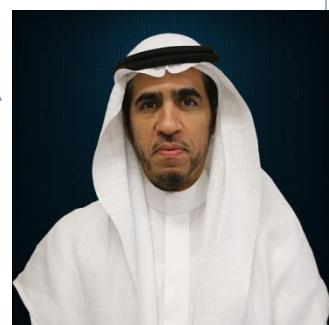


CURRICULUM VITAE

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Chief Executive Officer / Pulmonology Consultant
King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz University Hospital
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Personal Information

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Medical Education

Clinical Fellowship, Pediatric Respiratory Medicine (January 2001 – May 2003)
The Hospital of Sick Children's – Toronto, Canada

Arab and Saudi Board Residency Training Program (November 1995– October 1998)
(Pediatrics) Children's Hospital, Riyadh Medical Complex, – Riyadh, KSA

Diploma in Child Health (DCH) (October 1994 – October 1995)
University of Edinburgh – Scotland, UK

MBBS (1986 – 1994)
King Saud University, College of Medicine – Riyadh, KSA

Post Graduate Certificate & Degrees

Masters in Health Administration (July 2008)
Washington University School of Medicine & Washington University – St. Louis, USA

Pediatric Pulmonology Fellowship (May 2003)
University of Toronto - Toronto, Canada

Arab Board of Pediatrics (February 1999)
KSA

Diploma in Child Health (October 1995)
University of Edinburgh – Scotland, UK

Leadership / Clinical Positions

Establishing Chief Executive Officer (December 2013 up to Present)

King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz University Hospital, Princess Nourah University, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Full responsibility of commissioning this state of the art green field hospital
- ▶ Develop Strategic planning and EPA
- ▶ Recruit and build human capital capabilities to operate the new hospital
- ▶ Build and establish all the administrative, finance, operational and medical infrastructure.
- ▶ Vision to be the remodel for the other 18 new university hospital under MOE.

Medical Director (April 2011 - November 2013)

Riyadh National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Provide high quality medical care with a high degree of clinical safety
- ▶ Responsible for the professional conduct of all Medical Staff and all of the standards of medical care

Commissioning Director (April 2011 - November 2013)

New Riyadh National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Fully Responsible for the management of the overall Operational, Execution and monitoring of all Commissioning activities Management Project according to the project plan
- ▶ Supervise team leaders and vendors.
- ▶ Provide overall project direction.
- ▶ Direct/lead team members toward project objectives.
- ▶ Handle problem resolution.
- ▶ Manage the commissioning budget.
- ▶ Full change management plan to move current RNH from "Good to Great"
- ▶ New Hospital Operated on September 2013.

CEO Advisor (June 2009 – 2011)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

Associate Executive Director of Medical Administrations (June 2008 – June 2009)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Completed the approval of the organizational structure for all Medical Administrations.
- ▶ Completed and approved the manpower for all the Medical Administrations.
- ▶ Initiated the implementation of the leadership allowances for leaders post.

Executive Assistant Director for Medical Affairs(January 2008 – June 2009)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Established the following offices:
 - ✓ Medical Staff Office
 - ✓ Clinical Programs Office &
 - ✓ Health Professional Credentialing Office.

Chairman, Pediatric Medicine Department, Children's Hospital (Dec. 2005 – Jan. 2008)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Key role in establishing collaboration with Cincinnati Children's Hospital, USA.
- ▶ Established and signed a collaboration and affiliation agreement with the College of Medicine, KSU.
- ▶ Continue to build all the units and recruitment of high caliber staff.

Director, Continuous Medical Education, Academic and Training Affairs (Jun 2004- Dec. 2005)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Establishing Director.
- ▶ Established the department and finished all the policy, procedures and guidelines, organization structure, manpower.
- ▶ Organized the 1st academic calendar & 32 CME activities in one year.

Director, Continuous Medical Education & Training Dept., Children's Hospital (Jan.–Jun. 2006)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ Set the basics for the CME & Training activities in Children's Hospital.

Head, Pediatric Pulmonary Section, Children's Hospital (Nov. 2003 – Sept. 2008)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

- ▶ The establishing Head.
- ▶ Finished all the policies & procedures for the section
- ▶ Manpower Approved

Councils, Boards & Committees

King Khalid University Medical City, Abha

Board of Directors, Member (October 2017)

*Ongoing

King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz University Hospital

KAAUH Board of Directors, General Secretary (October 2016)

*Ongoing

Hospital Executive Council, Chairman (February 2015)

*Ongoing

Quality & Patient Safety Council, Chairman (December 2014)

*Ongoing

Training and Research Council, Chairman (February 2015)

*Ongoing

Commissioning Oversight Board, Chairman (January 2014 - December 2017)

*Done

Space Management and Allocation Committee, Chairman (November 2014)

*Ongoing

HealthCare Costing Model Steering Committee, Chairman (November 2015)

*Ongoing

KAAUH Opening Steering Committee, Chairman (January 2017)

*Done

Budget Steering Committee, Chairman (November 2014)

*Ongoing

Strategic Management Office Project Steering Committee, Chairman

(September 2014) *Done

KAAUH workforce Committee, Chairman (July 2014 – July 2017)

*Done

ERP Steering Committee, Chairman (June 2014)

*Done

Tender Awarding Committee, Chairman (December 2013 – December 2016)

*Done

Riyadh National Care

Medical Manpower & Recruitment Committee

Credentialing & Privileging Committee

Pharmacy & Therapeutic Committee

Quality Council

Medical Executive Council

King Fahad Medical City

Children's Hospital Fund Raising & Management Committee

Child Safety Committee

Senior Staff Conflict Resolution

Employee Rights Committee

Comprehensive Education Committee

Organized CME Activities

1st International Patient Experience Conference (November 3-5, 2015)

PNU, Riyadh, KSA

*Steering Committee Chairman

Scourge of Asthma (December 22, 2011)

KSA

*Organizing Committee Chairman

2nd Annual Congress APPA (November 23- 25 2010)

Beirut, Lebanon

*Organizing Committee Member

Childhood Asthma & Common Respiratory Problem

1st Outreach CME Activity organized by KFMC (July 9 – 10, 2010)

Hail, KSA

*Organizing Committee Chairman

3rd ACHC Conference (January 17 – 20, 2010)

Children's Hospital, King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Organizing Committee Member

2nd ACHC Conference (January 19-22, 2008)

Children's Hospital, King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Organizing Committee Member

1st ACHC Conference (December 5-7, 2005)

Children's Hospital, King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Organizing Committee Co-Chairman

Medical Conferences and Courses Attended as Speaker / Session's Chairperson

Pediatric Pulmonology Congress 2018 (February 23-25, 2018)

Marriott Hotel, Riyadh, KSA

*Chairman

International Patient Experience Summit: Caring by Nature (January 23 – 24, 2018)

Sultan bin Abdulaziz Humanitarian City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker

Pediatric Pulmonology Congress 2017 (February 24-27, 2017)

Marriott Hotel, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – Asthma Mimickers

5th Saudi Pediatric Association Conference (February 7-9, 2017)

Riyadh International Convention & Exhibition Center, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – Asthma Guidelines in Practices

Asthma Day Seminar 2016 (May 5, 2016)

King Abdullah bin Abdulaziz University Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – Asthma in Children

Pediatric Clinical Course (November 1-5, 2014)

King Saud Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

Saudi International Conference on Residency Education: Innovation in Post Graduate Medical Education (October 21 – 22, 2014)

23rd Pediatric Clinical Course (November 17-21, 2013)

King Saud Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

Middle East Pediatric Nutrition Updates 1 (May 17-18, 2013)

Budapest, Hungary

*Speaker - Asthma, Allergy & Nutrition

Asthma Awareness Day (March 6, 2013)

Chambers of Commerce, KSA

* Speaker - How to Control Asthma

Updates on Asthma Management Conference (November 22 – 23, 2012)

Jeddah, KSA

*Speaker

Asthma Symptoms and Workshop (May 2, 2012)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker

Childhood Asthma & Common Respiratory Problems Course (October 12 – 13, 2011)

King Abdullah Hospital - Bisha, KSA

*Chairman & Speaker

First Annual MEAP Regional Pediatric Congress

"Updates in Pediatric Nutrition" (April 27-28, 2011)

Grand Millennium Hotel – Dubai, UAE

*Speaker

20th Intensive Pediatric Clinical Course (December 4-8, 2010)

Children's Hospital. King Saud Medical City

*Speaker

Pediatric and Adolescent Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Workshop (July 15 - 16, 2010)

King Faisal Specialist Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

* Chairman

Childhood Asthma & Common Respiratory Problems Course (July 9 -10, 2010)

Hail, KSA

*Speaker - Asthma Mimickers, Asthma Medications " The Goal is Total Control" & Passive Smoking

Respiratory System Disorders (Under Saudi Pediatric Association) (April 6 – 8, 2010)

Aljouf, KSA

*Speaker - Passive Smoking in Children, Asthma Medications & Asthma Control Test

Pediatric Pulmonary for Non-Pediatric Pulmonologist Course (March 31, 2010)

KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Am I Dealing with Asthma?

Medicine 2010, Raising the Standard of Education and Care Symposium (March 15 – 18, 2010)

KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

*Chairman

Hot Topics 4, Clinical Pearls in Pediatrics (February 3 – 4, 2010)

KFH, Al Khobar, KSA

*Speaker - Asthma Devices & Recurrent Chest Infection

3rd International Conference for Advanced Child Health Care (January 17 – 20, 2010)

KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

*Chairperson - Pulmonary Session

Pediatric Asthma Management (November 12, 2009)

Novotel Hotel, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Approach to Childhood Asthma, Asthma Devices, Asthma Control Test

Arab Pediatric Pulmonology Association, 1st Annual Congress APPA (October 21-23, 2009) Alexandria, Egypt

*Speaker - Childhood Asthma Devices & What, When & Why?

Smoking Cessation: Improving the Role of the Health Care Provider Pharmacy Organized Symposium (July 7, 2009)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

* Speaker

Clinical Course in Pediatrics (December 2, 2008)

CH, RMC, Riyadh, KSA

* Examiner & Speaker

International Asthma Day, Children's Hospital (May 3, 2006)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Childhood Asthma Program in KFMC

Approach to Wheezy Chest (January 13, 2006)

Children's Hospital, Riyadh Medical Complex, Riyadh, KSA

*Grand Round

1st Al-Baha Pediatric Conference (November 15 - 16, 2005)

Albaha, KSA

*Speaker - Bronchial Asthma, Recent Advances

Pediatric Update (May 25, 2005)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Recent Advance in Treatment of Bronchial Asthma

First Pediatric Update Symposium (March 2, 2005)

Tabuk, KSA

*Speaker - Discussion of Cavitory Lung Diseases & Updated Guidelines of Bronchial Asthma Management

Ethics in Medical Field (December 15 - 16, 2004)

Riyadh, KSA

* Session's Chairperson

Update in Allergic & Immunologic Disorders in Childhood (October 5 -6, 2004)

Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Use of Oral Devices in Bronchial Asthma in Children

Medical Conferences and Courses Attended as Participant / Examiner

International Patient Experience Summit: Caring by Nature (January 23 – 24, 2018)

Sultan bin Abdulaziz Humanitarian City, Riyadh, KSA

Pediatric Final OSCE (2017-2018)

Princess Nourah bint Abdul Rahman University, Riyadh, KSA

*Examiner

Pediatric Final OSCE (November 19-20, 2017)

Saudi Commission for Health Specialties, Riyadh, KSA

*Examiner

Pediatric Final OSCE (November 26-27, 2016)

Saudi Commission for Health Specialties, Riyadh, KSA

*Examiner

26th Pediatric Clinical Course (November 13-17, 2016)

King Saud Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Examiner

Asthma Day Seminar (May 5, 2016)

King Abdullah bin Abdulaziz University Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Inhaler Techniques – Train the Trainer (September 29, 2015)

Amsterdam, Netherlands

Pediatric Lung Function tests reference values (September 29, 2015)

Amsterdam, Netherlands

Lower Respiratory Tract Infection in Children (September 29, 2015)

Amsterdam, Netherlands

European Respiratory Society (26 – 30 September 2015)

Amsterdam, Netherlands

Saudi Health Exhibition and Conference (May 18 – 20, 2015)
Riyadh, KSA

Middle East Allergy Masterclass (April 10-11, 2015)
Dubai, UAE

Saudi International Conference on Residency Education: Innovation in Post Graduate Medical Education (October 21 – 22, 2014)
Riyadh, KSA

Prevention and Management of Infant Allergy (September 14, 2013)
Dubai, UAE

12th International Congress on Pediatric Pulmonology (June 29 – July 1, 2013)
Valencia, Spain

5th Pediatric Pulmonary Course for Non-Pulmonologist (March 13, 2013)
KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

Medical Awareness Week (December 22 – 26, 2012)
Riyadh National Hospital , Riyadh, KSA

22nd Intensive Pediatric Clinical Course (December 1-5, 2012)
King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

3rd AFME Expert Forum (October 13- 14, 2012)
Cairo, Egypt

Advisory Board Forum (September 12, 2012)
Medina, KSA

Scourge of Diabetes (December 22, 2011)
National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Childhood Asthma & Common Respiratory Problem Course (October 12-13, 2011)
KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

European Respiratory Society (September 24 – 28, 2011)
Amsterdam, Netherlands

Patient Safety & Risk Management Lecture (September 26, 2011)
National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

3rd Pediatric Pulmonary for Non Pediatric Pulmonologist Workshop (March 30, 2011)
KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

Clinical Research Training Course for health Care Providers (October 3-4, 2010)
KFMC, Riyadh, KSA

European Respiratory Society (September 18 – 22, 2010)

Barcelona, Spain

Pediatric and Adolescent Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Workshop (July 15 - 16, 2010)

King Fahad Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

3rd Conference for Advance Child Health Care (January 17-20, 2010)

King Faisal Specialist Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Excellence in Pediatrics (December 3 - 6, 2009)

Florence, Italy

1st Gulf Patient Safety Conference (October 27 - 29, 2009)

Jeddah, KSA

8th International Congress on Pediatric Pulmonology (March 29 - 31, 2008)

Nice, France

ERS 18th Annual Congress (October 4 - 8, 2008)

Berlin, Germany

World Asthma Meeting 2007 (July 22 - 25, 2007)

Istanbul, Turkey

3rd Qatari International Pediatric Conference (April 6 - 9, 2004)

Doha, Qatar

International Symposium of Saudi Pediatric Association (December 6 - 8, 2004)

Al Khobar, KSA

Update on Pediatric Emergencies Symposium (March 16 - 17, 2004)

Dammam, KSA

National Program for TB Control (December 16-17,2003)

Albaha, KSA

Al Haramain Medical Association Symposium (December 24 - 25, 2003)

Riyadh, KSA

Arab Health (November 2003)

Dubai, UAE

ATS Meeting (November 2002)

San Francisco, USA

7th Pediatric Flexible Bronchoscopy Course (November 12-16, 2001)

Davos, Switzerland

Medication Error (July 2, 2001)

National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Pediatric 2000 International Congress (January 17 - 19, 2000)
Jeddah, KSA

Recent Advance in Pediatrics and Neonatology (March 2 - 4, 1999)
Dhahran, KSA

Management and Leadership Courses Attended as Speaker

International Patient Experience Day (April 23-24, 2017)
King Saud Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – The role of hospital leaders in developing and leading patient's experience

University Healthcare Systems Conference: Identity and Mission (March 30-31, 2016)
King Khalid University Medical City, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – Operating New University Hospital Challenges & Tacktics

The 1st Gulf Conference for Patient Rights (28-29 February 2016)
Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Creating and leading patient experience excellence

Executive Roundtable: Exploring the Role of the Public and Private Sectors in the Promotion of Health (December 7, 2015)

Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Exploring Public-Private Partnerships to Advance Saudi's Healthcare Objectives

The 1st International Patient Experience Conference (3-5 November 2015)
PNU, Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Leadership Engagement to Patient Experience

First Saudi Healthcare Investment and Finance Forum (31 May 2015)
Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker – Round Table Discussion

Excellence Dayz 2015 Conference (6- 8 April 2015)
Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Building a Hospital a work in Process

Saudi Arabia's Third Forum For Planning and Design Of Hospitals (March 17-20, 2015)
Riyadh, KSA

*Speaker - Healing Environments in Hospitals

Building A Business Capability (September 1-4, 2014)
Sydney, Australia

*Keynote Speaker - Building a Hospital a Work in Process

Hospital Design & Infrastructure 2012 (June 4-5, 2012)

Dubai, UAE

*Speaker - Moving RNH from "Good to Great"

Management and Leadership Courses Attended as Participant

Investment and Financing of Education Buildings (January 10-11, 2017)

KSA

Univesrity and Hospital Operation's Worshop (November 24, 2016)

Qassim University, Qassim, KSA

Health Information and Management Systems Secutiry (October 12-13, 2016)

Four Seasons, Riyadh, KSA

Building Effective Teams (March 2-3, 2016)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Building Effective Teams (January 27- 28, 2016)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Change Acceleration Program (15-17 December 2015)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Building Essential Leadership Skills (November 22-24, 2015)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Discovering the Leader in You (October 19-21, 2015)

PNU, Riyadh, KSA

Resilient Leader Program (October 19-21, 2015)

PNU, Riyadh, KSA

The Executive Visitors' Program: Achieving Excellence through System Integration

(June 10-12, 2015)

Executive Quality Academy (April 12-14, 2015)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

C3 Saudi American Healthcare Forum (April 27 – 29, 2015)

Riyadh, KSA

Institute for Health Improvement (IHI)–1ST Executive Quality Academy (April 12-13, 2015)

KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Medical Center Design, Construction and Activation Symposium (Sept. 29-Oct. 1, 2014)
Mayo Clinic, USA

Strategic Aims for 10-Year Strategic Plan Project for Prince Nora University (October 10, 2014)
PNU, Riyadh, KSA

Emotional Intelligence (March 19th, 2014)
PNU, Riyadh, KSA

Process Architecture Workshop (February 27, 2014)
KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Executive Strategy Training Workshop (January 28, 2014)
KAAUH, Riyadh, KSA

Change Management (November 17 – 19, 2012)
Riyadh National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Stress Management (October 20-21, 2012)
Riyadh National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Leadership in Healthcare Training (July 2- 5, 2012)
London, England

Hospital Design & Infrastructure 2012 (June 6, 2012)
Dubai, UAE
*Workshop – Understanding the regulations and the impact of “Green Designed” Hospitals on everyday staff operations and patient experience.

Hospital Design & Infrastructure 2012 (June 6, 2012)
Dubai, UAE
*Workshop –Creating an effective Master Plan to enhance future healthcare facility development in GCC and MENA Region Countries

Bullet Proof Manager, Crestcom (One year Program 2011)
Riyadh, KSA

Mind Map for Managers (December 24 – 27, 2011)
Riyadh National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Improvement Cycle (Focus-PDCA) Workshop (November 23, 2011)
National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Quality Tools Workshop (November 16, 2011)
National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

How to Use Display Workshop (November 9, 2011)
National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Improvement Team Lecture (September 26, 2011)

National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Concepts of Health Care Quality Management Lecture (September 12, 2011)

National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Microsoft Project 2010 (June 4-8, 2011)

National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Strategic Thinking and Planning (May 22-23, 2011)

National Medical Care Company, Riyadh, KSA

Project Management Professional (May 14-19, 2011)

National Hospital, Riyadh, KSA

Clinical Activities

- Pediatric Pulmonologist in King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz University Hospital, Prince Nora University.
- Was a Full time Pediatric Pulmonologist in Children's Hospital, KFMC with both inpatient and outpatient involvement.
- Established the RSV Program, the program is running smoothly over the last 4 years.
- Established and chaired the Childhood Asthma Program (CHAP)
- Worked with the Respiratory Therapy Department to send the 1st patient on home ventilation and she became the nucleus for Respiratory Home Care.
- Worked with P.I.C.U. to transfer patients on non-invasive ventilation to the Pulmonary Ward

Academic and Educational Activities

Undergraduate

- During my term as a chairperson of pediatric department, I established an affiliation agreement with the College of Medicine, King Saud University to teach 50% of their students in our hospital by our own staff.
- Clinical Assistant Professor with the College of Medicine, King Saud University since 2008.
- Involved in the teaching and exams for both King Saud University students and the Faculty of Medicine, KFMC students.

Post Graduate

- Involved in the teaching for Residents by lectures and bedside teaching.
- Involved in the teaching and training Pulmonology Fellows in our unit

Health Education Activities

- Had a weekly program in one of the TV channels under the name (Children Clinic) and continue for full term, i.e. 4 months.
- Presented many educational lectures to the community, schools and teachers.
- Involved in the media (TV and Radio) in deferent educational programs in both Arabic and English, for example:
 1. Second Saudi channel Black and white program
 2. First Saudi channel
 3. Almajd Channel
 4. Alekhbariah Channel
 5. Bedayah Channel
 6. Saudi Radi

Licenses

Saudi Council For Health Specialties Registration | # 00-RM-2554
(May 1994 – Present)

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario | # 75834
(January 2001 – May 2003)

Memberships

American College of Chest Physician | # 242872
(July 2001 – Present)

American Thoracic Society | # 00063934
(March 2001 – Present)

Saudi Thoracic Society
(February 2004 – Present)

Saudi Pediatric Association | Board Member for full term
(February 2004 – 2007)