

### Biographical Sketch:

Joel S Ross, M.D., FACP, AGSF, CMD CPI - Dr Ross is a Primary Care Geriatrician and Principal Investigator at Memory Enhancement Centers of America located in Eatontown, Monroe Township and Toms River, New Jersey. Dr. Ross is the Founder and Chief Executive Officer of the Memory Enhancement Centers of America which are state of the art facilities dedicated to improving the quality of lives of those struggling with dementia such as Alzheimer's Disease including the caregivers. By working closely the pharmaceutical industry and the Food and Drug Administration our centers conduct the most state of the art diagnostic and therapeutic intervention using latest medications under development.

Dr. Ross has been Principal Investigator or Sub-investigator on nearly every medications tested for Alzheimer's disease in clinical trials since 1994 including the four FDA approved medications: Aricept/Exelon/Razadyne and Namenda. Dr Ross has conducted over one hundred Alzheimer's Disease research protocols as the Principal Investigator. He has lectured worldwide on Alzheimer's Disease. Dr Ross received his medical degree from Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York, where he graduate Cum Laude. He completed his internship and residency at Nassau County Medical Center, in East Meadow, New York, where he then became Chief Resident. He is certified in Geriatric Medicine, Internal Medicine and a Certified Physician Investigator by the Association of Clinical Research Professionals. He was the founding member of the geriatric fellowship program at Jersey Shore Medical University and in 2000 was recognized as an "advocate for excellence" as program director-Geriatric Residency at Jersey Shore Medical University. Dr Ross was awarded the "top doctor" in the field of Geriatric Medicine in New Jersey by his peers.

Dr. Ross has an adjunct Associated Professor of Medicine appointment to Mount Sinai Medical School New York, New York since 2002 and is a Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine at UMDNJ-School of Osteopathic Medicine, Stratford, New Jersey since 1996. Dr Ross was appointed to the Drexel University School of Medicine as a Clinical Adjunct Professor of Medicine in 2009. He is on the staff of Monmouth Medical Center, Long Branch, NJ.

Dr Ross received the Humanitarian of Year Award in 2011 from the Alzheimer's Disease Caregivers of Central NJ.