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### **DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC /MEDICAL, HEALTHCARE EXECUTIVE**

*Currently employed by:*  
*Synergy Medical Center®*  
*Top Medical Center*  
*Dubai, United Arab Emirates*

Ambitious, success-driven Healthcare Executive with over 28 years of success in leading and managing clinic operations. Accomplished in building high performance, patient-focused teams. Dynamic, engaging communicator experienced in delivering public presentations, and raising funds for third-world cancer victims. Multi-lingual with worldwide travel experience in the United States of America, Europe, and the Middle East.

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### **BIOGRAPHY**

**DR. NEDA NAFEI** has been in practice since 1991 with clinical specialty in soft tissue and musculoskeletal injuries from sports injuries, car accidents, industrial injuries and chronic conditions. She has extensive training and advanced certifications in diagnosis, treatment and management of whiplash associated disorders and chronic conditions such as arthritis and rehabilitation management of chronic musculoskeletal conditions. She has provided expert testimonials in California courts in the areas of motor vehicle crash parameters, injury biomechanics, human factors, diagnosis and chiropractic management, prognosis and disability. Currently she is the consultant chiropractor for many fitness clubs and gyms and sports teams such as Rugby, Boxing, Sky Diving, and Football teams in Dubai conducting member's spinal and postural assessments and lectures and helping the club and team members with any musculoskeletal injuries and questions.

### **EDUCATION**

- High school diploma from Iran
- Undergraduate studies at Tehran University in Physical Therapy

- Undergraduate studies at De Anza College and San Jose State University in California, USA
- 1991-Graduate from Palmer college of Chiropractic as a Doctor of Chiropractic
- Certified Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation Specialist by the Orthopedic Department of UC San Diego, School of Medicine
- Applied Science of Biomechanical Engineering (ASBE) in 1992
- Whiplash Mastery Program Offered by Spine Research Institute of San Diego in 1992
- Extensive training in X-ray and special imaging studies courses leading to achieve a degree of DACBR(Diplomat of Chiropractic Board of Radiologists)
- Certified Industrial Disability evaluator specializing in Worker's compensation evaluation for the state of California
- Qualified Medical Evaluator (QME) in California until 2009, when relocating to UAE

#### **LICENSURES AND CERTIFICATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

- California State Chiropractic License
- CPR as professional rescuer, Community CPR, and Community First Aid and Safety
- License to Practice Chiropractic by Department of Health in Dubai since 2003
- Member of Emirates Chiropractic Association
- Member of Eastern Mediterranean and Middle East Chiropractic Federation
- Practicing FAKTR method (Functional and Kinetic Treatment with Rehab)

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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- Currently practicing at Synergy Integrated Medical center and Top Medical Center since 2009 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates
  - From 1993-2008 owner and chiropractic practitioner at Total Fitness Chiropractic Clinic ♦ Fremont, California, USA
- Founded and operated clinic providing chiropractic care and alternative medicine treatments including acupuncture, physical therapy, massage therapy, and herbal therapy. Provided oversight and direction for 15 employees.

#### ***Notable Accomplishments:***

- ◆ Established and grew business from grounds up through extensive marketing campaigns and multi-disciplinary practitioner management.
- ◆ Increased clinic exposure and raised community awareness through development and implementation of advertising and promotional strategies.
- ◆ Built client base of 40,000+ patients by establishing reputation for excellent bedside manner and patient service in California and United Arab Emirates
- ◆ Appointed as California State Qualified Medical Evaluator to oversee state's workers compensation activities.
- ◆ Hosted "To Your Health" television show on local cable channel to address chiropractic medicine, health management, and nutrition. Show has aired for 10 years from 1997 to present.
- ◆ Developed and hosted "The New You" radio show broadcast on local radio stations from 1997 to 2001.

- ◆ Delivered guest lectures at Persian Center and Cultural Academy, and American Gulf Clinic in Dubai, UAE.
- ◆ Featured in Internationally recognized “Haya “magazine issue 274 in March 2017,
- ◆ Guest speaker on Dubai TV show “Studio One Dubai”,
- ◆ Guest speaker on Live Radio show “Dubai Eye” in Dubai, UAE
- ◆ Featured Chiropractic Doctor on Reality Show “Fighting Fit Dubai” in 2017 on OSN Sports
- ◆ The Official Chiropractic consultant for all of the “Fitness First” health clubs across UAE
- ◆ Chiropractic and Safety Consultant for “UFC” Health clubs across Dubai
- ◆ Chiropractic and Safety Consultant for “Tribe Fit” Health Club
- ◆ Leader of the official chiropractic and physiotherapy team for the events organized by worldwide “Hercules Trophies” conducted at “The Seven” Stadium on 3 consecutive years up to 2016
- ◆ Participant and presenter at “ Fitness Expo Dubai”2016, Dubai Marathon”2015, “Iron Man” event 2016, “Dubai Cycle Challenge” 2016
- ◆ Lecturer and Safety consultant for Jumeirah Group Hotels, Intercontinental Group Hotels in Dubai, Mars Group, Dubai International Airport Employees, Dubai Aviation Club in Dubai

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#### **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

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Fluency – English, Farsi, Afghani ◇ Basic Skills – French, Spanish, Arabic

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#### **PHILANTHROPIC SERVICE**

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American Cancer Society ◇ Volunteer MC, Event Coordinator, & Fundraiser ◇ Benefit Concerts and Relay for Life

Leukemia Foundation ◇ Volunteer MC