

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**NAME** Paul W. Santoro, CRNA, MS

**LICENSURE** Michigan State Board of Nursing  
Registered Nurse  
1980 to Present  
Certified Registered Nurse – Specialty Certification  
1984 to Present

**CERTIFICATION** Council on Re-Certification of Nurse Anesthetists  
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist  
1985 to Present

Council on Certification of Nurse Anesthetists  
Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist  
1984

American Heart Association  
Basic Cardiac Life Support Provider  
1980 to Present  
Advanced Cardiac Life Support Provider  
1985 to Present  
Neonatal Resuscitation Provider  
1993 to 1995

**EDUCATION** Henry Ford Hospital School of Nursing  
Diploma, 1980

Henry Ford Hospital/University of Detroit  
Program of Nurse Anesthesia  
Certificate, 1984

University of Detroit  
Bachelor of Science, 1986 (Magna Cum Laude)

Henry Ford Hospital/University of Detroit  
Graduate Program of Nurse Anesthesia  
Master of Science in Nurse Anesthesiology, 1988

**PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS** President  
Ambulatory Surgery Consultants, Inc.  
1995 to Present

Member, Board of Directors (Principal Owner)  
Mid-West Anesthesia Consultants (Anesthesia Billing and Consulting)  
2006 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Practice Director  
Cheboygan Memorial Hospital  
2005 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Michigan Surgery Center

**PROFESSIONAL  
POSITIONS**  
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2005 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
The Surgery Center, Flint  
2005 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Michigan Endoscopy Center  
2003 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Great Lakes Surgery Center  
2005 to Present

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Lakes Surgery Center  
2005 to Present

Clinical Director  
Center for Advanced Clinical Education  
2003 to 2005

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Lansing/Genesis Surgery Centers  
2002 to Present

President  
Comprehensive Anesthesia Services  
1991 to 1995

Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
Genesys Regional Medical Center  
1997 to Present

Great Lakes Anesthesia Associates, P.C.  
Chief Anesthetist  
1997 to 1999  
Consultant  
1999 to Present

McPherson Hospital  
Staff Anesthetist, Contingent  
1996 to 1997

Harbor Beach Community Hospital  
Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
1995 to 2005

Michigan Hospital and Medical Center  
Allied Health Member, Medical Staff  
1994 to 1996  
Medical Staff Quality Assessment Committee

Saber-Salisbury and Associates  
Director of Contract Management Services

1991 to 1994

**PROFESSIONAL  
POSITIONS**  
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Hurley Medical Center/University of Michigan-Flint  
Graduate Program of Nurse Anesthesia  
Adjunct Clinical Faculty  
1992 to 1995  
1998 to Present

Hurley Medical Center  
Staff Anesthetist, Contingent  
1993 to 1995

Henry Ford Hospital  
Administrative Coordinator, Nurse Anesthesia Services  
1989 to 1991  
CPR Committee  
Equipment Committee  
Practice Committee  
Anesthesia Quality Assurance Committee  
Operating Room Quality Assurance  
Subcommittee  
Staff Anesthetist  
1984 to 1991  
Cardiac Anesthesia Team  
1986 to 1991  
Staff Nurse/Charge Nurse, CICU and SICU  
1980 to 1982

Henry Ford Hospital/University of Detroit Graduate Program of  
Nurse Anesthesia  
Adjunct Clinical Faculty, Clinical Instructor  
1985 to 1991  
Advisory Committee  
Evaluation Committee  
Clinical Education Committee  
Research Committee

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS**

American Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
Associate Member, 1982 to 1984  
Active Practicing Member, 1984 to Present  
ASTM Committee F29, Anesthesia and  
Respiratory Equipment  
1990 to 1992  
Strategic Planning Committee Task Force  
on Locum Tenens  
1991  
Advisory Group on Locum Tenens and Self  
Employed CRNA's  
1993 to 1994  
CRNA PAC  
Board of Directors, 1995 to 1997 and 2001 to 2002

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS**  
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Bylaws Committee  
1998 to 1999  
Public Relations Committee

1999 to 2000  
Region 3 Director  
2000 to 2002  
Practice Committee  
2006-2007  
Treasurer  
2007-2008  
Executive Committee  
2007-2008  
Finance Committee  
2007-2008  
State Organizational Development Committee  
2007-2008  
Anesthesia Payment Advisory Panel  
2007-2008  
The Commission on Anesthesia Economics and  
Reimbursement  
2007-2008  
AANA Association Management Services, Inc.  
Director, 2007-2008

Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
Associate Member, 1982 to 1984  
Active Practicing Member, 1984 to Present  
Senior Consultant  
1994 to 1995  
President  
1993 to 1994  
President-Elect  
1992 to 1993  
Director, District II  
1990 to 1992  
Finance Committee  
1992 to 1994  
Ad Hoc Committee on Direct Reimbursement  
1992 to 1994  
Coalition of Michigan Organizations of Nurses  
Delegate, 1990 to 1992  
Chair, 1991  
Government Relations Committee  
Member, 1988 to Present  
Chair, 1990 to 1992  
Co-Chair, 2004 to 2006  
Professional Relations & Economics Committee  
Member, 1988 to 1990  
Nominating Committee  
Member, 1988 to 1989  
Chair, 1994 to 1995  
MANA PAC  
Chair, 1995 to 1996  
Member, 1995 to Present

**PROFESSIONAL  
MEMBERSHIPS**  
(continued)

Medical Group Management Association  
Anesthesia Administrator Assembly  
2004 to Present

American Nurses Association  
Active Practicing Member,  
1991 to Present

Michigan Nurses Association  
Active Practicing Member,  
1991 to Present  
Legislative Committee  
1993 to 1995  
Advanced Practice Council  
Member, 1991 to Present  
Executive Committee, 1994 to 1995

American Association of Critical Care Nurses  
Active Practicing Member,  
1980 to 1982

**PRESENTATIONS**

Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists,  
“Anesthesia for the Patient with Intracranial  
Hypertension and Intracranial Aneurysm”,  
Traverse City, Michigan  
October, 1986

“Clinical Safety in Anesthesia: Ambulatory Surgery Centers”  
Las Vegas, Nevada  
May, 2007

American Association of Nurse Anesthetists,  
“Managing Organizational Relationships”  
November, 1998  
“Infusion Pump Workshop”, Instructor  
August, 1994  
“Developing Economic and Professional Alliances-  
The Michigan Experience”  
April, 1995  
“Hands-On Invasive Monitoring Workshop”, Instructor  
August, 1991  
“The Impact of Medicare Reimbursement Cuts on Private  
CRNA Practice”  
AANA Board of Directors  
June, 2007

Henry Ford Hospital/University of Detroit-Mercy, Graduate  
Program of Nurse Anesthesia, Detroit, Michigan  
Anesthesia and Co-Existing Disease: Perioperative  
Management of Intracranial Hypertension and Aneurysm  
1984  
Anesthesia Seminar/Senior Review  
1985  
Anesthesia Principles II/Neuroanesthesia,  
1986 to 1991  
Perspectives on Effective Clinical Instruction,  
1986

**PRESENTATIONS**  
(continued)

Seminar on Clinical Evaluation, “The Evaluation Tool:  
Working Out the Grades”  
1986, 1987

Anesthesia Principles IV/Neuroanesthesia,  
Anesthetic Management of Severe Head Injury,  
Space Occupying Lesions & Vascular Malformation  
1989

Professional Aspects: The CRNA's Role in  
Influencing Public Policy  
1991 to 1994

Professional Aspects: The CRNA's Role in Alternative  
Practice Settings  
1992, 1999 to 2000

Professional Dimensions: Independent Practice  
1993

Wayne State University Graduate Program of Nurse  
Anesthesia, Detroit, Michigan

Professional Dimensions: Anesthesia Contract Management  
1992

Perspectives on Effective Clinical Instruction  
1986

Hurley Medical Center/University of Michigan-Flint  
Graduate Program of Nurse Anesthesia, Flint, Michigan

The Business of Anesthesia  
2002, 2003, 2006

Principles: Trauma Anesthesia  
1993 to 1995

Professional Dimensions: The CRNA's Role in Influencing  
Public Policy  
1993, 1994

Oakland University/William Beaumont Hospital Graduate Program of  
Nurse Anesthesia, Royal Oak, Michigan

The Business of Anesthesia  
July, 2007

Project Muscle '93, Lansing, Michigan

"Third Party Reimbursement for Advanced Practice Nurses"  
March, 1993

Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists Students, "Current Issues  
in Nurse Anesthesia Practice", Royal Oak, MI,

Feb. 2008

Oakland University School of Nursing, "Envision Nursing 2008:  
Promoting Entrepreneurial Nursing Steering Committee"

## **TESTIMONY**

The Michigan Senate Health Policy Committee,  
Senate Bill 1137

Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
May 18, 1994

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Alisoglu RM, Naglehout, J, Kyff JV, Perov S, Santoro, P.W.  
Scarsella J: The Reversal of Pipecuronium with  
Pyridostigmine, CRNA: The Clinical Forum for Nurse  
Anesthesists, vol 6, no 1, 1995, pg 43-45.

**HONORS/AWARDS**

Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year 2007 Central Great Lake  
Region – Finalist

Oakland University School of Nursing, Board of Visitors  
2007 to Present

“Who’s Who in Healthcare”  
2007 to Present