise trainees.

My clinical interests and expertise revolve around various primary and secondary forms of glaucoma. I am actively involved in clinical work, providing treatment for patients afflicted with glaucoma, as well as cataracts, uveitis, and other eye diseases that can often contribute to glaucoma. I receive referrals from colleagues locally and regionally. My research interests focus on novel surgical techniques in glaucoma, as well as educational tools for training.

I have been actively involved in teaching, training, and supervision of medical students, residents, and fellows since I joined the faculty at Mass Eye and Ear. My goal is to provide excellent clinical care to my patients, and excellent training to our trainees, every day. On a larger scale, through my teaching, clinical research, and my involvement with professional societies, I seek to improve the lives of patients with glaucoma