

Ken Zafren – Biographical Sketch for EACEM 2021

Ken Zafren, MD, FAAEM, FACEP, FAWM lives in Anchorage, Alaska, USA. He is an emergency physician at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage and at the Stanford University Medical Center, Stanford, California USA, where he is an attending physician and Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine. He got his start in mountain rescue with the Rocky Mountain Rescue Group in Boulder, Colorado USA in 1975.

Dr. Zafren is the Associate Medical Director of the Himalayan Rescue Association (Nepal) and is a past Vice President of the International Commission for Mountain Emergency Medicine (ICAR MedCoM). Dr. Zafren has also served as the Emergency Programs Medical Director for the State of Alaska and as Medical Director for the Alaska Mountain Rescue Group.