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DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH:

December 11, 1953  
Sandy Springs, Maryland

EDUCATION:

- 1971-75 B.A. Natural Science, Johns Hopkins University.  
Baltimore, Maryland
- 1975-76 English Literature, University of Maryland  
College Park, Maryland
- 1976-80 M.D. George Washington University School of Medicine  
Washington D.C.: Graduated with honors, Alpha Omega Alpha.

POST-GRADUATE TRAINING:

- 1980-81 Internship in Pediatrics. University of California at San Francisco
- 1981-82 Second year Resident in Pediatrics. Children's Hospital, Seattle.
- 1982-83 Neuro-oncology Research Fellow. Children's Hospital, Seattle.
- 1983-84 Third year resident in Pediatrics. Children's Hospital, Seattle.
- 1984-85 Pediatric Neurology Post-Doctoral Fellowship (Neuro-oncology) Children's Hospital,  
Seattle
- 1987-2012: Board Certified Pediatrician, Fellow American Academy Pediatrics With Continuing  
Medical Education and Re-Certification

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2007-Present: Dr. Morse assumed position of Research Director of the Institute for the Scientific Study of Consciousness, founded by Charles Tart. He has been honored as being among the best research teams by the World Health Organization's NGO on Spirituality and Science for the years 2007-2010. (iihs.org) In 2012 he was awarded the Warcollier International Award for Consciousness Research.

The Institute's mission is 1) research on the near death experiences of children and the spiritual visions surrounding death and dying. 2) Developing strategies to use this research to heal grief, create a spiritual dialogue with applications for end of life care, and for personal transformation.

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- 2016-Present    The Recidivism Prevention Group: Dedicated to holistic solutions to drug addiction and recidivism. The Group works with addicts and ex-incarcerated individuals teaching meditation, tonglen (the practice of empathy), yoga as well as conventional approaches to drug addiction.
- 2009-2012: Part time Private Practice of Pediatrics.
- 2007:            Contracted hepatitis C during service as a physician. Retired from full time practice.
- 2000-2007: Medical Director: Ashley House of Southern King County (Hospice Care for infants and Children)
- 2005-2007: Medical Director: Autism Spectrum Research and Diagnostic Center. In Association with Valley Medical Center, Renton, Washington.
- 1985-2005: Associate Professor of Pediatrics: John Bastyr Naturopathic University, Seattle, Washington
- 1985-2007: Associate Professor of Pediatrics University of Washington, Seattle  
Developed and implemented the Pediatrics Training Program for Family Practice Residents at Valley General Hospital. Residents consistently scored 90% in Pediatrics on Family Practice Boards
- 1985-2007: Medical Director: Pediatric Interim Care Facility. A therapeutic foster home for medically fragile infants, especially those prenatally exposed to cocaine and other drugs.
- 1985-2007: Private Practice of Pediatrics. Dr. Morse was in solo private practice. Voted by his peers as one of America's Best Doctors 1997-2006
- 1984-85:        Medical Director. Pediatric Therapy Center. A therapy center for children with neuromuscular and neurodevelopmental handicaps.
- 1982-85        Flight Physician for AirLift North West. Children's Hospital, Seattle Resuscitating and transporting critically children from the Norwest to Seattle Children's Hospital.
- 1983-84        Emergency Room Night Attending Physician. Seattle Children's Hospital
- 1982-83:        Indian Health Service. Fort Hall, Idaho. General Pediatrics

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

National Health Service Corps Scholarship Recipient: 1977-80

Alpha-Omega-Alpha: Medical School Honor Society: 1980

Huron W. Larson Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement: George Washington University School of Medicine 1980

Kane-King Obstetrical Honor Society (Best Obstetrical Student): George Washington University School of Medicine 1980

National Service Research Award: 1982, 1984 (For research on near death experiences in children at the University of Washington and Seattle Children's Hospital)

Outstanding Professor Award: Valley Family Practice Residency 1988-2002

Best Doctors: (Bestdoctors.com) Voted by his peers as one of the Nation's top Pediatricians from 1997-2007

Seattle's Best Physicians (Seattle Magazine) Selected as one of Seattle's Best Physicians 2004.

#### PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- 2010 Re-certified Professional Competency (University of Pennsylvania)
- 1988 Board Certified. American Academy of Pediatrics
- 1989 Advanced Cardiac Life Support
- 1990 Instructor: Advanced Neonatal Resuscitation. American Academy of Pediatrics and the American Heart Association.

#### PUBLICATIONS

Leggiadro RJ, Dover GJ, Morse ML, et al: Lung Abscess in Sickle Cell Disease. American Journal of Pediatric Hematology and Oncology. Vol 4(2): 215-217, 1982

Morse ML: A Near Death Experience in a Seven-year-Old Child. American Journal of Diseases of Children. Vol 127: 951-961, 1983

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Morse ML, Carr D, Mendelman P, et al: Ocular Tuberculosis in a Five-Month-Old. Pediatric Infectious Disease. vol 7(7): 514-516, 1988

Morse ML, Venecia D, Milstein JM, et al: Near Death Experiences: A Neurophysiological Explanation. Journal of Near Death Studies. Vol 7(4): 223-228 Summer 1989

Morse ML, Perry P: Closer to the Light: Learning from the Near Death

Experiences of Children. Villard Books, (Random House) New York. 1990.

Melvin ML (Forward) Eadie B: Embraced By the Light Gold Leaf Press, Placerville, California 1992

Morse ML, Perry P: Transformed by the Light: The Powerful Effects of Near Death Experiences on Children and Adults. Harper Collins, New York 1996

Morse ML, Perry P: Parting Visions: Uses and Meanings of Premonitions and After Death Communications (End of Life Events) Harper Collins, New York 1998

Morse ML: (Forward) Pediatric Massage For the Child With Special Needs Therapy Skill Builders a Harcourt Health Sciences Company New York 2002

Morse ML, Perry P: Where God Lives: Paranormal Science and How Our Brains are Connected to the Universe. Harper Collins, New York 2002 (Winner of the European Book Sellers Award for Best Non Fiction for 2004)

Morse ML: (Foreward) Goforth A, Gray T. The Risen: Dialogues of Love, Grief, and Survival Beyond Death. Tempestina Teapot Books New York 2009

Morse ML: (Foreward) Van Atta M, Van Atta S: Controlled Remote Viewing For Scientific Investigations — A workbook for students. Sacred Mountain Sanctuary Press. Golden Colorado 2009

Morse ML, Beem-Williams L: Benefits of Reiki Therapy for a Severely Neutropenic Patient with Associated Influences on a True Random Number Generator.  
J Comp and Alternative Medicine December 2011

Varga J: Hello From Heaven ARE Press, Newport Beach, Virginia 2010 Chapter on Near Death Experiences in Children

Varga J: Heaven Is Here ARE Press Newport Beach, Virginia 2011 Chapter on The God Spot: How We Connect to God and Our Own Spirituality

Morse ML, Beem L, Schwartz SA, Katz D: "The Effects of Consciousness at a Distance on Tomato Plants". 2011 Science of Consciousness Convention Stockholm, University of Arizona.

Morse ML, Smith J: "New Strategies for Treating Post Traumatic Stress Syndrome: Using Spirituality in a Controlled Manner in Therapy" Abstract presented at the International Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation November 2011 Montreal.

Morse ML: The Subjective Experiences of Two Heroin Addicts Who Were Taught Kundalini Yoga While Incarcerated Journal of Yoga and Physiotherapy March 2019

ABSTRACTS

Bleyer A, Reaman G, Poplack D, Morse ML, et al: Central Nervous System Pharmacology of High Dose Intravenous Methotrexate in infants with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia. Proceedings of the American Society of Clinical Oncology 3: C722, 1984

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PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Member: Fellow American Academy of Pediatrics 1987-2012

Clinical Faculty in Pediatrics: Children's Hospital and University of Washington (Retired)

Northwest Coordinator: American Academy of Pediatrics Research in the Office Setting. (1986-1990)

Delaware State Medical Association: January 19, 2009-2012