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Top Skills

Hospitals

General Surgery

Health Policy

Certifications

American Board of Surgery -
General Surgery and Pediatric
Surgery

Publications

Strategies for the prevention of central venous catheter infections: an American Pediatric Surgical Association Outcomes and Clinical Trials Committee Systematic Review.

Isolated hepatic cholinergic denervation (IHCD) impairs glucose and glycogen metabolism.

Two decades of experience with thoracoscopic lobectomy in infants and children: Standardizing techniques for advanced thoracoscopic surgery.

A definition of gentle ventilation in congenital diaphragmatic hernia: a survey of neonatologists and pediatric surgeons.

Single ventricle heterotaxy syndrome patients at risk for early shunt failure after Ladd procedure.

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Reykjavík, Capital Region, Iceland

Summary

Chief Epidemiologist at the Centre for Health Security and Communicable Disease Control at the Directorate of Health in Iceland. Education includes a doctor of medicine, research fellowship, general surgical residency, and pediatric surgery fellowship, as well as a master's degree in biostatistics. 10 years of experience as a pediatric surgeon at a major university urban hospital in New York with additional experience as Chief of Section of pediatric surgery and pediatric trauma medical director.

Experience

Directorate of Health Iceland

Chief Epidemiologist

September 2022 - Present (1 year 4 months)

Reykjavík, Capital Region, Iceland

Centre for Health Security and Communicable Disease Control at the Directorate of Health in Iceland

Head Physician; Microbial Surveillance and Antimicrobial Resistance

October 2019 - December 2022 (3 years 3 months)

Katrinartun 2, 105 Reykjavik, Iceland

Westchester Medical Center, a member of WMCHHealth

Chief

September 2017 - August 2018 (1 year)

Valhalla, New York

Columbia University

MD

August 2007 - August 2017 (10 years 1 month)

Education

Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health
Master of Science (M.Sc.), Biostatistics · (2007 - 2009)

University of Toronto
Pediatric Surgery, Pediatric Surgery Residency Program · (2005 - 2007)

Yale University School of Medicine
General Surgery, General Surgery Residency Program · (2000 - 2005)

Yale University School of Medicine
Research fellowship (no degree), Glucose metabolism · (1998 - 2000)

Háskóli Íslands
Doctor of Medicine - MD, Medicine · (1990 - 1996)