

# ***Curriculum vitae* -- Narrative Summary**

## **Lawrence M. Killingsworth, Ph.D., DABCC, FACB**

Lawrence M. Killingsworth, Ph.D., DABCC, FACB, is Vice President / Chief Science and Technical Officer for Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center Laboratories and Providence Associates Medical Laboratories in Spokane, Washington. He is also Chief Science and Technical Officer for network laboratories that cover the Pacific Northwest, including PacLab Network Laboratories in Seattle, Washington, Tri-Cities Laboratory in Kennewick, Washington, Treasure Valley Laboratories in Boise, Idaho, Alpha Clinical Laboratories in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho and Mountain Star Clinical Laboratories in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dr. Killingsworth received his B.S. degree in Chemistry from Emory University. After serving in the US Army, he received his Ph.D. in Clinical Pathology from the University of Florida, where he was a National Institutes of Health Academic Pathology Fellow. Dr. Killingsworth was Associate Director of the Clinical Chemistry Laboratories and Assistant Professor of Medicine and Pathology at University of North Carolina School of Medicine for four years, before moving to Spokane in 1977.

Dr. Killingsworth is certified as a Diplomate of the American Board of Clinical Chemistry and served on the board of directors of the ABCC. He is a Fellow in the Academy of Clinical Biochemistry. He has served on the boards of editors of several laboratory publications, as a reviewer for Clinical Chemistry and as chair of the board of editors of *Clinical Chemistry News*. An active member of the American Association for Clinical Chemistry for many years, he served on the AACC Publications Commission, several special purpose task forces, the board of directors, as national secretary and as national president of the association.

Dr. Killingsworth is a recipient of the Gerulat Award and the Miriam Reiner Award in recognition of his contributions to the field of clinical chemistry. He received the Streck Award from the University of Nebraska for his distinguished contributions to biochemistry and clinical chemistry. He received the Past President's Award from the AACC in recognition of his contributions to laboratory medicine. He is the recipient of the AACC national award for Outstanding Contributions through Service to the Profession of Clinical Chemistry. He is a six-time winner of the AACC Outstanding Speaker Award.

His research has been devoted to development of electrophoretic and immunochemical techniques for protein analysis and the application of these techniques to the study of proteins in health and disease. He has lectured extensively in the United States and in Europe and Asia on a wide range of subjects in the field of laboratory medicine. He has authored over 100 publications and is co-editor of a textbook on proteins.

Dr. Killingsworth has worked to develop laboratory networks in the Pacific Northwest and to standardize their scientific and technical operations. His Science & Technology Management Group oversees operations of 25 testing sites in the states of Washington, Idaho, Montana and Utah. His group standardizes all aspects of laboratory testing, maintains standardization, ensures that all testing sites remain at the leading edge of laboratory medicine and implements improvements in technology throughout the system. Dr. Killingsworth is a strong proponent of the network laboratory operational model, where rapid routine testing is performed at local hospitals and esoteric testing is performed in a regional reference laboratory.

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