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Current Positions

Assistant Professor and Pediatrician 1997-Present
Department of Community and Family Medicine
University Health Lakewood Medical Center
University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine
Kansas City, MO

Pediatrician 2007-Present
Independence Pediatrics
Independence, MO

Education

Residency, Pediatrics, University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics 1992-1995
Madison, Wisconsin
Residency, Indian Health Service, Shiprock, New Mexico 1995
M.D., University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia 1988-1992
M.B.A., University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 1983-1985
B.S. in Civil Engineering (Summa Cum Laude), Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Virginia 1977-1982

Academic Appointments

Assistant Professor and Pediatrician 1997-Present
Department of Community and Family Medicine
University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine
Kansas City, MO

Clinical Preceptor 2015-2020
Training Nurse Practitioners
Graceland University, Research Medical, Central Missouri University,
Maryville University, Walden University
Kansas City, MO

Professional Positions and Experience

Pediatrician 1995-1997
National Health Services Corps
People's Community Health Clinic, Inc.
Waterloo, Iowa

Certification and Licensure

Diplomate, American Board of Pediatrics (600843) 1995-Present
Missouri State Medical License (113854) 1997-2025
Iowa State Medical License (1995)
Wisconsin State Medical License (1994)
NRP Instructor exp 2/2026

PALs Instructor exp 6/2024
Medical Conversational: Spanish (intermediate), French (intermediate) and Portuguese (beginner)

Professional Development

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| Sixth International NYU Langone Hip Dysplasia Symposium: Collective Intelligence and Shared Experience | 2024 |
| Truman Medical Center Patient Experience program completion | 2021 |
| ECHO Autism project participant. Completed STAT assessment tool training | 2021-2022 |
| ECHO American Academy of Pediatrics Anxiety and Depression | 2021-2022 |
| Comparative Health Systems, University of Pennsylvania and Coursera | 2021 |

Committee Assignments and Administrative Services

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| Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee, University Health | 2008-Present |
| Hospital Director, Reach-Out-and-Read program, TMC-Lakewood | 2012-2022 |
| University Physicians Associates Operations Committee | 2013-2023 |
| Breastfeeding Friendly Task Force/ Performance Improvement Project | 2015-2018 |
| Infection Control Committee, Truman Medical Center-Lakewood | 2005-2011 |
| Medical Records Committee, Truman Medical Center-Lakewood | 2002-2005 |
| Project to Promote Breastfeeding, Truman Medical Center-Lakewood | 1998 |
| Medical Education Committee, N. E. Iowa F.P. Residency, Waterloo, Iowa | 1995-1997 |

Honors and Awards

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| Consultant of the Year, University of Missouri -K.C. Family Practice Residency | 2010 |
| Consultant of the Year, University of Missouri -K.C. Family Practice Residency | 2009 |
| Consultant of the Year, University of Missouri -K.C. Family Practice Residency | 2003 |
| Certificate of Active Teaching, American Board of Family Practice | 1995 |
| Tapan Hazra Scholarship for smoking cessation research, University of Virginia | 1991 |
| James R. Cash Award for Pathology, University of Virginia | 1990 |
| Undergraduate class rank in major (Civil Engineering) 1/176 | 1982 |
| Tau Beta Pi engineering honor society | 1981 |

Publications

Steffen, J. Harper, D, Photoclinic "**Subperiosteal Abscess**" *Consultant for Pediatricians*, December 2012, Vol. 11 No. 12, page 435

*-Additional submitted photo use as part of: **Eye Infection: Cures for a Common Ailment, Part 2** by Sethuraman and Kamat *Consultant for Pediatricians*, December 2012, Vol.11 No. 12, pages 405-409

*-Photo used on front cover of *Consultant for Pediatricians*, December 2012, Vol. 11 No. 5.

Steffen, J. Harper, D. Photoclinic "**Congenital Epulis**" *Consultant for Pediatricians*. May 2011, Vol. 10 No. 5, pages 167-8

Oral Presentations

Invited Presentations

Review and Management of **Hyperbilirubinemia**, 2014
Missouri Academy of Family Physicians. 66th Annual assembly
Lake of the Ozarks, Missouri

Professional Community Activities

Christian Children's Fund sponsor 1986-2023
Director Health Ministry, 7th Day Adventist Multicultural Church of KC 2014-2016
Maranatha Volunteers International. Dominican Republic. Mobile Medical Clinic 2015
Task Force on Overuse of Antibiotics, Jackson County, Missouri 1999-2000
Team in Training, Leukemia Society of America 1998-1999