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Dr. Burgess earned her doctorate of medicine degree-Alpha Omega Alpha from Howard University College of Medicine in Washington, DC, completed an internship in internal medicine and a residency in dermatology at Howard University Hospital in 1988. She is a Fellow and member of the American Academy of Dermatology (AAD), the American Dermatologic Association (ADA), the American Society of Dermatologic Surgery (ASDS) and the American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery (AACS). She has served on the Board of Directors for the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery, Women's Dermatologic and Skin of Color Society. She also served as the Chair and Vice-Chair for the Dermatology Foundation in the District of Columbia.

Dr. Burgess is a nationally and internationally recognized key opinion leader, innovator and authority on advanced technologies in non-invasive aesthetics procedures. She has written, lectured and trained physicians extensively on her patented technique (U.S. Patent No. 7,637,900 and US PCT 8,038,665,B2; Mexican Patent PA/a/2005/009803 304475; and Canadian Cdn serial number 2,519,120) methods of administering a material into a patient for dermal enhancement and neuromodulators injection techniques before annual conferences of the AAD and ASDS. She is also a clinical research principal investigator, consultant and advisor to Allergan, Inc. (Botox® and Juvederm®), LaRoche Posay (LaRoche Posay® dermatologic products and sun protection), Merz (Belotero®, Radiesse®, Ultherapy®, Xeomin® and Celfina®), and Biocosmetic Research Labs (Black Opal® skin care and color cosmetics). She has also served on medical advisory boards for Galderma (Restylane®, Dysport® and Sculptra®), Johnson & Johnson (RoC®, Aveeno®). She has authored and published articles in numerous scientific peer review journals to include: *Dermatologic Surgery*, *Journal of Drugs in Dermatology*, *Aesthetic Plastic Surgery*, *Cosmetic Dermatology*, *Cutis* and the *Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology* and is currently the Associate Editor of the *Journal of Cosmetic Dermatology*.

Dr. Burgess appears as a medical correspondent for dermatology updates on NBC-WRC Mid-Day News and been recognized as one of the top dermatologists by her peers in *Washingtonian Magazine*. You may also find articles featuring Dr. Burgess in *O Magazine*, *InStyle*, *New You*, *Prevention Magazine*, *Glamour*, *Essence*, *Elle*, and *Washingtonian*.

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