

## About the Speakers



### Jeffrey G. Proctor, MD

*Director of Interstitial Cystitis, Georgia Urology, PA*

Jeffrey G. Proctor, MD offers urologic expertise in interstitial cystitis, overactive bladder, and interstim therapy.

Dr. Proctor completed his undergraduate degree at the University of California, Irvine, with a Master of Science in Molecular Biology & Biochemistry. He then graduated from New York Medical College, where he was honored with the Sprague Carlton, MD Award for Proficiency in Urology. Dr. Proctor completed both his internship and residency at New York Medical College.

Dr. Proctor has been involved in national research protocols for IC, serving as the principal investigator for a national, multi-center study. He is board-certified by the American Board of Urology and is a member of the American Urological Association, Southeastern Section American Urological Association, Society of Infections and Inflammation in Urology, Glycosaminoglycan Society, and Physician National Advisory Board for Elmiron.

Dr. Proctor, a native of Seattle, Washington, lives with his wife, Vivian, and their two children. His outside interests include family, cooking, sports and beach trips.

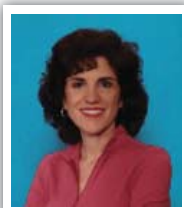


### Anna C. Kelly, MD

*Acupuncturist and Anesthesiology Consultant, Metro Anesthesia Services*

Anna C. Kelly, MD has been successful in treating various bladder issues including IC with the use of acupuncture and Chinese herbs.

Dr. Kelly is a 1989 graduate of Emory University School of Medicine, where she also completed four years of residency training in anesthesiology. She is a graduate of "Medical Acupuncture for Physicians" through UCLA. Dr. Kelly is board-certified by the American Board of Anesthesiology and American Board of Medical Acupuncture. She is the President of the Georgia Association of Medical Acupuncturists and is licensed to practice acupuncture in Georgia and South Carolina.



### Susan Bilheimer

*Co-author of "Secret Suffering: How Women's Sexual & Pelvic Pain Affects Their Relationships" (Praeger Publishers, May 2009)*

A freelance writer and author for over nineteen years, Susan Bilheimer's articles and personality profiles have appeared in regional and national magazines, and she has been interviewed in national and local media for her expertise in midlife issues, meditation, self-publishing, and technical writing. As Bilheimer's own pelvic pain issues, including IC, began to dominate her health and marriage, her work turned to helping women with pelvic and sexual pain, which led to the [www.SecretSuffering.com](http://www.SecretSuffering.com) website and book, co-authored with Dr. Robert J. Echenberg, a gynecologist and pelvic pain specialist.

Bilheimer is currently developing "The Midlife Woman" radio show. For more information, please contact her at 888-241-1461 or [susan@secretsuffering.com](mailto:susan@secretsuffering.com).