

## Gary A. Buxa, MD, FACS

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### ***Practice:***

- Buxa & Bergstrom ENT Center of Excellence  
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December 2003 to present
- Redding ENT Head & Neck Surgery, Inc.  
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Redding, CA 96001  
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July 2001 to November 2003

### ***Education:***

- Residency: University of Texas-Houston Department of Otolaryngology  
6431 Fannin Street, Suite 6.132  
Houston, TX 77030  
(713) 500-5410  
July 1997 to June 2001
- Internship: University of Texas-Houston Department of General Surgery  
6431 Fannin Street, Suite 4.264  
Houston, TX 77030  
(713) 500-7216  
July 1996 to June 1997
- Medical Doctorate Degree: University of North Dakota School of Medicine  
Grand Forks, North Dakota  
(701) 777-4221  
July 1992 to May 1996
- Bachelor of Science: University of North Dakota Department of Chemistry  
Grand Forks, North Dakota  
August 1989 to May 1992  
Minot State University  
Minot, North Dakota  
August 1988 to May 1989

### ***Professional Affiliations:***

- North Central Cleft Palate Panel, Medical Director
- Redding Medical Center, Quality Control Committee
- Redding Medical Center Cancer Committee, Physician Liaison

### ***Graduate Research:***

- Nasal-Sinus Malignancies, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center
- University of Texas Tracheotomy Data Base

- Treatment of Hypertrophic Scars with Liquid Polysiloxane Polymers
- Management of Plexiform Neurofibromas in the Head and Neck Patient
- Management of Facial Nerve Paralysis in the Temporal Bone Fracture Patients
- Clinical Coordinator for the House Ear Institute's Neurofibromatosis Type Two Study
- Treatment of floor of mouth and tongue cystic hygromas

***Undergraduate Research:***

- University of North Dakota Department of Chemistry:  
Samarium iodide cyclization of aldehydes to simple sugars for application in future drug research
- United States Department of Agriculture Potato Research Laboratory:  
Sprout inhibition of aged tubers with natural organic aromatics, Mass spectrophotometric analysis of liberated vapor from aged tubers, High pressure liquid chromatography quantitative analysis of tuber nucleotides, Mitochondrial deoxyribonucleic acid analysis of tubers, Mitochondrial isolation for oxidative-reductive reactions

***Honors and Awards:***

- Honor Roll, President's Honor Roll, Dean's List 1988-1992
- Chester Fritz Academic Scholarship 1989-1992
- University of North Dakota Chemistry Teaching Assistant 1990-1991
- Ben E. Gustafson Scholarship and Achievement Award (top junior chemistry student) 1991
- Graduation, University of North Dakota, Cum Laude, May 1992
- Ray F. Duggan Academic Scholarship 1992-1995
- North Dakota Army National Guard Scholarship 1992-1995
- Honor classes: Histology, Organology, Embryology, Biochemistry, Gross Anatomy, and Pharmacology 1992-1994
- Graduation, University of North Dakota School of Medicine, Honors, May 1996
- House Staff Council Member, University of Texas – Houston, House Staff Association, July 2000 – June 2001
- Second place: University of Texas - Houston Department of Otolaryngology Annual Resident Paper Competition, June 2000

***Community Service:***

- Leukemia Society Fund-raiser, San Diego Marathon
- Attend Second Baptist Church, Houston, Texas

***Professional Society Memberships:***

- Diplomate, American Board of Otolaryngology
- Fellow, American College of Surgeons

- American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery
- American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
- American Academy of Otolaryngic Allergy
- Texas Medical Association
- Harris County Medical Society
- American Medical Association
- Southern Medical Association
- Houston Society of Otolaryngology
- American Rhinologic Society
- Texas Association of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery
- The American Laryngological, Rhinological and Otological Society (The Triological Society)

***Presentations:***

- Pediatric Neck Masses - October 1997; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- Inflammatory Submandibular Masses - December 1997; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- Management of Nasal-Sinus Malignancies - April 1998; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Teaching Conference
- Surgical Control of Sialorhea - September 1998; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- Correction of Ankyloglossia - September 1998; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- Neurofibromatosis in the Head and Neck - December 1998; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- Controversies in Eustachian Tube Function - January 1999; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds
- History of Head and Neck Surgery - March 1999; M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Teaching Conference
- Laryngeal Transplantation and Reinnervation - May 1999; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds, M.D. Anderson Cancer Center Teaching Conference
- Soft Tissue Augmentation of the Face - January 2000; University of Texas, Department of Otolaryngology Grand Rounds

***Certification:***

- Advanced Cardiac Life Support: 7-12-95, 10-28-98
- Advanced Trauma Life Support: 6-27-96
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support: 9-20-95
- Basic Life Support: 8-20-92

**Courses:**

- University of Texas Otolaryngology Basic Science Course – July 1997; Houston, TX
- Robert A. Jahrsdoerfer Lectureship on Unilateral Microtia/Atresia Repair – July 1997; Houston, TX
- University of Texas – Houston Temporal Bone Dissection Course – Spring 1997, 1998, 1999; Houston, TX
- American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery Annual Meeting – September 1998; San Antonio, TX
- University of Texas / Baylor College of Medicine Combined Facial Trauma Course – Fall 1998; Houston, TX
- Baylor College of Medicine Temporal Bone Dissection Course – October 1999; Houston, TX
- University of Texas – Medical Branch Galveston Pediatric Airway Course – July 1999; Galveston, TX
- University of Texas Facial Soft Tissue Workshop and Laboratory – June 2000; Houston, TX
- Dallas Foundation of Otology of Baylor Foundation: Surgical Anatomy and Temporal Bone Dissection Course – September 3-8, 2000; Dallas, TX
- American Academy of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery Annual Meeting – September 2000; Washington, D.C.
- Methodist Hospital Program for Residents Establishing a Practice (PREP) – October 19-20, 2000; Dallas, TX

**Hospital Appointments:**

- Redding Medical Center
- Mercy Medical Center
- Mercy Medical Center Mount Shasta
- St. Elizabeth's Hospital

**Licensure:**

- Medical Board of California  
License #A
- United States Controlled Substance Registration Certificate  
United States Department of Justice  
Drug Enforcement Administration  
Washington, D.C. 20537

**Military Background:**

- North Dakota Army National Guard 1992-1996  
835<sup>th</sup> Medical Detachment  
Last Rank: Captain