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Summary

An experienced national health care leader. A board member of the Saudi Red Crescent Authority. Currently the CEO of Riyadh Health Cluster One; a large health system including King Saud Medical City, four community hospitals, and 53 primary care centers, with a total of 2200 beds, 17,000 health care providers, and an annual budget of 2 bn SAR. A Pediatric Emergency Medicine Consultant with 17 years clinical and leadership experience. Graduate of an Executive Master Program of Health Administration, University of Minnesota. Holds a black belt in Six Sigma. A passionate performance improvement leader. Leads a large number of health care initiatives both at the local and national level. Over the last 2 years, worked closely with the Ministers and Deputy Ministers of Health. An advocate of patient and family centered care, promoting a hospital mission of treating the Body, Mind, and Soul.

Founder of the National Emergency Departments Support Program (EDSP). A national initiative funded by the Ministry of Finance, aimed at promoting quality of care in Ministry of Health Community Emergency Departments. Held the position of the Associate Executive Director for Medical Administrations at King Fahad Medical City, managing 9 specialties with about 1000 employees.

An active clinician. Certified in Pediatrics and Pediatric Emergency Medicine from the University of British Columbia. Established modern Emergency Medicine in two large tertiary care centers in Riyadh. An active teacher in postgraduate training programs, and an examiner at the Saudi Commission for Health Specialties since 2003.

Date of Birth: 16/10/1969, Riyadh

Married, father of four children

CERTIFICATION

1987-1995	Bachelor Degree in Medicine and Surgery King Saud University
2000	American Board of Pediatric
2001	Canadian Royal College Board in Pediatrics University of British Columbia
2002	Canadian Royal College Board in Pediatric Emergency
2002	Pediatric Advanced Life Support instructor
2002	Advanced Trauma Life Support instructor
2011	Black belt, Six Sigma

2014 Master of Executive Management for Health Administration Program, University of Minnesota

EDUCATION & TRAINING

1985-1987 High School, Capital Institute (Ma'ahadAlasimah)

1987-1994 Medical School, King Saud University

May 1994- April 1995 Internship

1995-1997 Saudi Pediatric Residency Program, Armed Forces Hospital, Riyadh (R1 & R2), Interrupted training and joined the King Saud University Scholarship to Canada

July 1997-June 2000 Pediatric Residency Program, University of British Columbia, Canada

July 2000-June 2002 Pediatric Emergency Fellowship, University of British Columbia

July 2002-December 2002 Research Training, University of British Columbia

LEADERSHIP

CEO, Riyadh Health Cluster One

Sep 2018 – date

Director of Emergency Medicine

Dr. Sulaiman Alhabib Medical Group

November 2015 – July 2018

Member, Board of Directors, Saudi Red Crescent Authority

April 2017 - date

Chief Executive Officer

King Saud Medical City

February 2013 – November 2015

Lead a major transformation project of the oldest and largest Medical Center in the Kingdom.

Founding Director, Emergency Departments Support Program

January 2012 – December 2015

A national initiative to develop Community Emergency Departments. Offers a number of programs that are tailored to the needs of Community Hospitals Emergency Departments, including training

courses, clinical rotations, on-call service, moonlighting program, site visits, facilitator program, and consultations in the construction and operations of Emergency Departments. Receives funding directly from the ministry of Finance, with a budget of 40 Million SAR.

Associate Executive Director, Medical Administrations

King Fahad Medical City

June 2009 – December 31, 2012

Lead the Medical Administrations' development and operations according to overall KFMC strategy namely: Anesthesiology & Operating Room, Medical Imaging, Emergency Medicine & Employee Health, Infection Control & Environmental Health, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, Pharmacy Services, Home Care, Clinical Nutrition, and Respiratory Care.

Director, Emergency Medicine & Employee Health Administration

King Fahad Medical City

January 2007 – June 2009

Chairman, Department of Emergency Medicine, King Khalid University Hospital

July 2003-December 2006

Deputy Chairman, Department of Emergency Medicine, King Khalid University Hospital

March 2003- June 2003

Assistant professor College of Medicine, King Saud University

December 2006 to November 2009

Chairman, University Hospitals Safety Committee

2003 to 2006

King Khalid University Hospital Incident Commander

2003 to 2006

Chief Resident

Pediatric Residency Program, University of British Columbia The only foreign chief resident in the history of the program

July 1999-June 2000

Committee membership

Chairman, Executive Council, King Saud Medical City (*current*)

Chairman, Scholarship & Training Committee, King Saud Medical City(*current*)

Chairman, Manpower Committee, King Saud Medical City(*current*)

Chairman, Budget & Projects Committee, King Saud Medical City(*current*)

Chairman, Strategic Planning Committee, King Saud Medical City (*current*)

Chairman, Emergency Preparedness Committee, King Fahad Medical City. 2007-2009
Chairman, Environmental Safety Committee, King Fahad Medical City. 2010- 2012
Member, Quality Council, King Fahad Medical City, 2007- 2012
Member, Joint Executive Council. June 2009 – December 31, 2012
Member, Medical Council, January 2007 – December 31, 2012
Member, Scholarship and Training Committee. April 2011- December 31, 2012
Member, Medical Credentialing, Privileging & Promotion Committee. 2007-date
Member, Emergency Medicine Scientific Board, Saudi Council for Health Care Specialties. 2004-2010

TEACHING & TRAINING

Actively involved in training Residents and fellows in the field of Emergency Medicine Since 2003.

Advance Trauma Life Support Instructor: 2002-date

Evidence Based Medicine Instructor: Organized the first “Critical Appraisal of the Medical Literature Workshop” at KFMC during the spring of 2005. Teaches regularly in local evidence based medicine courses

Examiner: Saudi Boards of Pediatrics, Emergency Medicine, and Pediatric Emergency Medicine

RESEARCH & SCHOLAR ACTIVITIES

- Scientific review of the book: Almorshid. 2004 A Red Crescent Public Educational Publication. Currently being utilized in “The National Campaign for Emergency Care Education”.
- Single dose oral dexamethasone in the emergency management of children with mild to moderate asthma exacerbation. A double blind randomized clinical trial. Altamimi S, Robertson G, Jastaniah W, Davey A, Dehghani N, Chen R, Leung K, Colbourne M. *Pediatr Emerg Care*. 2006 Dec; 22(12):786-93.
- Short versus standard course antibiotic therapy for children with acute streptococcal pharyngitis. A Meta-analysis. **Altamimi S**, Khalil A, Khalaiwi KA, Milner R, Pusic MV, Al Othman MA. *Cochrane Database Syst Rev*. 2009 Jan 21 ;(1):CD004872. Review
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CONFERENCES

Regular speaker in variety of local conferences and courses including the following:

- Pediatric up to date symposium, Riyadh 21-23 September 2004
- Sixth Intensive Pediatric Course, 17-21 September 2005
- ER Utilization Trends and Management Symposium, May 1, 2005
- The 1st Critical Appraisal of The Medical Literature, KFMC 2005
- Recent Advances in Pediatric Emergency Medicine, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2010
- GCC Evidence Based clinical practice workshop, 4-8 November 2006
- Emergency Nursing Update course, KFMC 2008
- 4th EBM conference workshops “ How to do Systematic Review Workshop” 2008
- 1st Arabian Gulf “ Workshop on Management on Humanitarian Emergencies” January 13-18 2008
- The International Conference on Emergency Medicine. June 2010. Singapore
- Advance Emergency Care Course for Physicians, Emergency Departments Development Program, May 5-7, 2012, KFMC
- Advance Emergency Care Course for Physicians, Emergency Departments Development Program June 5-7, 2012, KFMC
- Advance Emergency Care Course for Physicians, Emergency Departments Development Program July 14-16, 2012, KFMC
- Advance Emergency Care Course for Physicians, Emergency Departments Development Program September 1-3, 2012, KFMC
- Advance Emergency Care Course for Physicians, Emergency Departments Development Program January 28-30, 2013
- Saudi Healthcare Innovation Symposium 2013, December 15-16, 2013, KFMC
- Emergency & Trauma Nursing Course for Pediatrics, December 2-4, 2014, KSMC
- Saudi Healthcare Innovation Symposium 2014, December 7-9, 2014, KFMC
- Saudi Emergency Medicine Assembly (SEMA 2015) February 7-12, 2015, KSAU-HS
- The 3rd Healthcare Leadership Conference, May 18, 2015, Riyadh International Convention & Exhibition Centre, Riyadh
- The 5th Saudi Pediatric Association Conference, Feb 7-9, 2017, Riyadh
- The Saudi Society of Emergency Medicine Scientific Assembly, Feb 4-6, 2007, Dammam.

Attended the following international conference and courses:

- PREP: Pediatric Emergency Review Course, by the American Academy of Pediatrics, Seattle 2001 and Toronto 2004
- The Second Mediterranean Symposium of Emergency Medicine; Sitges, Spain, 2003. Made an oral presentation of the research project:
- “Single does oral dexamethasone in the emergency management of children with mild to moderate asthma exacerbation. A double blind randomized clinical trial”
- Trauma Care 2004, Sydney, Australia
- The American College of Emergency Physician’s Scientific Assembly, Washington D.C. 2005
- The 12th International Conference on Emergency Medicine, California USA 2008
- Emergency Medicine in the Developing World, South Africa , November 23-26 2009
- 2012 International Forum on Quality & Safety in Healthcare (EACCME), April 17-20, 2012, France
- 2013 International Forum on Quality & Safety in Healthcare (EACCME) April 16-19, 2013, London
- 25th Annual National Forum on Quality Improvement in Health Care, December 8-11, 2013, Orlando, Florida
- 15th American College of Emergency Medicine Scientific Assembly, Oct 26-26, 2015, Boston.

Local conferences and courses

- The Second Comprehensive Course on Medical Counterterrorism Against Weapons of Mass Destruction, Riyadh December 2003
- The International Clinical Toxicology Course, Jeddah March 2004
- Recent advances in Pediatric Emergency Medicine 2007, Riyadh, 13th to 15 March 2007
- 7th Annual Asthma Meeting , Riyadh 2008
- 4th Saudi Annual Evidence Based Medicine Conference & Workshops, Riyadh 2008
- 7th Annual Scientific Conference of the “The Saudi Thoracic Society”, “8th Annual Asthma Meeting”, “1st Asthma Chair Scientific Symposium”, Riyadh, March 17-19,2009
- 3rd Conference for Advanced Child Health Care, Riyadh, January 17-20 2010
- Pediatric Infectious Diseases Review Course & Specialized Workshops, October 12-13,2010
- Educational Activities (for Pediatric ER Department)KFMC, January 1-December 31, 2010
- Pharmacotherapy in the Ambulatory Care Setting Symposium "A Multidisciplinary Approach", March 1-2,2011
- Bullet Proof Manager Training Series, 2011 Crestcom International Limited
- The 1st Global Network Conference on Emergency Medicine, January 15-17, 2012, Dubai, UAE
- Information Security Roundtable Breakfast for Managerial, February 25, 2012 KFMC

- 9th Leading CEO Conference, April 4, 2012 (eGovernment Institute), Burj Al Arab, Dubai, UAE
- Strategic Projects Selection & Implementation Workshop, May 30, 2012, KFMC
- Balanced Scorecard, (IIR Middle East) December 8-12, 2012, Riyadh
- Trained CPHQ Professional, February 1-5, 2015, KSMC
- Executive Quality Academy (1st module), March 23-24, 2015, conducted by IHI in KSMC
- Executive Quality Academy (2nd module), May 27-28, 2015, conducted by IHI in KSMC

AWARDS & APPRECIATION

- **3rd Place Winner for Quality Day 2008; Project:** Procedures to Decrease Door to Diagnosis and Treatment time for Acute Coronary Syndrome (as a team leader)
- **Consultant's Research Award:** 2nd Rank (KFMC Annual Research Conference) 2009
- **2010 KFMC Excellence Award** “ Leadership Category”
- Appreciation in recognition for the valuable support to the success of KFMC CBAHI Accreditation with an Excellent Score: December 18-21, 2010

REFERENCES

My best references are my patients, fellows, residents, and colleagues.

Other valuable references include the following:

- Dr. Tawfiq Al Rabiah, Minister of Health
- Dr. Nasir Al Dosari, Director General, Riyadh Health Affairs
- Dr. Abdullah Alrabiah, former Minister of Health
- Eng. Adil Faqih, former Acting Minister of Health
- Dr. Mansour Alhawasi, Former Deputy Minister of Health
- Dr. Mohammed Khoshaim, Former Deputy Minister of Health
- Dr. Adnan Alabdulkareem, Former Director General, Riyadh Health Affairs
- Prof. Abdullah Alherbish, Vice President – Physicians Affairs, Dr. Sulaiman Alhabib Medical Group
- Dr. Abdullah Alamro, former CEO, King Fahad Medical City

- Dr. Mahmoud Yamani, CEO, King Fahad Medical City
- Dr. Nahar Alazmi, CEO, Prince Mohammed Bin Abdulaziz Medical City
- Dr. Mussad Al salman, Former Dean, College of Medicine, King Saud University
- Dr. Fahad Al zamil, Dean, College of Medicine, King Saud University
- Dr. Abdulaziz Al Saif, former Vice Dean, College of Medicine, King Saud University
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- Dr. G. Baldwin, Former Chairman and Program Director, Pediatric Emergency Fellowship, University of British Columbia (gbaldwin@cs.bc.ca)
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