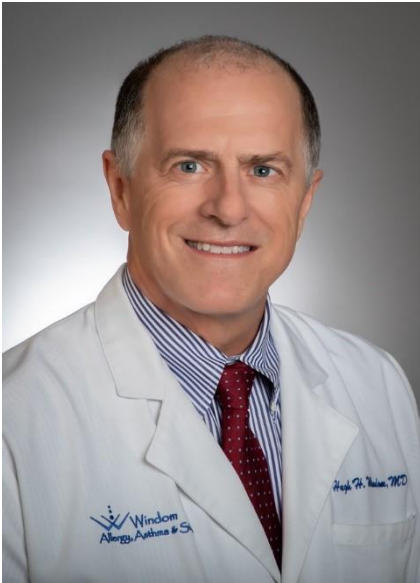


## 45<sup>th</sup> WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### USF INTERNAL MEDICINE & PEDIATRIC DIVISIONS OF ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY

This newsletter features Dr. Hugh H. Windom, MD, Affiliate Clinical Professor of Medicine, Division of Allergy and Immunology, Department of Internal Medicine, University of South Florida Morsani College of Medicine.



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***If you're ever in Sarasota, drop by and say hello!***



***Four wonderful children:***

***Left to Right - Grant, Porter, Caroline and Reed***





***Grant and Amanda – 8/1/20***



***Caroline and Chris Nigro – 10/10/20***



***Porter and Megan – 12/5/20***



***Wasn't much else to do in 2020, so we enlarged our family – Hugh and Anne, 2nd and 3rd from right.***

***From Dr. Hugh Windom, MD:***

I'd first like to thank Geeta for cranking out these weekly bios. It's been fun to put a story behind a face of colleagues in the Division. My story goes like this: I was raised in Sarasota, undergraduate and medical school at Duke, internal medicine residency at Georgetown, and, all the while, still not sure what I wanted to do when I grew up. It took a trip half-way around the world doing asthma research in Wellington, New Zealand, to bring A/I into focus. After a year abroad I did my fellowship training at Johns Hopkins.

I was welcomed on the USF clinical faculty during the summer of 1992, before I saw my 1<sup>st</sup> patient in my Sarasota practice. Dr. Lockey was so busy as AAAAI President and his usual Herculean duties, that I was let in unvetted. With a slowly growing practice and youthful energy, I was the attending physician at the Wednesday morning VA clinic for seven years. I then cut back to twice a month trips to Tampa, a schedule I still try to maintain.

I ended my loneliness of solo practice in 2014 when Jean Brown Ly joined Windom Allergy Asthma & Sinus. It wasn't long before I was outnumbered by women with the addition of Jennifer Ferguson in 2016 and finally Tara Saco in 2019. This is one big incestuous family, with all of them graduates of the USF A/I program. Together we operate Sarasota Clinical Research, the Food Allergy Center of Florida, and the newly minted Mast Cell Center of Florida.

I'm blessed to have an even more fantastic biologic family, who I'm proud to show off in the attached pictures.

Dr. Hugh Windom has been affiliated with the Division of Allergy and Immunology, Department of Internal Medicine for over 25 years. He is a friend and colleague we can always count on. The Division appreciates his dedication and commitment to the patients he sees in the VA allergy and immunology clinic. Great man, physician, colleague and friend!

With warm regards,

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