

Profile of Oliver Obioma Osuji BDS, Dip Paedo, MSc, MRCD(C)



SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION: Holy Ghost College & Government Secondary School, Owerri.

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION: University of Ibadan, Nigeria; University of Toronto, Canada.

ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: BDS (Ibadan), Bachelor of Dental Surgery; Dip Paedo (Toronto) Postgraduate specialization in Pediatric Dentistry; MSc (Toronto) Pediatric Dentistry and Clinical Epidemiology; MRCD(Canada) Board Certification in Pediatric Dentistry, Royal College of Dentists of Canada.

PRESENT APPOINTMENT: Consultant Pediatric Dentist, King Abdulaziz National Guard Hospital, Al Ahsa, Saudi Arabia.

Previous Appointment: Head of Children's Dentistry, Kinosao Sipi Children's Program & Assistant Professor, Centre for Community Oral Health, University of Manitoba, Canada. 2006-2007.

Consultant Pediatric Dentist Hospital Appointments in Saudi Arabia: King Abdulaziz Medical City, Jeddah 2001-2006. Al Hada Armed Forces Hospital, Taif 1999-2001. King Khalid National Guard Hospital 1998-1999. King Fahad National Guard, Hospital Riyadh, 1996-1998. NorthWest Armed Forces, 1991-1996.

Senior Lecturer /Consultant & Acting Head of Department, University of Ibadan/University College Hospital, Ibadan 1988-1991. Visiting Lecturer, University of Nigeria Nsukka, 1989-1990. Research Fellow, College of Medicine University of Ibadan, 1983-1988. Senior House Officer, UCH, Ibadan 1982-1983; House Officer UCH, 1980-1982.

Dr Osuji is a member of several professional organizations and has written many articles and abstracts in peer reviewed journals. His areas of interest include pediatric dental care using sedation and general anesthesia in hospital, and cleft lip and palate. He has given lectures on various aspects of pediatric dentistry both nationally and internationally.

Dr Osuji enjoys playing lawn tennis and has won some local championships.

Family: Dr Oliver Osuji is married to Chinwe RoseMary (nee Njoku) and has three sons