

# Profile

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## **Dr. Anil Yallapragada**

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Dr. Yallapragada is the Chief of Neurovascular Medicine at the University of South Carolina and Medical Director of Palmetto Richland Health Systems Advanced Primary Stroke Center. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology as well as Diplomate of the American Board of Vascular Neurology.

He completed his Neurology Residency at the University of Chicago and his Stroke Fellowship at the University of California Los Angeles - Ronald Reagan Medical Center.

In 2015 he was awarded the AHA South Carolina Legacy of Life award after developing a stroke system of care in Horry County that resulted in the fastest reported Door to Needle times in North America. He was also awarded the 2015 American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin Young Physician of the Year award.

He currently serves on the AHA Mid-Atlantic Board of Directors, the AHA South Carolina Advocacy council, and the SC State Board of Physical therapy Examiners.

Dr. Yallapragada has actively been engaged with political advocacy through the AAN, AHA, and AAPI. He was a 2015-2016 National Finalist for the White House Fellowship. He is active in medical education and his research interests include stroke systems of care and stroke prevention.