

DR. JAY BUSH

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Know from whence you came. If you know whence you came, there are absolutely no limitations to where you can go.

– James Baldwin



Through a remarkable career that spans multiple industries and disciplines, Dr. James A. Bush is committed to walking in his courageous ancestors' footsteps – paving a path that uplifts others through healthcare awareness and education. He is the Founder and Executive Director of The Lizzie Porter Foundation, named in honor of his great-great-grandmother, a domestic servant in the Deep South; she was the backbone of her family and community. Since 2015, this Atlanta-area nonprofit organization focuses on providing healthcare awareness and education to African Americans through partnerships with local healthcare providers.

Dr. Bush is a decorated military veteran, sought-after speaker and educator, and an author. His first publication, *You Got Me Fact'ed Up*, is a satirical and historical look at the impact of systemic racism on the African American community. He also authored, *Standing on Tables: A Guide for Making Learning Engaging for Adults*. His engaging catalog of resources is expanding as more books, seminars, and training materials are forthcoming.

Dr. Bush's core belief is that education is the great equalizer. In the corporate arena, he is a Senior Solutions Trainer and Consultant for nThrive, specializing in Healthcare Informatics and Hospital Revenue Cycle solutions. Through his wealth of knowledge, research, and real-life experiences, he maximizes every opportunity to educate community members by drawing on the wisdom and examples passed down to him. He notes, "Many in my family devoted their lives to the service and enrichment of others, and I am no different." As Dr. Bush continues to forge the path of servant-leadership, his unparalleled mission to help others visualize and reach their greatest potential has only just begun. More information to come on his new website, drjamesabush.com.

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Military Decorations, Distinguishments, & Education

As a former Army Drill Instructor, James proudly served in Operation Iraq Freedom as a Combat Medic with the 10th Combat Support Hospital and 30th Medical Brigade. He is the recipient of two Army Commation Medals, an Army Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Korea Defense Service Medal, and the Global War on Terrorism/Iraq Champion Medal.

With a heart of service, James serves as the President of the Board of Directors of the RISE Charter Schools, he sits on the Executive Board of Directors for NURSE Inc., and he is Managing Partner of N&J Postsecondary Consulting. A career in Adult Education and Training has afforded James the opportunity to serve as Senior Technical Trainer for McKesson Healthcare Technologies, Adjunct Professor of Health Sciences at Anthem College, Guest Lecture at Herzing University, Medical Department Chair at UEI College, and Regional Director of Education for the American Professional Institute.

Prior to joining the Army, James attended Bethune-Cookman University. He holds a Masters in Healthcare Administration from American Intercontinental University. In 2020, he earned a Doctor of Philosophy in Healthcare Administration from Northcentral University. There, he conducted an extensive qualitative study on the barriers in career attainment of African Americans and the need for sponsorship.



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