

# MANASSEH C. NWAIGWE, JR.

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## EDUCATION

- April 2015** Doctor of Chiropractic  
Southern California University of Health Sciences  
Whittier, CA
- December 2008** Master of Business Administration Healthcare Administration  
MBA Fall 2008  
Loma Linda University School of Public Health  
Loma Linda, CA
- December 2008** Master of Public Health Health Policy and Leadership  
MPH Fall 2008  
Loma Linda University School of Public Health  
Loma Linda, CA
- June 2005** Master of Pastoral Studies, emphasis in Practical Theology  
MPTh June 2005  
La Sierra University HMS Richards Divinity School  
Riverside, CA
- June 2000** Bachelor's Degree, Health Science with Bio-Health emphasis  
La Sierra University  
Riverside, CA

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## HONORS/AWARDS/RECOGNITION

Southern California University Of Health Sciences Dr. Herbert Magee, Jr. Technique Award  
This award is presented to a graduate who displays excellence in is or her knowledge and performance of chiropractic technique procedures; renders service in the area of chiropractic procedures.  
April 18, 2015

Southern California University Of Health Sciences Humanity For Helping Hands Volunteer Award  
April 2014

The National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice, 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Training  
Institute Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Award Volunteer Service Award Nominee July, 2009

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Center for Policy Analysis and Research  
Fellow Finalist, December, 2008

California State Assembly Certificate of Recognition presented to Manasseh Nwaigwe Jr  
The ADAM's Project February 21, 2008 Member of the Assembly California State Legislature  
John J. Benoit February, 2008

The Riverside Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People  
Public Health Award, February, 2008

Recipient of distinguished *Achievement in Public Health Award* County of Riverside Department of  
Public Health May 2007

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## HONORS/AWARDS/RECOGNITION CONTINUED

Recipient of distinguished *Achievement in Public Health Award* County of Riverside Department of Public Health May 2006

Recipient of gold medal *Abbey Award* County of Riverside Department of Public Health May 2006

Recipient *Outstanding Service Award* Riverside County Department of Public Health HIV/AIDS June 2004

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## RESEARCH

243634 Program and policy development to address health inequities in a local public health department (listed as contributor) paper and oral presentation/training at 139<sup>th</sup> American Public Health Association Meeting & Exposition October 31, 2011

Scientific Poster Presentation: Breaking down cultural borders: African Descent AIDS Mobilization Project (ADAM) 136 American Public Health Association Meeting & Exposition October 29, 2008 San Diego, California

Scientific Poster presentation at 2003 "Current Research Including Health Care; Medical Student Research Colloquium" Charles R. Drew University/UCLA School of Medicine & Science

HIV Studies Coordinator at County of Riverside Department of Public Health HIV/AIDS Clinic for the Medical Monitoring Project in partnership with Stanford University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics/Infectious Disease Division. The Medical Monitoring Project (MMP) is a surveillance project designed to produce nationally representative data on people living with HIV/AIDS who receiving care in the United States.

HIV Studies Coordinator at County of Riverside Department of Public Health HIV/AIDS Clinic for the Barriers to Care Study in partnership with University of California San Diego School of Medicine. The Barriers to Care Study is a study designed to identify newly diagnosed HIV patients' barriers to accessing care.

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## WORK HISTORY

April 2015-  
Present

**Chiropractic Physician**  
**SMART SPINE INSTITUTE & SURGERY CENTER**

### **SPECIALTY**

Chiropractic, Primary Spine Care, Sports and Exercise Medicine, Manual Medicine, Soft Tissue Mobilization, Biomechanics, Physiotherapy, Pre-rehabilitation, Rehabilitation, Post-surgical Rehabilitation, and Public Health

### **SUMMARY**

Primary spine care focusing on the diagnosis and treatment of patients with musculoskeletal conditions, sport injuries, and personal injuries. Most cases can be diagnosed through discussion of the problem and physical examination, MRI, CAT scans, X rays, and other diagnostic tests when necessary. I collaborate with physicians of various specialties and other practitioners to provide high quality, well-rounded care to each patient. I provide a system that is person centered so that you can manage your body with simple integrated strategies. It is my personal goal to provide the most amazing patient experience.

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## WORK HISTORY CONTINUED

June 2015-  
Present

**Founder/Clinic Director**  
**ATHLTX MED INC**

### **SPECIALTY**

Chiropractic, Primary Spine Care, Sports and Exercise Medicine, Manual Medicine, Soft Tissue Mobilization, Biomechanics, Physiotherapy, Pre-rehabilitation, Rehabilitation, and Post-surgical Rehabilitation

### **SUMMARY**

Athltx Med is an ideal sports medicine provider for individuals who wish to return to athletic competition. Athletes of all levels (professional, elite, collegiate, and high school), motivated to recover quickly from a performance-related injury, surgical procedure, or a desire for a preventative based-performance health care model will find Athltx Med to be the unsurpassed sports medicine solution.

January 2016-  
Present

**Clinic Director**  
**TCR INTEGRATIVE SPORTS MEDICINE**

### **SPECIALTY**

Chiropractic, Primary Spine Care, Sports and Exercise Medicine, Manual Medicine, Soft Tissue Mobilization, Biomechanics, Physiotherapy, Pre-rehabilitation, Rehabilitation, and Post-surgical Rehabilitation

### **SUMMARY**

Sports Medicine focusing on the diagnosis and treatment of professional, elite, Division 1 collegiate, High School, and week-end warrior athletes, with musculoskeletal conditions, sport injuries, and performance enhancement. Most cases can be diagnosed through discussion of the problem and physical examination, MRI, CAT scans, X rays, and other diagnostic tests when necessary. I collaborate with physicians of various specialties and other practitioners to provide high quality, well-rounded care to each athlete. I provide a system that is athlete centered so that you can manage your body with simple integrated strategies. It is my personal goal to provide the most amazing patient experience.

September 2015-  
Present

**Faculty Member**  
**Southern California University of Health Sciences Principle and Practices**  
**Department**

Courses: Chiropractic Procedures I: Palpation

Courses: Chiropractic Procedures III: Soft Tissue Extremity and Spine Extremity

Courses: Chiropractic Procedures IV: Lumbar and Thoracic Spine Adjustive Procedures

Courses: Chiropractic Procedures: Special Population Chiropractic Procedures: Advanced Adjustive Procedures.

Courses: Chiropractic Procedures VII: Advanced Adjustive Procedures Fall 2014

Chiropractic and Procedures: Laboratory I provide assistance in the knowledge and practice of chiropractic procedures to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> term, and 7<sup>th</sup> term chiropractic students.

March 2014-  
April 2015

**Southern California University Health Sciences Clinical Internship**  
**SMART SPINE INSTITUTE & SURGERY CENTER**

- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, PIR, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, Physio Therapy Techniques, Vibration Release Therapy, Functional Kinetic Treatment with Rehab (FAKTR), and Cold Laser

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## WORK HISTORY CONTINUED

December 2015-  
April 2015

**Southern California University Health Sciences  
University Health Center  
SPINE Care Center  
Clinic Intern Mentor**

- Selected from Senior Chiropractic Interns by Southern California University Health Sciences Clinicians and Faculty to be the only one of two Senior Intern Mentors for new 7<sup>th</sup> term clinic interns Spring Term 2015
- Nominated by the Southern California University Health Sciences Student Body to be only one of two Senior Intern Mentors for new 7<sup>th</sup> term clinic interns Spring Term 2015
- Demonstrated excellence in all aspects of diagnosis, treatment and patient management. Provide guidance to clinic interns in Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, and Instrument Assisted Mobilization, Functional Kinetic Treatment with Rehab (FAKTR), and Cold Laser

July 2014-  
June 2015

**University Of Southern California  
Engemann Health Center  
Supervising Clinician Dr. Coree Levy**

- Selected by competitive process to be a student in the clinical internship at University Of Southern California
- Demonstrated excellence in all aspects of diagnosis, treatment and patient management. Provide guidance to clinic interns in Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, and Instrument Assisted Mobilization, and Functional Kinetic Treatment with Rehab (FAKTR).
- Sports Medicine Team Member USC Rugby and Equestrian Club

May 2011-  
April 2014

**Chiropractic Student Intern  
Alternative Health Solutions/Doc Dossman Sports Medicine**

- Observed Dr. Craig Dossman, Jr.
- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, PIR, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, Physical Therapy Techniques, Vibration Release Therapy, Functional Kinetic Treatment with Rehab (FAKTR), and Cold Laser
- Client Population: Elementary, Jr High, High school Collegiate, Professional Athletes, Families, Cross fit, long shore men, and weekend warriors

December 2012-  
August 2013

**Chiropractic Student Intern  
Athletic Gaines**

- Observed Dr. Craig Dossman, Jr.
- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, PIR, Rehab Protocol, Mobilizations, Chiropractic Adjustment, Physical Therapy Techniques, and Cold Laser
- Client Population: Professional Athletes, NFL 2013 Class Draft

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## WORK HISTORY CONTINUED

December 2013-  
May 2014

**DC Student Clinic Chiropractic Intern**  
**Supervising Clinician Dr. David Foster**  
**Southern California University of Health Sciences University Health Center**

- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue Flush, MRT, PIR, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, Physical Therapy Techniques, Graston, FAKTR, Regional Exams, Activator and Cold Laser
- Client Population: DC Students, SCUHS Employees, SCUHS Clinicians, USA
- Power Lifting Members, Geriatric, High school athletes, Collegiate athletes, and Local community neighbors

May 2014-  
April 2015

**Chiropractic Internship Chiropractic Intern**  
**Supervising Clinician Dr. Andrew Park**  
**Southern California University of Health Sciences University Health Center**

- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Deep Tissue, Flush, MRT, PIR, Rehab Protocol, Chiropractic Adjustment, Mobilizations, Physical Therapy Techniques, Graston, FAKTR, Regional Exams, Activator and Cold Laser
- Patient Population Served: DC Students, SCUHS Employees, SCUHS Clinician, USA Power Lifting Members, Geriatric, High school athletes, Collegiate athletes, and, Local community neighbors

January 2014-  
April 2015

**Chiropractic Intern /Volunteer**  
**Healing Hands For Humanity**

A humanitarian organization involving student interns and clinicians from Southern California University of Health Sciences, Whittier, California

- Performed: Physical Examinations, Histories, Regional Exams, FAKTR, Chiropractic Adjustments, MRT, Activator, and Mobilizations
- Population Served: Transient, Families, College Students, Substance Abuse, Underserved populations in Long Beach, Los Angeles, and Orange Counties

May 2014-  
April 2015

**Teaching Assistant**  
**Chair Dr. Paige Morgenthal**  
**Southern California University of Health Sciences**  
**Principle and Practices Department**

Courses; Chiropractic Procedures I: Palpation  
Courses: Chiropractic Procedures VI: Extremity Procedures and Review Summer, Fall 2014  
Chiropractic Procedures VII: Advanced Adjustive Procedures Fall 2014

I provide assistance in the knowledge and practice of chiropractic procedures to 1<sup>st</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> term, and 7<sup>th</sup> term chiropractic students.

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## WORK HISTORY CONTINUED

May 2014-  
April 2015

**Faculty Member**  
**Chiropractic and Procedures Department**  
**Southern California University of Health Sciences**  
**Principle and Practices Department**

Courses; Chiropractic Procedures I: Palpation  
Courses: Chiropractic Procedures III: Soft Tissue Extremity and Spine Extremity P  
Courses: Chiropractic Procedures IV: Lumbar and Thoracic Spine Adjustive Procedures  
Courses: Chiropractic Procedures: Special Populations  
Courses: Chiropractic Procedures VII: Advanced Adjustive Procedures Fall 2014

I provide assistance in the knowledge and practice of chiropractic procedures to 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> term, and 7<sup>th</sup> term chiropractic students in the Chiropractic Laboratory.

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## CERTIFICATIONS

THE NATIONAL BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

MANIPULATION UNDER ANESTHESIA

FOUNDATION TRAINING

FAKTR

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