

## Kenneth J TOMECKI

Ken Tomecki is a staff physician / consultant, Dept of Dermatology, at the Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio. A native New Yorker with strong Brooklyn roots, he's a graduate of Columbia College and Columbia College of Physicians & Surgeons. He completed his medical and derm training at SUNY at Buffalo, followed by fellowship at the National Cancer Institute, NIH. He's a Board-certified dermatologist, on assignment in Cleveland since 1980.

Dr Tomecki is a clinician / educator whose areas of expertise cover the gamut of adult medical dermatology. His main areas of interest are infectious diseases and medical education. He lectures regularly, nationally and internationally, including many stints as visiting professor. He's the author of more than 200 primary and secondary publications, including more than 50 book chapters. He has been an assistant editor of The JAAD and currently serves on its editorial board. He is an active member of the American Academy of Dermatology (AAD) and has served the Academy in many ways, via committee / council work and as a regular program director and speaker at the AAD annual meeting and summer meeting. He was an elected member of the AAD Board of directors for four years, later Vice-President, then President (2021-22). He is a member of the American Dermatologic Association (ADA), the oldest derm group in the US, and recently served as its President, 2023-2024. He has been a member of the International Society of Dermatology for more than 20 years, having served as Board member and as Vice President.

Extracurricular interests include politics, history, baseball, and good times, always, invariably with Eileen, his better half for more than 50 years.