



## Lee Ann Grossberg, M.D.

Forensic Pathology Special Consultant  
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### Background

Dr. Grossberg is a board-certified pathologist with licensures in seven states. She earned her medical degree in 1993 from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in Dallas. She then completed a residency in pathology at the University of North Carolina Hospitals in Chapel Hill, NC, where she received five years of combined training in anatomic and clinical pathology. Dr. Grossberg additionally completed a sixth year of specialized training in forensic pathology at the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner for the State of North Carolina.

Upon completion of her training in 1999, Dr. Grossberg worked as a medical examiner at the Harris County Medical Examiner's Office in Houston, TX. In 2001, Dr. Grossberg founded Forensic Pathology Consultation Services, P.A., a consulting firm that provides expert witnessing/consultation services to the legal community for death related cases. In her career, Dr. Grossberg has performed over a thousand autopsies and has reviewed or participated in over a thousand more. She has extensive experience testifying in court. In addition to her consulting firm, Dr. Grossberg continues to perform autopsies on a locum tenens basis at various medical examiner offices in need of her services. Dr. Grossberg is board certified in anatomic pathology, clinical pathology, and forensic pathology.

Dr. Grossberg's areas of expertise are: cause and manner of death determination, interpretation and explanation of autopsy/toxicology reports to aid the attorney in his/her understanding of the case and to assist in answering attorneys' case-specific questions, estimation of time of death, accidental deaths, traffic fatalities, estimation of time to loss of consciousness, toxicology-related deaths, homicides, suicides, natural or medically-related deaths and questions of malpractice regarding cause of death (not questions of treatment), injury pattern recognition, and work-related fatalities.

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## Board Certifications and Licensures

- **Board Certifications:** Anatomic Pathology (1999), Clinical Pathology (1999), Forensic Pathology (2001)
- **State Medical Licensures:** Arizona (#30251); Indiana (#01055660A); Kansas (#04-29735); Missouri (#2002007098); Texas (#K8780); Utah (#5170935-1205); Wisconsin (#44835-020)
- **Affiliations:** American Society of Clinical Pathologists, Fellow; American Academy of Forensic Sciences; College of American Pathologists; Harris County Medical Society; Texas Medical Association; National Association of Medical Examiners; Consultant in Clinical Laboratory Medicine, Dorothea Dix Hospital, Raleigh, NC (1994 – 1996)

## Professional Experience

- **Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc.** 2010 – Present
  - Forensic Pathology Special Consultant – Toxicology and Food Safety Division  
Responsible for cause and manner of death determination, consultation, and expert witnessing.
- **Forensic Pathology Consultation Services, P.A.** 2001 – Present
  - President and Forensic Pathology Consultant  
Responsible for cause and manner of death determination, consultation, and expert witnessing.
- **SynerGene Labs, New Waverly, TX** 2018 – Present
  - Medical Director
- **Codex Health, The Woodlands, TX** 2017 – Present
  - Medical Director
- **ESA, The Woodlands, TX** 2014 – Present
  - Medical Director
- **ADX, The Woodlands, TX** 2017 – 2018
  - Medical Director
- **SW Labs, Intuitive Diag. Lab, T2 Labs, Dallas, TX** 2014 – 2017
  - Medical Director
- **Advanced Toxicology, Denton, TX** 2014 – 2016
  - Medical Director
- **Galveston County Medical Examiner’s Office** 2014 – 2016

- Locum Tenens Deputy Medical Examiner
- **University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX** 2015 – 2016
  - Clinical Assistant Professor of Pathology
- **Autopsy Services and Expert Testimony, PLLC, McAllen, TX** 2008 – 2013
  - Locum Tenens Forensic Pathologist
- **Webb County Medical Examiner Office, Laredo, TX** 2007 – 2008
  - Locum Tenens Medical Examiner
- **Marion County Coroner's Office, Indianapolis, IN** 2007 – 2008
  - Locum Tenens Forensic Pathologist
- **Indiana University School of Medicine, Indianapolis, Indiana** 2007 – 2008
  - Volunteer Clinical Assistant Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
- **RediClinic Services, Houston, TX** 2001 – 2008
  - Corporate Medical Director
- **Autopsy and Pathology Services, Houston, TX** 2001 – 2006
  - Autopsy Pathologist
- **Harris County Medical Examiner's Office, Houston, TX** 1999 – 2001
  - Assistant Medical Examiner

## Education

- **St. John's School, Houston, TX (1985)**
- **Plan II Interdisciplinary Honors Program, B.S.:** University of Texas (1989)
- **Research Assistant:** M.D. Anderson Summer Student Research Program, Dept. of Cellular Genetics (1987)
- **Medicine, M.D.:** University of Texas Southwestern Medical School (1993)
- **Resident:** Anatomic and Clinical Pathology, University of North Carolina Hospitals (1993 – 1997)
- **Forensic Pathology, Fellow:** Office of the Chief Medical Examiner (1997 – 1998)
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## Publications

- Krishnan LAG, Brecher ME. **“Transfusion-Transmitted Bacterial Infection.”** Hematology/Oncology Clinics of North America (Transfusion Medicine II), 167–185 (1995).
- Mukherji SK, Weeks S, Krishnan LAG, Castillo M. **“Squamous Cell Carcinomas That Arise in the Oral Cavity: Can CT Help Predict Perineural or Vascular Invasion?”** Radiology 1996; 198:157-162.
- Cherry LM, Faulkner AJ, Grossberg LA, Balczon R. **“Kinetochores Size Variation in Mammalian Chromosomes: An Image Analysis Study with Evolutionary Implications.”** *Journal of Cell Science*, 92, 281-289, 1989
- **Note:** Was Krishnan at time of publications, now Grossberg

## Presentations

- **“Medical Panelist for Writer’s Workshop.”** Houston, TX, March 2013
- Guest lecturer, Forensic Sciences Seminar, Texas A&M University, May 2009
- St. John’s School Annual Day speaker, Houston, Texas, Feb. 2008
- **“Anterior Tooth Characteristics in Homicide Victims.”** American Academy of Forensic Sciences Meeting, Odontology Section, San Francisco, CA, Feb. 1998