

Marco A. Garcia, M.D.

Specialty: Internal Medicine

Biography:

Dr. Marco A. Garcia was born in Havana, Cuba in 1966. Since his youth he had a vision, his love for medicine inspired him to become a Doctor.

With dedication and hard work he Graduated Medical School in 1990 from "The Higher Institute of Medical Sciences of Havana" in Cuba. He received the Valedictorian award for being the highest ranked student amongst his peers. Marco A. Garcia was promoted to Chief resident at the Mario Munoz Monroe Hospital in Matanzas for his high scores and great merits as a student.

After many years of Internal Medicine training in some of the most recognizable hospitals in Cuba, he graduated with honors and became an Internal Medicine Doctor in 1993. He was then promoted again this time as the Chief of the Internal Medicine Department at the same hospital. He was responsible for patient care, management, overseeing medical staff, residents and students. His vast knowledge and training allowed him to manage medical research and also taught third year medical undergraduate students.

In 1996, Dr. Marco A. Garcia immigrated to the United States. Then with no knowledge of the language but eager to show his abilities in the field he rapidly learned and prepared for the USMLE and TOEFL exams. He successfully passed all the required exams with high scores a year later.

In 1997, Dr. Marco A. Garcia volunteered as an observer at Lenox Hill Hospital in New York City, playing a significant role participating on a regular basis in all Medical Department conferences of Internal Medicine morning reports and group reports, compiling data and tuberculosis surveillance. Dr. Garcia completed the Internal Medicine residency at the North Shore University Hospital at Forest Hills from 1998 to 2001. As resident of Internal Medicine he provided care for a diverse group of patients with both established and undifferentiated medical needs, he had the privilege of working alongside clinician investigators who are pioneering innovative approaches to patient care.

In 2001 upon completion of his residency, he successfully became certified by the prestigious. "American Board of Internal Medicine. Soon after, Dr. Marco Garcia was hired to work in Elmhurst Hospital in Queens as an attending physician at the Diagnostic Clinic (Ambulatory Care), having the final responsibility, legally and otherwise, for patient care. It was during this same period that Dr. Garcia, after gaining so many years of experience in the medical field decided to open his first private practice offering quality medical care to the community. In April 2011 Dr. Marco A. Garcia successfully completed his recertification with the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Dr. Garcia has continued to pioneer and pave the way towards a medical experience unlike any other. Always keeping in mind what is most important and beneficial to his patients. He continues to prove that with perseverance and endless dedication one can accomplish many special things. One special thing that stands alone from all the rest is having the capability to bring a positive influence into so many lives.

