

Brief Curriculum Vitae of Professor (Dr.) Mohammad Abul Faiz

Born on 28 October 1953, Anwara, Chittagong, Bangladesh.

Educated:

Chittagong College, Chittagong (Higher Secondary) 1972;
MBBS, Chittagong Medical College, Bangladesh 1978;
Fellowship in Internal Medicine from BCPS (FCPS), 1982;
Ph D, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, UK, 1993;
(Fellow of the World Health Organization for doing research leading to Ph D from University of Newcastle upon Tyne, UK, 1990 – 1993).
FRCP-2001

Previous Job:

Thirty two years service under the ministry of health Bangladesh in different capacities: Assistant Surgeon, Chittagong Medical College Hospital 1978 – 1979 and Successively Consultant Medicine, Cox's Bazar District Hospital and Chittagong Medical College Hospital 1982 – 1988; Assistant Professor Medicine, Institute of Post Graduate Medicine and Research Dhaka 1988 – 1993; Associate Professor and Professor of Medicine, Chittagong Medical College 1993 – 2003. Professor and Head of Medicine, Principal, Dhaka Medical College and Dean, Faculty of Medicine, University of Dhaka, Director General of Health Services (DGHS, Govt. of Bangladesh) – 07.01.2008 – 18.01.2009, Professor and Head of Medicine, Sir Salimullah Medical College & Mitford Hospital- 19.01.2009 – 27.10.2010.

Currently:

- Professor of Medicine,(Retired on 27.10.2011 from Sir Salimullah Medical College, Mitford, Dhaka).

Previous major responsibility:

- To provide teaching, carrier/training support for the under graduate and post-graduate students in Bangladesh, examiner in under Graduate & Post Graduate Courses.
- To provide patient care.
- To provide training to doctors.
- Guiding dissertations and thesis.
- Administrative Chief of the largest and oldest Medical College of Bangladesh which provides both Undergraduate and Postgraduate Medical Education.
- Technical chief of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh: Director General, Directorate General of Health Services.
- The Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Dhaka. Bangladesh
- Associated with policy planning for medical education, research and patient care in Bangladesh.
- Editor-in-Chief, Journal of BCPS.
- Editor-in-Chief, BMRC Bulletin
- Member of Joint Coordination Board, Tropical Disease Research (TDR).
- Member, Guidelines for the Treatment of Malaria, WHO, Geneva
- Member, DNDi Board of Directors

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- Member, Bangladesh Country Coordinating Mechanism Oversight Committee as an expert
- Chairman, Clinical Protocol Development Committee, Bangladesh
- Associated with a non government non-profit organization, Dev Care Foundation
- President, Bangladesh Association for Advancement of Tropical Medicine (BAATM)
- President, Toxicological Society of Bangladesh (TSB)

Current Member of Important Bodies:

- Member, Regional Technical Advisory Group Malaria, SEARO, WHO
- Member, Regional Technical Advisory Group Antimicrobial Resistance, SEARO, WHO
- Member, Asia Pacific Association of Medical Toxicology Board of Directors
- Vice Chair, Bangladesh Country Coordinating Mechanism
- Member, Technical Committee, Malaria, Bangladesh
- Member National Steering Committee for Elimination of Kala Azar
- International Advisory Board of Davidson's Principles and Practice of Medicine
- Member, Editorial Board, Neurology Asia.
- Member, Editorial Board- Journal of Bangladesh Society of Medicine, Journal of Association of Physicians, Bangladesh.
- Member Editorial Board, Clinical Toxinology in Asia Pacific and Africa, Springer.
- Member 'Healthy Bangladesh' initiative, member 'Think Tank for Health', Bangladesh.

Research interests in Tropical Medicine since 1978: Malaria, Organophosphorus Compound Poisoning, Snake Bite, Nipah Infection, Kala Azar, Tuberculosis. Total number of publications 272 including 97 articles on malaria.

- Currently involved in a number of collaborative research.
- Principal Investigator, Saving Brains: The artesunate suppository severe malaria cohort (SBASSMC); Bangladesh site of Tracking Artemisinin Resistance (TRAC), Tracking Artemisinin Resistance II.
- Principal Investigator of Malaria Research Group (MRG) and Multi center study on Community Based Rectal Artesunate Study, Bangladesh (Study 13 TDR/WHO).
- Completed and published Multi center study on effect of Quinine and Artesunate in severe malaria (SEAQUAMAT).
- Completed and published Multi center study on Pre-referral rectal artesunate to prevent death and disability in severe malaria: a placebo-controlled trial (Lancet Feb 2009), which received the BMJ Award on March 10, 2010, as the research paper of the year 2009.

Others:

- Received Gold Medal of Bangladesh Academy of Sciences 2002
- Included in the directory of experts on Malaria.
- Contribution in 'Banglapedia'.
- Contributed as a consultant, chairman, member, or as a resource person in policy development and development of documents of Government of Bangladesh for example, Strategic plan for Surveillance and prevention of Non Communicable Diseases in Bangladesh 2011-2015; Strategic Plan for Health Sector Investment 2016-2021 (SIP), MOHFW, GOB; Clinical protocol; Hospital Standard; Evidence Based Medicine; Communication skills in Medicine; National Guidelines on- dengue, snake bite, malaria, Kala azar, poisoning, climate change and health.

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