



- *Executive Vice President, Clinical Affairs*
  - *Professor of Medicine*
  - *Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care & Sleep Medicine*
  - *Department of Medicine*
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#### Conditions Treated:

- *Vasculitis*
- *Autoimmune Lung Diseases*

#### Programs & Services:

- *Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD) Program*
- *Department of Medicine*
- *Division of Pulmonary, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine (Adult)*

Dr. Frankel's primary focus is how to provide our patients with the highest quality, patient-centered care anywhere, reliably, efficiently, and consistent with the "National Jewish way." He is committed to making sure our patients received both evidence-based best practice and individualized, precision medicine. Dr. Frankel works closely with all of our care partners and inpatient facilities to assure that our patients are cared for throughout the entire continuum of care, both inpatient and outpatient, and that careful attention is paid to the transitions between these domains and care coordination. Ultimately, Dr. Frankel's core mission is making sure we meet the care needs of our patients and our community.

Academically, Dr. Frankel is a nationally-recognized expert in interstitial lung diseases and vasculitis, and he is an integral part of the National Jewish Interstitial Lung Disease Program. Over the course of his career he has been involved in basic science, translational and clinical research in both interstitial lung disease and critical care medicine. Presently, his primary academic focus is on health service delivery, continuous quality improvement, and health care policy.

#### Board Certification

Internal Medicine  
Pulmonary Medicine  
Critical Care Medicine

#### Education

1987 - 1991 Harvard College, Harvard University, BA, Biology  
1991 - 1995 Harvard Medical School, Harvard University, MD

#### Residency

1995 - 1998 Beth Israel Hospital (Boston, MA), Internship and Residency, Internal Medicine

#### Fellowship

1998 - 2001 University of Colorado Denver, Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine

## Affiliations with the University of Colorado Denver

Professor, Division of Pulmonary Sciences & Critical Care Medicine, Department of Medicine

## Professional Memberships

CHEST (American College of Chest Physicians), Fellow  
American College of Critical Care Medicine, Fellow

## Awards & Recognition

2007-2014: Top Doctor, Critical Care Medicine, 5280 Magazine  
2012: Citizen of the Year, National Jewish Health  
2010-2012: Chair, Steering Committee, Interstitial and Diffuse Lung Disease Network, American College of Chest Physicians

## Publications

**Frankel, S.K.**, and Moss, M. (2014) The Effect of Organizational Structure and Processes of Care on ICU Mortality as Revealed by the United States Critical Illness and Injury Trials Group Critical Illness Outcomes Study. *Crit Care Med.* **42(2)**: 463-4. PMID: 24434451.

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Fernandez-Perez, E.R and **Frankel, S.K.** (2013) Eosinophilic Lung Diseases. *Clinical Pulmonary Medicine.* **20**:280-291.

**Frankel, S. K.** and Schwarz, M.I. (2012) Concise Clinical Review of the Pulmonary Vasculitides. *Am J Respir Crit Care Med* **186**: 216-224. PMID 22679011.

Huie, T. J, Olson, A. L., Cosgrove, G. P., Janssen, W. J., Lara, A. R., Lynch, D. A., Groshong, S. D., Moss, M., Schwarz, M. I., Brown, K. K., and **Frankel, S.K** (2010) A detailed evaluation of acute respiratory decline in patients with fibrotic lung disease: aetiology and outcomes. *Respirology*: **15 (6)** 909-917. PMID: 20546190.

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