



National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality

*Biographical Data Form
Hildren Machuca*

Education (include basic preparation through highest degree held)			
Degree	Institution (Name, City, State)	Major Area of Study	Year
BA	Barnard College, Columbia university	Psychology	1992
MA	Queens College, City University	Biological Sciences	1996
DO	University of Health Sciences	Doctor of Osteopathy	2000

Use the space below to provide a brief bio describing professional experience or areas of expertise related to involvement in continuing education and particular role, e.g., planner, presenter, administrator, etc.

Hildred Machuca is a general pediatrician. She graduated from the University of Health and Biosciences, in Kansas City Missouri. She received her degree in osteopathic medicine in 2000. Hildred did her pediatric residency at Schneider Children's Hospital in New Hyde Park, NY where she was also named intern of the year and served as chief resident. After graduating from residency she worked for the Young Adult Institute (YAI) for one year providing medical care to children with physical and mental disabilities. Since August of 2005, Hildred has worked at the South Bronx Health Center for Children and Families as a general pediatrician. She works with all ages, ranging from newborns to young adults. While at the health center, she has increased her knowledge about asthma, obesity, mental health issues, and adolescent care. She works with a culturally diverse and economically disadvantaged population. Since February 2007 she founded and facilitates Well Baby Group Care program. Currently she has facilitated four groups. She is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics.