

## PROFESSIONAL BIOGRAPHY

### **Sam W. Downing, M.D.**

*Palliative Medicine*

#### **EDUCATION:**

Undergraduate, 1977–1981, The Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado

Medical, 1981–1985, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, Denver, Colorado

Residency, 1985–1988, Family Practice, Phoenix Baptist Hospital, Phoenix, Arizona

#### **LICENSES:**

Arizona State Medical License, Active

#### **CERTIFICATIONS:**

American Academy of Family Physicians, Board Certification, Active

American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Care, Board Certification, Active

American Academy of HIV Medicine, Board Certification, Active

Certified Medical Director; American Medical Director's Association, 2008



#### **VOLUNTEER SERVICE:**

Teenage Pregnancy Prevention (TAPP), Teen Maze, 1998–2008

Prescott Unified Methodist Church, Jr. and Sr. High Sunday School Teacher, 2000–2008

Co-founder, president and board member, Community Partnership for Comfort Care, Prescott, Arizona

#### **LANGUAGES:**

English as well as basic comprehension and speaking use of medical Spanish.

#### **HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:**

Hobbies: Sports, music, hiking and travelling.  
Areas of interest: medical ethics, sexually transmitted infections, medical economics