

DERMATOPATHOLOGY

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New England is pleased to welcome Meera Mahalingam, MD, PhD, FRCPath to the dermatopathology team in the north region

Dr. Mahalingam is a board certified pathologist as well as board certified dermatopathologist. She is a prolific writer and prodigious researcher with over 180 original publications, several book chapters and a recently released book (July 2016) entitled *Pearls and Pitfalls in Neoplastic Dermatopathology*.

Dr Mahalingam has served as a Board member of the American Society of Dermatopathology (ASDP) since 2003 in key leadership positions. She is an invited speaker at both national as well as international dermatology, pathology and dermatopathology meetings and serves on multiple editorial boards (*Journal of Cutaneous Pathology, Modern Pathology, Human Pathology and Advances in Anatomic Pathology*). In 2014, she was invited by the American Board of Pathology to serve as a member of the Dermatopathology Test Advisory Committee, a position she continues to hold to this date.

Board Certifications

Anatomic and Clinical Pathology
Dermatopathology

Residencies

Anatomic and Clinical Pathology
Boston Medical Center
Boston, MA

Medical School

Darbhanga Medical College,
Mithila University
Darbhanga, India

Fellowship

Dermatopathology
Boston University
School of Medicine
Boston, MA

Anatomic and Clinical Pathology
Arrow Park/Royal Liverpool
Hospital, Ashford Hospital,
Middlesex, King's College Hospital
London, UK

Select Publications

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