

Dr. Gershon Ejeckam – Curriculum Vitae

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 FRCP (Canada), Nov. 1977
 Dip. American Board of Pathology, Nov. 1977
 MRCPATH (UK), June 1978
 FCAP (USA), 1981 Now Associate Fellow
 FRCPath (UK) 1993
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**Present Position Chief Consultant Pathologist & Head Clinical
 Laboratories**
 Dept. of Lab. Medicine, Anatomic Pathology
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Present Research Interest: My research interest include Liver, Prostate and Barrett's esophagus. Neoplasia

Education:

High School (WASC) : Ihome Memorial Grammar School,
Ndizuogu . Nigeria. 1956-1960

Medical Training : M.B.B.S., University of Ibadan, Nigeria;
1964-1967; 1970-1972.

Rotating Internship : University of Nigeria Teaching Hospital 1972-
1973

Postgraduate Training:

Resident I : University College Hospital,
Ibadan, Nigeria, Aug. 1973- June 1974
Surgical & Autopsy Pathology

Resident II-V

University of Ottawa, Canada
Program: Hospitals

1. Ottawa General Hospital
2. Ottawa Civic Hospital
3. Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario
4. Canadian Tumor Reference Center

Resident II : 6 months: Surgical Pathology (General & Gynec.)
6 months Autopsy
July 1974 to June 1975

- Resident III : 6 months Hematopathology
4 months Neuropathology
2 months Pediatric Pathology
July 1975 to June 1976
- Resident IV : 3 months - Cytology
2 months - Pediatric Pathology
1 month - Immunopathology Techniques
4 months - Surgical Pathology (General and Gynec.)
2 months Autopsy
July 1976 to June 1977.
- Resident V : 3 months - Autopsy
3 months - Surgical Pathology (General and Gynec.)
6 months – Oncology(Canadian Tumor Reference
Center
July 1977 to June 1978

POSITIONS HELD

- 1 Associate Clinical Professor and Staff Pathologist
Memorial University of Newfoundland & Health Science
Center, St John's Newfoundland, Canada
2002-2006
2. **Consultant -"A"**
Head, Division of Anatomic Pathology
Consultant In-charge, Histopathology Section
And Continuing Medical Education,
Department of Laboratory Medicine & Pathology,
Hamad Medical Corporation, Doha - Qatar.
1989-2002.

Had Acted as Chairman of the Department of
Laboratory Medicine and Pathology on several
occasions.
- 2 . Medical Director; General Medical Investigations and

Diagnostic Center ABAKPANIKE Enugu Nigeria 1984-1989. (A privately owned outfit).

3. Senior Lecturer, Dept of Morbid Anatomy (Anatomic Pathology) University of Nigeria and Consultant Histopathologist, University of Nigeria Teaching Hospital, Enugu Nigeria; 1983- 1984.
4. Assistant Professor, Dept of Laboratory Medicine and Pathology, Memorial University of Newfoundland St. John's and Staff Anatomic Pathologist, Grace General Hospital St. John's Nfld Canada; 1980--1983.
5. Senior Lecturer, Dept of Morbid Anatomy (Anatomic Pathology) University of Nigeria and Consultant Histopathologist, University of Nigeria Teaching Hospital, Enugu Nigeria; 1978-1980
6. Visiting Professor of Pathology, Faculty of Medicine Abia State University , Uturu, Nigeria. From 1998.

SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS & COURSES ATTENDED:

1. Canadian Association of Pathologists, Halifax, June 1976 workshop on:
 - a) Breast Cancer
 - b) Problems of Lymph node Interpretation
2. International Academy of Pathology, Toronto, March, 1976, Course - Immunopathology Techniques (Renal and Skin)
3. Forensic Pathology Course, Toronto, March 1976.
4. American Society of Clinical Pathology, Boston, USA, June 1977 Course.
 - a) Liver Biopsy Interpretation

b) Rheumatoid Arthritis.

5. Tutorial on Neoplastic Hematopathology by Henry Rapport et al, November 15-19, 1982, Chicago, USA
6. International Academy of Pathology; Pathology Update Ann Arbor Michigan USA, August 1991.
Courses taken in Pathology of the following; Breast; Lung, Hematopathology, Cardiovascular, Thyroid Genitourinary, Renal, Skin, Gynecologic, Liver, Soft tissue Bone, and Gastrointestinal.
7. American Society of Clinical Pathologist and College of American Pathologist Conference. Orlando Florida USA, October 16th - 22nd 1993.
Courses taken in the following topics.
i) Immunocytochemistry of tumors, Recent Progress;
ii) Application of DNA ploidy determination and cell cycle . Analysis in Surgical Pathology; iii) Practical Placental Pathology; iv) Diagnostic Problems in Surgical Pathology of the Gastrointestinal Tract; v) Interpretation of Uterine Curettings;
vi) Fine Needle Aspiration of the Lymph node; vii) Inflammatory and Infectious Disorders of the Hepatobiliary System; viii) Surgical Pathology of Lymph node.
8. Pathology Update, Vancouver July 1997
ASCP - (American Society of Clinical Pathologists)
9. ASCP\CAP FALL MEETING in SAN DIEGO , USA. October 13-19 2000.
10. ASCP. Pathology Update for Practising Pathologists Vancouver July 13-17 2003.

11. Surgical Pathology for the Practising Pathologist
Whistler Resort, BC. By Havard Medical School & University of
British Columbia. July 31- August 3, 2007.

Committee Membership

1. Chairman Surgical Review Committee
Health Science Centre, The General Hospital
Health Care Corporation of St. John's
St John's, Newfoundland. 2003.

- 2 Chairman, Tissue Committee,
Hamad Medical Corporation. 1996 -2001

3. Chairman, Tumor Board,
Hamad Medical Corporation. 1998 -1999

4. Chairman, Staff Evaluation and Development
Department of Laboratory Medicine & Pathology
Hamad Medical Corporation 1996 -

5. Vice Chairman and organizer,
Cancer Screening and Education Committee
Qatar National Cancer Society, Doha, Qatar.

6. Member, University Teaching Sub-Committee.
Memorial University of Newfoundland,
St. John's NFLD, Canada . 1981 - 1983
 - i) Sub-Committee for General Pathology
 - ii) Endocrine Teaching Sub-Committee
 - iii) Sub-Committee for Anatomic Pathology.

7. Member, University Teaching Sub-Committee,
University of Ottawa, Canada, July 1976 - June 1977

- i) Post-graduate Training Program Committee in Pathology
- ii) Sub-Committee for General Pathology
- iii) Sub-Committee for Anatomic Pathology

SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATIONS:

Fellow, American Society of Clinical Pathologist
 Member, Nigerian Medical Association.
 Associate Editor, Orient Journal of Medicine
 (Nigerian Medical Association Publication)
 Former Member, Canadian Association of Pathologists
 Former Member, International Academy of Pathologists
 Former Member, New York Academy of Science
 Former Chairman, Continuing Medical Education
 Committee, 1988-1989
 Nigerian Medical Association, Enugu Zone
 Former Chairman, Nigerian Medical Association,
 Enugu Zone (Anambra State), Nigeria 1989-1990.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS:

1. Attah, E.B. and **EJECKAM, G.C.** Clinico-Pathologic Correlation in Fatal Malaria. *Trop. Geogr. Med.*, (4) 359-361, 1974.
2. **EJECKAM, G.C.** and Attah, E.B. Pattern of Secondary Adrenal Tumors in Ibadan, Nigeria. *Int. Surg.*, 60: (6-7), 368-369 1975..
3. Junaid, T.A., Ani, A.N. and **EJECKAM, G.C.** Dermatofibrosarcoma Protuberans in the Parotid Gland: A case report. *Brit. J. Oral Surg.*, 12 (2), 298-301, 1975.
4. **EJECKAM G.C.** and Attah, E.B. The Thyroid Gland in Kwashiorkor: A Pathologic Study. *J. Trop. Pediatric.*, 21: (6), 298-300, 1975.
5. Abioye, A.A., and **EJECKAM, G.C.** Silent Appendicitis in Ibadan, Nigeria (A study of 184 consecutive autopsies). *Int. Surg.*, 62. 501-502, 1977.
6. **EJECKAM, G.C.** Diffuse Cavernous Hemangioma of the Spleen. *Can. J. Surg.*, 19: (4), 354-356, 1976.
7. **EJECKAM, G.C.** and Al-Jabi, M. Multiple Primary Malignant tumors: Rare Combination in the Stomach. *Int. Surg.*, 64, 19-22, 1979.
8. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Orizaga, M., Gerin-Lajoie, J. and Castillo. Intravascular Angiomatosis of the Pharynx: A case report. *Brit. J. Oral Surg.*, 16: 105-110, 1978.
9. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Ivan L.P. and Norman M.G. Primary Intracranial Embryonal Carcinoma with Ultrastructural Studies. *Can. Journal Neurol. Sci.* 5. 447-450, 1978..
10. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Abele, R., Thomas J. and Heringer, R. Abdominal Crisis following Metastasizing Lung Carcinoma to the Small Bowel. *Can. Journal Surgery* . 22 351-353, 1979.
11. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Sogbein, S.K., Mcleish, W.A.. Carcinocythemia due to metastatic Oat-cell Carcinoma of the Lung. *Can. Med. Ass. J.*, 120: 336-338, 1979.

12. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Huang, S. N.; McCaughey W.T.E., Gold P. Immunohistopathologic study on Carcinoembryonic antigen (and like material and Immunoglobulin A) in Gastric Malignancies. *Cancer*. 44: 1606-1614, 1979.
13. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Tolnai, G., Sarkar, K., McCaughey, W.T.E. Renal Oncocytoma, *Urology*. 14: 186-189, 1979.
14. Sarkar., K., **EJECKAM, G.C.**, McCaughey, W.T.E., Tolnai G. Oncocytic Tumor of the Kidney (so-called "Renal Oncocytoma"), *Lab. Invest* 40: 282, 1979.
15. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Siddiqui, N., Mukherjee, D.L.O., and Ikerionwu, S.E. Esthesioneuroblastoma;. Report of two cases in Nigeria: *J. of Laryngology and Otology*, 94: 1081-1085, 1980.
16. V.E. Eguwuatu, **G.C.EJECKAM** and J. Okaro. Burkitt's Lymphoma of the Vulva. *Brit. J. of Obst. and Gynec.* 67: 827-830, 1980.
17. Eguwuatu, V.E. and **EJECKAM, G.C.** Gynecological Tumors in Enugu, Nigeria. *Cancer Bulletin (Bull. Cancer)*. 67: 534-538, 1980.
18. **EJECKAM, G.C.** and Okoroma, E. Reye's Syndrome in a Nigerian Child: A case report. *Nig. J. of Pediatr.* 7: 51-54, 1980.
19. J.E. Ogbuokiri and **EJECKAM, G.C.** Extra pulmonary Tuberculosis in Enugu. A clinicopathologic study with special emphasis on Treatment regimen - *Ghana Med. Journal*, 19: 143-145, 1980.
20. A.O. Ibekwe and **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Tuberculosis of the Larynx mimicking carcinoma of the Larynx. *Ghana Med. J.* 121-123, 1980.
21. O.O.Mbonu, **EJECKAM, G.C.**, A.C. Ude. Diffuse Cavernous Hemangioma in Wandering spleen. *Ghana Med. J.*
22. **EJECKAM, G.C.** and Ibekwe, A. O. Myositis Ossificans Masquerading as Burkitt's Lymphoma of Maxilla in a Nigerian Boy. *Trop Geogr. Med.* 33: 197-199, 1981.

23. **EJECKAM, G.C.**, Idikio, H., Nayak, V, Gardiner, P. Malignant Transformation in an anal Condyloma Acuminatum. *Can. J. Surg.* 26: 170-172, 1983.
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- hyperplasia with Eosinophilia. Two case reports with Immunoperoxidase Studies. *Orient J. Med.* 3 (2) 128-131, 1991.
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 35. Ahmed A.B. Shehata, **Gershon C. EJECKAM**, Calcifying Odontogenic cyst associated with compound Odontoma - A case report *Orient J. of Med.* 3: 229-231, 1991.
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 39. **Gershon C. EJECKAM**, Omer A. Zeinab, Mariam Salman, Hartmut E. Bobeck. Giant Adenomyotic cyst of the Uterus. *Brit. J. of Obs. & Gynec* 100: 596--598, 1993.
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Gruzlica brzuszna; analiza Kliniczno-radiologiczna
(Abdominal tuberculosis; a clinical –radiological analysis,

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55. **EJECKAM G.C.**, Fatima Abdulla Ahmed, Asma bin Al Ali, Waheed A.S. Sharkawy. Thyroid Carcinoma in Qatar. Orient Med. Journal. 10. 8-11, 1998.

56. Agustin Chong Lopez. Abdulrazzak Haider, **Gershon C. Ejeckam**, Anitha Ramakrishna, Sheikha Al Thani, Nawal Al Ansari. EDEMA MASIVODEL OVARIO. Una entidad poco diagnosticada. II Spanish –American Virtual Congress of Pathology. Spain 1998. <http://conganat.uninet.edu/IICVAP/posters/077/index.htm>

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59. AlsSaka M., **EJECKAM G.C.**, U. Al Homsy., H Sharara., M El Emadi., I Helmy., A. Chong Lopez. Chorionic gonadotrophin-secreting adrenal cortical carcinoma (ACC) mimicking a malignant trophoblastic disease. A case report. Brit. J of Obstet. & Gynaec. 106. 989-991 1999.

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61. **Gershon C. Ejeckam**. Mary Joseph. Fatima Abdulla. Nazeeh El Dweik. Response of viral Hepatitis B and C to interferon alpha treatment; Possible Role of MGP-positive lymphoid cells; A preliminary study. Qatar Medical Journal. 9.25-29 2000.

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Diffuse Sclerosing Variant of Papillary Thyroid Carcinoma.
Qatar Medical Journal: 12, 51-52. 2003.

63. Ajani OA **Ejeckam GC** Raza A. Hemangiopericytoma presenting as acute subdural haematoma. C British Journal of Neurosurgery ; 17 (6) 559-561, 2004.

64. **Ejeckam G C**, Al Ansari N, Ida Lopez A. Cytological Grading of Breast Cancer. Why Bother. Qatar Med. Journal. 122. (2) 116—119. 2004

65. George M. Yousef, **Gershon C. Ejeckam** Leonico M. Best, Eleftherios P Diamadis: Collecting Duct Carcinoma Associated with Oncocytoma International Braz. J. Urol. 31.(5) 465-469, 2005

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2. Essentials of Medico-Legal Autopsy;
Fourth Dimension Publishers, Enugu, Nigeria, 1992.
3. Unprovoked Family Violence in the West: African Perspectives. Trafford Publishing Co., Vancouver Canada.