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**DR. IRA FOX IS INAUGURAL EXECUTIVE EXAMINER AT  
1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL WORLD INSTITUTE OF PAIN AND  
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PAIN MEDICINE ULTRASONOGRAPHY  
INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS**

**MIAMI** – Ira Fox, MD, DABPM, FIPP, ABIPP and co-founder of Anesthesia Pain Care Consultants was an inaugural executive examiner at the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual World Institute of Pain and American Academy of Pain Medicine Ultrasonography International Congress in Miami. He assessed candidates for their Certified Interventional Pain Sonologist (CIPS) designation.

The American Academy of Pain Medicine Ultrasonography (AAPMU) is a multidisciplinary educational non-profit organization conducting practical CME accredited courses and striving to provide practical evidence-based approaches in procedural anatomy and interventional techniques related to chronic pain conditions.

Dr. Fox is highly experienced at evaluating techniques and procedures, as he has been a worldwide examiner for the World Institute of Pain's Fellow of Interventional Pain Practice (FIPP) designation for the past 10 years.

"It was an honor and a pleasure to serve as one of the first executive examiners for the AAPMU's Certified Interventional Pain Sonologist examination," said Dr. Fox. Fox explained that the exam, while similar to the FIPP test, is more oriented toward interventional pain techniques guided by ultrasound imaging.

The next CIPS examination will be held in Maastricht, Netherlands in June and again in Miami in December.

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**ABOUT ANESTHESIA PAIN CARE CONSULTANTS**

Anesthesia Pain Care Consultants, based in Tamarac, FL, has built a reputation for excellence and success in relieving pain for its patients. Founded in 1996, the mission of APCC is to concentrate on the diagnosis and treatment of pain through the use of interventional techniques, as well as physical therapy and medication management, when needed. Dr. Ira Fox, MD, DABPM, FIPP, ABIPP, performs IMEs and functions as an expert medical witness in personal injury and workers' comp cases. Dedicated physicians, modern technology and extensive experience are combined at APCC to provide significant pain reduction associated with accidents, surgery and chronic conditions. To learn more about APCC, please visit [www.AnesthesiaPainCare.com](http://www.AnesthesiaPainCare.com).

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