

Evan M. Pushchak

Education:

Undergraduate:

University of Colorado at Boulder, Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, May 2006, with distinction

Undergraduate Academic Honors:

Colorado Dean's Scholar, 2003-2005 (awarded to top $\approx 1\%$ of students)

Phi Beta Kappa honors society, inducted fall 2005

Deans List, all semesters eligible

Recipient of the Justin Parker Memorial Clinical Research Scholarship

Undergraduate Medical Education:

University of Colorado Denver School of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine, Class of 2010

Undergraduate Medical Honors:

Alpha Omega Alpha honors society

Graduate Medical Education:

Residency: Northwestern University, Emergency Medicine, Class of 2014

Research and Journal Work:

Lab Work:

University of Colorado Health Sciences Cancer Center

Position: Summer Research Fellow, Modiano Lab; May- August 2004

Advisor: Jaime Modiano, DVM, PhD

Clinical Research:

Boulder Neurosurgical Associates, Boulder, CO

Position: Research Assistant May 2005- May 2006

Advisors: Sigita Burneikiene, MD, and Alan Villavicencio, MD

Journal Editorial Positions:

FORMS undergraduate philosophy journal, University of Colorado, fall 2004- May 2006. Co-founding editor of entirely student run journal

Publications:

1. Villavicencio AT, **Pushchak E**, Burneikiene S, Thramann JJ. The Safety of Instrumented Outpatient Anterior Cervical Discectomy and Fusion. The Spine Journal. Mar-Apr;7(2):148-53, 2007.

Presentations:

1. Villavicencio AT, Burneikiene S, McNeely L, **Pushchak EM**, McIntyre M, Thramann JJ. Patterns of CyberKnife Treatment Failure for Primary and Recurrent Glioblastoma Multiforme. 5th Annual CyberKnife Users' Meeting, Carlsbad, CA, January 25 – 28, 2006.
2. Villavicencio AT, Burneikiene S, **Pushchak E**, Thramann JJ. Clinical Outcome in Patients Undergoing Anterior Cervical Discectomy and Fusion Using Anterior

Plating System. AANS/CNS Section on Disorders of the Spine and Peripheral Nerves 22nd Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida. March 15-18, 2006.

3. Villavicencio AT, Burneikiene S, **Pushchak E**, Thramann JJ. The Safety of Outpatient Anterior Cervical Discectomy and Fusion. AANS 74th Annual Meeting *"Meeting the Challenges of Neurosurgery: Expanding Resources for a Growing Population"*, San Francisco, California. April 22-27, 2006.

4. Villavicencio AT, Burneikiene S, Lipani JD, Romanelli P, McNeely L, Fariselli L, McIntyre M, **Pushchak EM**, Broggi G, Adler JR, Thramann JJ. Survival Comparison of Newly Diagnosed and Recurrent Glioblastoma Multiforme Treated with CyberKnife Radiosurgery. CNS 2006 Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, October 7 – 12, 2006.

5. Villavicencio AT, Burneikiene S, Lipani JD, Romanelli P, McNeely L, Fariselli L, McIntyre M, **Pushchak EM**, Broggi G, Chang SD, Adler JR, Thramann JJ. Patterns of CyberKnife Treatment Failure for Primary and Recurrent Glioblastoma Multiforme. Multicenter Experience. 6th Annual CyberKnife Users' Meeting, Palm Springs, California, January 24-28, 2007.

6. Burneikiene S, Villavicencio AT, Lipani JD, Romanelli P, McNeely L, Fariselli L, McIntyre M, **Pushchak EM**, Broggi G, Chang SD, Adler JR, Thramann JJ. Patterns of CyberKnife Treatment Failure for Primary and Recurrent Glioblastoma Multiforme. Multicenter Experience. 8th Bi-annual Congress of the International Stereotactic Radiosurgery Society, San Francisco, California, June 23 - 27, 2007.

7. Villavicencio AT, Nelson EL, **Pushchak EM**, Burneikiene S. The Risk Assessment of Outpatient Anterior Cervical Discectomy and Fusion with Instrumentation. AANS/CNS Section on Disorders of the Spine and Peripheral Nerves, Orlando, Florida, February 27 - March 1, 2008.

Occupational Experience:

Business manager, CU Buffoons a cappella group, University of Colorado, Boulder. Performer August 2002- May 2006, manager August 2003- May 2006. Yearly performances of 40-60 shows, management of the group, bookings, public relations, and \$20,000-30,000 in annual income

Waiter, Washington Park Grille, Denver, CO, May 2006- December 2006

Volunteer Work:

Boys and Girls Club, Alamosa and Denver, Colorado. Mentor and developer of tobacco prevention/education program that was delivered in conjunction with 9News health fairs in Denver and Greeley

Warren Village Pediatrics Clinic. Free clinic attached to transitional housing for single parent families

Volunteer at Swedish Medical Center, Denver, CO. May 2003- August 2003.
Founder of Emergency Medicine Volunteer program

Medical School Activities:

School of Medicine representative to the External Curricular Review of the Interprofessional Ethics Course

Student representative to the search committee for Senior Associate Dean for Education

Student representative to the Humanities Ethics and Professionalism Curriculum Thread committee

Course representative positions: Interprofessional Ethics Courses, Physician as Educator course, Cardiovascular, Pulmonary, and Renal Systems Block

Emergency Medicine Interest Group

Professional Society Membership:

American College of Emergency Physicians

Emergency Medicine Residents' Association

Interests:

Food, music, biking, hiking, skiing, scuba diving, traveling, golf, poker, singing