

Barbara Paris, MD FACP

Bio

Dr. Barbara Paris is currently Vice-Chair of Medicine and Director of the Division of Geriatrics at Maimonides Medical Center in Brooklyn NY. She was trained in Geriatric Medicine at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine in NY and remained on the full time faculty at Mount Sinai for over 15 years. Dr. Paris is currently a Clinical Professor of Medicine, Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine both at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine and the The Albert Einstein School of Medicine of Yeshiva University.

Having grown up in New York City and raised in a Jewish family, Dr. Paris became aware of the holocaust as a child, listening to stories about life in Europe before World War 2 from her grandparents. Deeply affected by this, as a physician, she has always studied and collaborated with doctors both in America and in Israel in studying the needs of survivors from both research and clinical perspectives. Her current clinical practice is located in Boro Park which has the highest concentration of aging survivors in the United States. She is well known and respected throughout the metropolitan area for her care and knowledge of the needs of this population.