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EDUCATION:

- 1980 Harvard-Radcliffe College, Harvard University, B.A., magna cum laude
- 1987 Yale Medical School, Yale University, M.D., cum laude

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING:

- 1987-1988 Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University
 Creedmoor Psychiatric Center
 Internship: Medicine/Transition
- 1988-1991 Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University
 Residency: Psychiatry
- 1991-1992 Presbyterian Hospital/ Columbia University,
 Fellowship: Consultation- Liaison Psychiatry

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT:

- 1992-1998 **Director of Clinical Ethics:** Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center
 Founded Clinical Ethics Consultation Service; provided ethics teaching
 throughout hospital
- 1992-1998 **Faculty Appointment:** Columbia University College of Physicians and
 Surgeons, Clinical Assistant Attending Professor of Psychiatry
- 1991-2002 **Psychiatrist:**
 Private Practice of Psychiatry, New York 1991-98
 Tokyo 1998-2002
- 1995-current **Bioethics Teaching Faculty:** Montefiore Certificate Program in
 Bioethics and Medical Humanities, 1995-98; 2002-current

- 2001-2002 **Clinical Director:** Tokyo-English Life Line, Tokyo, Japan
- 2002-2003 **Health Care Ethics Consultant:** Veterans Administration National Center for Ethics in Health Care
- 2004-2008 **Executive Director:** NY State Task Force on Life & the Law, 2004-8
- Developed policy recommendations for Governor-appointed committee on bioethics issues in New York State; Directed health policy and legal staff in research and drafting reports; Extensive public speaking on Task Force projects
 - Special Assistant to the Commissioner of Health for Stem Cell Ethics Policies; led public meetings/consensus discussions for NY's stem cell ethics board
 - Co-Chair, NYSDOH Workgroup on Allocating Ventilators in a Pandemic; 2007
 - Principal author/editor of Task Force report on Donation After Cardiac Death, 2007
 - Principal author/editor of Task Force report on Regulation of Dietary Supplements, 2005
- 2005-2009 **Faculty Appointment:** Cornell University
Associate Professor of Public Health
Joan and Sanford Weill Medical College (courtesy)
Division of Medical Ethics
- 2009 Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Professor of Clinical Epidemiology and Population Health
Professor of Clinical Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences
- 2009-present **Director:** Montefiore-Einstein Center for Bioethics

BOARD CERTIFICATION:

1992 Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology
NYS License: NY 175171 (Legal name: Patricia Powell)

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS:

1987-present American Psychiatric Association: member
District Branch Ethics Committee: 1993-8
Fellow: 2006 - current

1998-2000 American Society of Law, Medicine, Ethics
Board of Directors, 1998-2000

2003-present American Society of Bioethics and Humanities

2004-present New York Academy of Medicine, Fellow

AWARDS/HONORS:

1987 Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society
1987 Frank Parker Prize, highest award for graduating Yale medical student
Louis Nahum Prize for Thesis Excellence, Yale Medical School, 1987
1987 Janet Glasgow Memorial Achievement Citation/American Medical
Women's Scholastic Award
1989 APA Burroughs Wellcome Fellow
1991 New York State Psychiatric Institute Horwitz Prize for Clinical Excellence
for graduating Psychiatric Resident

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Committees:

- Tokyo English Life Line, Tokyo, Japan, Board of Directors, 1998-2001
- US-TELL, Board of Directors, 2002 – present
- NYSDOH Brain Death Guidelines Panel, Chair, (2005)
- NYSDOH Workgroup on Extended Criteria Liver Donation, Member, (2005)
- NYS Cardiac Advisory Committee, Member, 2006-current
- American College of Chest Physicians, Task Force on Mass Casualty Critical Care, Member, 2007 – present
- Member, NYSDOH Committee on Living Kidney Donation (2007)
- National Ethics Panel, Review of Donation after Cardiac Death, Joint Commission on Accreditation, 2007
- Institute of Medicine: Planning Committee, Altered Standards of Care During Mass Casualty Events – A Series of Four National Workshops, 2008-2009
- Institute of Medicine: Personal Protective Equipment in an Influenza Pandemic, July, 2009.
- Institute of Medicine: Guidance for Establishing Crisis Standards of Care for Disasters, August, 2009.

Editorial Positions:

Editorial Board: *Biosecurity and Bioterrorism*

Associate Editor for Bioethics: *Philosophy, Ethics, Humanities and Medicine*

Reviewer: *American Journal of Bioethics*
Biosecurity and Bioterrorism
Hastings Center Report

GRANT SUPPORT:

Greenwall Foundation: “The New York State Task Force on Life & the Law: Celebrating Twenty Years of Innovation;” \$25,000 support for symposium, related publication, 2002.

RECENT INVITED EXTERNAL PRESENTATIONS:

“Dietary Supplements,” Grand Rounds, Department of Medicine, New York University Medical School, March, 2005.

“Surrogate Decision-Making and the Family Health Care Decisions Act,” Brooklyn Law School, April, 2005.

“Ethical Challenges in Reproductive Health,” Radcliffe Symposium on Reproductive Health in the 21st Century, Harvard Club of NY, April, 2005.

“Ethical Challenges in the Regulation of Dietary Supplements,” Grand Rounds, Lenox Hill Hospital, April, 2005.

“Dietary Supplements: What You Don’t Know Can Hurt You,” Keynote speaker, New York Citizens’ Commission on Health Care Decisions, Annual Reception, June, 2005.

“Revisions to New York State’s Brain Death Guidelines,” UNOS meeting, Syracuse, September 2005.

“Ethical Issues for Live Organ Donors,” Cabrini Medical Center, October, 2005.

“Advance Care Planning in New York,” Symposium for New York Citizens’ Commission on Health Care Decisions, November, 2005.

“Evolving Legal, Political, and Religious Influences on End of Life Care,” New York Academy of Medicine, April, 2006.

“Dietary Supplements and Alternative Medicine,” Keynote Speaker, Columbia University, Rosenthal Center, April, 2006.

“Disability and Decision-making Capacity,” New Jersey Healthcare Decisions, May, 2006.

“Ethical Issues in Live Organ Donation,” Grand Rounds, Department of Public Health, Cornell University, Weill Medical College, May, 2006.

“The Family Health Care Decisions Act,” Annual Ethics Symposium, HHC, May, 2006.

“Ethical Issues in Allocating Ventilators,” Pandemic Influenza Conference, Hastings Center, September 2006.

“The Doctor Patient Relationship in Public Health Emergencies,” Division of Medical Ethics, Cornell University, Weill Medical College, October, 2006.

“The Family Health Care Decisions Act,” Keynote speaker, HEAL Conference, Long Island University, November 2006.

“The Allocation of Ventilators in a Pandemic,” multiple locations, including:
Videoconference for NY State Regional Resource Centers, March 16, 2007;
Greater New York Hospital Association, March 22;
Grand Rounds, SUNY Downstate Medical Center, April 17;

NYAM/Metro Area Geriatric Society, April 25;
New York- Presbyterian Hospital Center for Bioethics, Fifth Anniversary
Keynote speaker, April 26;
AHC Media National Audio conference, July 18;
Hospital for Special Surgery, Anesthesia Grand Rounds, September 13;
SUNY Buffalo Cross-Border Biosecurity Conference, Keynote Speaker,
November 16.

“Research requiring surrogate consent,” Secretary’s Advisory Committee on Human Research Protections, Invited Speaker, Office of Human Research Protections, HHS, Washington, D.C., February, 2008.

“Intensive Care Resource Allocation in a Disaster,” Institute of Medicine, Invited Lecturer, Workgroup on Biosecurity, Washington, D.C., May, 2008

“Preventing Disaster: Guidelines for Dealing with Epidemics,” keynote speaker, Theory-Practice Symposium, Center for Health, Science and Public Policy, Brooklyn Law School, October 2, 2008.

“Stem Cell Chimeras: Ethical Considerations,” American Society of Bioethics and Humanities Annual Meeting; Cleveland, Ohio, October 26, 2008.

“Ethics and Legal Aspects of Disaster Planning,” NYC Bar Association, Health Law Division, November 5, 2008.

“Death and Donation: Ethics, Science and Policy,” Columbia University Colloquium on Health, Law, and Society, November 12, 2008.

“Resolved: Organ donation should not be compensated,” Panel debate, opposing Sally Satel, MD, and Professor Richard Epstein, NYU Law School Symposium, November 20, 2008.

“Moderator: Pros and Cons of Organ Sales,” New York Organ Donor Network 30th Anniversary Symposium, NYAM, November 21, 2008.

“Capacity evaluation: attaining excellence and addressing ethical challenges,” Bronx Psychiatric Center Grand Rounds, December 12, 2008.

“Voice: The roles of the patient, family and professional in medical decision-making,” Comprehensive Approach to Dementia, 13th Annual Symposium, New York Academy of Medicine, March 5, 2009.

Institute of Medicine, “Altered Standards of Care in a Public Health Disaster,” presented ethics topics for series of national workshops, including at AECOM on April 27, 2009.

Lincoln Medical Center, Grand Rounds, Department of Internal Medicine, “Decision-Making at the End of Life,” May 22, 2009.

NY Chapter American College of Physicians, Annual Scientific Meeting, Plenary Address, “Regulating Death: Ethics, Science and Policy,” May 30, 2009.

HHS/AMA Conference on Biopreparedness, “Health Care Protective Equipment and Ethical Issues,” Washington, DC, December, 2009.

“Emerging Ethical Issues in Palliative Care,” Beth Israel Hospital, Grand Rounds, Dept of Palliative Care, October, 2009.

Recent Presentations at Einstein and Montefiore:

“Decision-Making at the End of Life,” Yeshiva College Student Bioethics Yearly Symposium, September 8, 2008.

“New York State Policy on Donation After Cardiac Death,” MMC Transplant Symposium, September 15, 2008.

“Ethics Case Conference,” Pediatric Anesthesia Grand Rounds, Montefiore Medical Center, January 24, 2009.

“Ethical Challenges in Assessing Capacity,” Grand Rounds, Rheumatology, AECOM, March 6, 2009.

“Baby and the Bathwater: care, risk and images of children,” Grand Rounds, CHAM, May 6, 2009.

“Autonomy and Care in Psychiatry,” Grand Rounds, Dept of Psychiatry, January, 2010.

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A. Original Communications in Peer Reviewed Journals:

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T. Powell, D. Kornfeld. Can We Measure Out a Life in Coffee Spoons. *Journal of Clinical Ethics* 1992; 3(2):110-111.

T. Powell, D. Kornfeld, On Promoting Rational Treatment, not Rational Suicide. *Journal of Clinical Ethics* 1993; 4(4):334-335.

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T. Powell, B. Lowenstein. Refusing Life-Sustaining Treatment After Catastrophic Injury: Ethical Implications. *Journal of Law, Medicine and Ethics* 1996; 24(1):54-61.

Powell, T. Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry and Clinical Ethics: Representative Cases. *Psychosomatics* 1997; 38(4):321-326.

T. Powell, M. Oz. Discontinuing the LVAD: Ethical Considerations. *Annals of Thoracic Surgery* 1997; 63:1223-5.

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Powell, T. Letter, *New England Journal of Medicine* 2004; 350(14): 1470.

Powell, T. Review of Institute of Medicine's "Dietary Supplements: A Framework for Evaluating Safety." *Journal of Law, Medicine and Ethics* 2005; 33(4).

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Powell, T. Culture and Communication: Medical Disclosure in Japan and the United States. *American Journal of Bioethics* 2006; 6(1): 18-20.

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Powell, T. Face Transplant: Real and Imagined Ethical Challenges. *Journal of Law, Medicine and Ethics* 2006; 34(1): 111-5.

Powell, T. Cultural context in medical ethics: lessons from Japan. *Philosophy, Ethics, and Humanities in Medicine* 2006, 1:4.
<http://www.peh-med.com/content/1/1/4>

Powell, T. Wrestling Satan and Conquering Dopamine: Addiction and Free Will. *American Journal of Bioethics (AJOB-Neuroscience)* 2007; 7(1): 14-15.

Powell, T and A. Asch. A modest proposal for reducing imperfection and resolving world hunger; *American Journal of Bioethics* 2007; 7(6):53-55.

Powell, T. Commentary: Support for Case-based Analysis in Decision Making after a Suicide Attempt. *Journal of Clinical Ethics* 2007; 18(2):119-121.

Powell, T. Letter to the Editors: LVADs and the limits of autonomy. *Hastings Cent Rep.* 2008 May-Jun;38(3):4-5.

Powell, T; Christ, K; Birkhead, G. Allocation of Ventilators in a Public Health Disaster. *Disaster Medicine and Public Health Preparedness* 2008; 2(1):20-26.

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T Powell, B Rapkin, E Weiss, Letter, Response to "Participating in Biomedical Research," *JAMA* 2009;302(20):2201.

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B. Book Chapters, Government-Sponsored Publications, Other Publications:

Powell, T. Deciding for Others: Rights and Responsibilities in Medical Ethics. Unpublished Thesis, Yale Medical School, 1987.

H. Zonana, **T. Powell**, "Legal Aspects of Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry," in *Psychiatry*, JB Lippincott Co., Phil Pa., 1995.

R Sloan, E Bagiella, **T Powell**. Without a Prayer: Methodological Problems, Ethical Challenges, and Misrepresentations in the Study of Religion, Spirituality and Medicine, in: Plante, T. (Ed.) *Faith and Health*, Guilford Publications, 2001.

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New York State Department of Health, (Workgroup chair, principal author), *Guidelines for Determining Brain Death*, 2005.

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New York State Task Force on Life & the Law, (**T. Powell**: editor, principal author), *Donation After Cardiac Death: Analysis and Recommendations from the New York State Task Force on Life & the Law*, April 2007.

Powell, T and J. Blustein. The Nature and Function of Ethics Committees, in *Handbook for Healthcare Ethics Committees*, eds. L.F. Post, J. Blustein, N. Dubler. Johns Hopkins University Press, 2007.