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EDUCATION

Master of Public Health in Epidemiology (completed all required 32 academic units) College of Public Health, University of the Philippines, Manila

1989 Doctor of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery, University of Santo Tomas, Manila, Philippines

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor 1, Department of Pediatrics, Department of Preventive Medicine, Family and Community Medicine and Department of Clinical Epidemiology, Faculty of Medicine and Surgery University of Santo Tomas

Professor 2, Department of Pediatrics, Dela Salle University Health Sciences Institute

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Chair, Department of Pediatrics UST Hospital (2021-present)

Vice Chair for Training and Academic Affairs, Department of Pediatrics, University of Santo Tomas Hospital (2016-2021)

Over-all Head, Fellowship Training, Department of Pediatrics UST Hospital (2016-2021)

Chief of Section, Newborn Medicine, University of Santo Tomas Hospital (2016-2021)

Head, Newborn Services Unit, University of Santo Hospital (2016-2021)

Fellowship Training Officer, Section of Newborn Medicine UST Hospital (2014-present)

Head, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, Dela Salle University Medical Center (2000-present)

Member, Residency Training Committee, Department of Pediatrics Dela Salle University Medical Center (2007-present)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Member, Board of Trustees, Kangaroo Mother Care Foundation, Philippines 2008-present

Secretary, Alay sa Bata Foundation 2012-present

Philippine Representative, Asia-Oceania Kangaroo Mother Care Regional Network, 2022-onwards

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

PRESENT POSITIONS:

Member, Council of Advisers, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine

Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Medicine UST (JMUST)

National Trainer, Neonatal Resuscitation Program

PAST POSITIONS:

President, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine (2011-2013)

President, UST Pediatric Residency and Fellowship Alumni Association (2007-2009)
Vice-President, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine (2010-2011)
Secretary, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine (2006-2010)
Vice-President, Kangaroo Mother Care Philippines Foundation (2008-2017)
Secretary, Perinatal Association of the Philippines (2008-2010) Department Secretary, Department of Preventive, Family and Community Medicine, USTFMS (2006-2019)
Member, Sub-Specialty Board, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine (2010-2016)
Chair, Department of Newborn Medicine, Dr. Jose Fabella Memorial Hospital (2004-2007)
Medical Specialist III, Department of Newborn Medicine, Dr. Jose Fabella Memorial Hospital (2003-2007)
Medical Specialist I and II, Department of Pediatrics, Dr. Jose Fabella Memorial Hospital, (1997-2003)
Medical Specialist II, Department of Pediatrics and Head of NICU, Ospital ng Maynila Medical Center (1997-2005)
Consultant and Head, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit San Juan De Dios Hospital 2002-2017

HONORS AND DISTINCTIONS

Certification and Plaque of Recognition for Invaluable Service to Government Institution from Dr. Jose Fabella Memorial Hospital, 2007

Dr. Florosa A. Bautista Award for Leadership conferred by the Philippine Pediatric Society, Southern Tagalog Chapter February 2020

Leadership Award conferred by the Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine February 2022

Various Research Awards from the Philippine Pediatric Society, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine, University of Santo Tomas Hospital and the Perinatal Association of the Philippines

PUBLICATIONS

- Assistant Editor-in-Chief, Standards of Newborn Care, Philippine Society of Newborn Medicine First Edition (2008), Second Edition (2017)
- Contributor, Fundamentals of Pediatrics, C&E Publications 2014
- Published researches: 4
- Published abstracts: 2

Chu TG, Cachola DR, Regal MA, Llamas AC, Martinez NV, **Santos WR**. Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (Non-Typeable Haemophilus influenzae (NTHi) protein D, diphtheria or tetanus toxoid conjugates) in prevention of acute otitis media in children: A Cohort Study. Philippine Journal of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery. 2016 Nov 30;31(2):13-5.

Villaluz MM, **Santos WR**. Correlation of very early newborn discharges with readmission rate among healthy term neonates at a tertiary level government hospital. Journal of the Perinatal Association of the Philippines. 2003 Nov 30;7(2).

Santos W, Hernandez E, Belmonte-Sy D, Co B, Santiago L, Concha-Santos M. Quantitative leukocyte count of freshly expressed and stored frozen human milk. Philippine Journal of Pediatrics. 1997 Oct 1;46(4).

Ijong-Dachlan T, Tanu P, Milagros-Bacsain A, **Santos W**. Transcutaneous bilirubinometer: An assessment tool for neonatal jaundice in brown skinned neonates. Philippine Journal of Pediatrics. 2007 Jun 30;56(3).

