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## Dr. Luis de la Torre Mondragón

Professor of Surgery. Department of Surgery. University of Colorado, School of Medicine  
Division of Pediatric Surgery. Children's Hospital Colorado  
Director, International Center for Colorectal and Urogenital Care at Children's Hospital Colorado.

Dr. Luis De la Torre Mondragón is an internationally recognized Mexican pediatric surgeon specializing in pediatric colorectal surgery. He is best known for pioneering the **Transanal Endorectal Pull-Through** technique in 1998, a groundbreaking procedure that revolutionized the treatment of **Hirschsprung disease** and is now considered the **global gold standard** for this condition.

Dr. De la Torre earned his medical degree from the **National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM)**, followed by residency and fellowship training in pediatric surgery, with advanced specialization in colorectal surgery. Over his distinguished career, he has served at leading institutions including the **Instituto Nacional de Pediatría** and **Hospital para el Niño Poblano** in Mexico, **Hospital Ángeles Puebla**, the **Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh**, and currently the **Children's Hospital Colorado** in Denver, USA.

A dedicated educator, Dr. De la Torre founded Mexico's **first Advanced Fellowship in Pediatric Colorectal Surgery**, accredited by UNAM in 2011, and served as its lead professor until 2013. He established the **Centro Colorrectal para Niños de México y Latinoamérica** in 2010. He founded and led the Colorectal Center and the pediatric colorectal program at the **Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh in 2013**. He has organized and directed major international courses on Hirschsprung disease, fecal incontinence, and constipation, and has been invited faculty at global surgical congresses.

Dr. De la Torre's contributions extend beyond surgical innovation to include mentoring future leaders, advancing research in pediatric colorectal disorders, and improving access to specialized care for children across Latin America and worldwide.

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## EDUCATION

### GRADUATE:

1983–1988 School of Medicine (Facultad de Medicina)  
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), Mexico City  
Degree earned, M.D.

### POSTGRADUATE:

1988-1989 Resident, Pathology, National Institute of Pediatrics  
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City

1989–1991 Resident, Pediatrics, National Institute of Pediatrics  
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City

1991–1994. Fellow, Pediatric Surgery, National Institute of Pediatrics  
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City

1994–1995 Chief of Fellows, Pediatric Surgery, National Institute of Pediatrics  
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico City

1995–2004 Visiting Fellow & Professor, Schneider Children's Hospital Medical Center  
Pediatric Colorectal Surgery  
Long Island, NY

2011 Visiting Professor, Cincinnati Children's Medical Center  
Colorectal Center  
Cincinnati, OH

2019 Visiting Professor, Children's Hospital of Colorado  
International Center for Colorectal and Urogenital Care  
Aurora, CO



**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

- 1983–1986            Assistant Professor, **Medical Histology**  
School of Medicine, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de México, Mexico City
  
- 1988-1989            Associate Professor, **Medical Histology**  
School of Medicine Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico City
  
- 1996-2001            Assistant Professor, **Surgery**  
School of Medicine,
  
- 2002 – 2004            Associate Professor, **Surgery**  
School of Medicine, Universidad Anahuac, Mexico City
  
- 1995–1996            Assistant Professor, **Pediatric Surgery**  
National Institute of Pediatrics,
  
- 1995-2004            Assistant Professor, **Pediatrics**  
National Institute of Pediatrics, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico
  
- 1995-2004            Associate Professor, **Nurse Practitioner in Pediatrics**  
National Institute of Pediatrics
  
- 1996–1998            Associate Professor, **Pediatric Surgery**  
National Institute of Pediatrics, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico
  
- 1998–2004            Professor, **Pediatric Surgery**  
National Institute of Pediatrics, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico
  
- 1998–2004            Professor and Founder of the Service of **Pediatric Colorectal Surgery**  
National Institute of Pediatrics, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico
  
- 2004-2013            Professor, **Pediatric Surgery**  
Hospital para el Nino Poblano, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico
  
- 2010-2013            Professor, **Pediatric Colorectal Surgery**  
Hospital para el Nino Poblano, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico  
**NOTE: First worldwide Pediatric Colorectal Surgery course with university recognition (UNAM)**
  
- 2013–2019            Associate Professor, **Pediatric Surgery**  
Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh, University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine
  
- 2013–2019            **Founder Director, Colorectal and Hirschsprung Center**  
Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh, University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine

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- 2019-current      **Associate Professor of Surgery.** Department of Surgery. Division of Pediatric Surgery. University of Colorado, School of Medicine. Children's Hospital Colorado,
- 2019-current      **Assistant Director, International Center for Colorectal and Urogenital Care**  
Children's Hospital Colorado, University of Colorado, School of Medicine
- 1995–2004        Researcher  
Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico City
- 1995–2004        Pediatric Surgeon  
Hospital Angeles Pedregal, Mexico City
- 2004–2013        Chief, Pediatric Surgery  
Hospital Angeles Puebla, Mexico
- 2010–2013        Founder Director, Colorectal Center  
Hospital para el Niño Poblano, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- 2010–2013        Founder Director, Colorectal Center for Children of Mexico, and Latin-America  
Hospital Angeles Puebla, Mexico

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## UNIVERSITY AND MEDICAL SCHOOL-AFFILIATED ADMINISTRATION

### HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

3//1995 – 6/2024	Instituto Nacional de Pediatría Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México	Staff
7/2004 – 10/2013	Hospital para el Niño Poblano Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México	Staff
1/2006 – 10/2013	Hospital Angeles Puebla Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México	Staff
11/2013 - 06/30/19	Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA University of Pittsburgh Medical Center	Staff
11/2013 - 06/30/19	Magee-Women's Hospital Pittsburgh, PA University of Pittsburgh Medical Center	Staff
07/01/2019-present	Children's Hospital Colorado University of Colorado	Active Staff

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## HONORS AND AWARDS

### **International Recognition of the “De la Torre” Technique for the primary endorectal pull-through for Hirschsprung disease.**

Guidelines for the Surgical Treatment of Hirschsprung Disease

International Pediatric Endosurgery Group.

Reviewed and approved by the executive committee of the BGI since 2004

4<sup>th</sup> International Meeting for Hirschsprung disease and related neurocristopathies  
Sestri Levante (Genoa), Italy, April 22-24, 2004.

Les meilleures publications in Hirschsprung maladie pour 2004

Dr. Ph. Montupet. C.H.U. Bicetre, Service de chirurgie pediatrique (D Gauthier)

78 rue du General Leclerc, 94274 Le Kremlin Bicetre, France

American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons

Canadian Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons

Bicentennial Award in Health and Life Sciences. Quito, Ecuador 2021.

### **Surgeon in the Kidney Transplant Program**

Kidney Transplant Committee

Children’s Hospital of Puebla

July 2010

### **Honorary Member of “Bolivian Society of Pediatric Surgery”**

Bolivian Society of Pediatric Surgery

Cochabamba, Bolivia

October 2010

### **Honorary Member of the “Scientific Society of the International Clinic of High Specialty University of Aquino Bolivia”**

Santa Cruz de la Sierra, Bolivia

October 2010

### **“Visiting Surgeon”**

Colorectal Center for Children

Division of Pediatric Surgery

Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center

December 2010. Ohio, USA

### **For the creation of *Colorectal Center for Children of Mexico and Latin-American***

By Rotary Club of Puebla

June 7, 2011. Puebla, Mexico

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**Distinguished Visitor of Quito**  
**Due to his contributions to the Pediatric Surgery**  
Ministry of Internal Affairs  
Mayo 2012. Quito, Ecuador

**Silver Leaf as one of the Pediatric Surgeon**  
**Egyptian Paediatric Surgical Association**  
Luxor/Cairo, Egypt, November 14, 2015.

**Honorary Member of “Ecuadorian Society of Pediatric Surgery”**  
Ecuadorian Society of Pediatric Surgery  
Ecuador  
2018

**Honorary Member of “Bolivian Society of Pediatric Surgery”**  
Ecuadorian Society of Pediatric Surgery  
Santa Cruz, Bolivia  
2019

**Bicentennial Award in Health and Life Sciences.**  
Unprecedented and innovative contribution to surgical technique in the treatment of Hirschsprung’s disease.  
Quito, Ecuador. March 18, 2021

**Fundacion Florece la Esperanza Angeles en el Camino.** Solemn Commemoration Session for the work done with the children of the Foundation. Hospital Infantil Universitario de San Jose. November 17, 2024, Bogota, Colombia.

**Medal “Dr. Alberto Peña Rodríguez”.** Asociación Iberoamericana de Cirugía Pediátrica. Julio 2024, Guayaquil, Ecuador.

**Medical Director.** Fundacion Colon Feliz AC. October 5, 2024.

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## MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATIONS

American Academy of Pediatrics	2015-present
American Pediatric Surgical Association	2013-present
American College of Surgeons	2020-present
Hirschsprung Disease Group of the APSA	2013-present
American Pseudo-Obstruction and Hirschsprung's Disease Society	1998-present
International Pediatric Colorectal Club	2004-present
Medical Association of Hospital Angeles	1997-present
Mexican Association of Pediatrics, Baja California	2012-present
Mexican Society of Pediatric Surgery (Scientific Committee)	1994-present
Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons	1995-present
Pan-American Association of Pediatric Surgery	1999-present
Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery	1996-present
Sociedad Boliviana de Cirugía Pediátrica	2005-present
Indian Association of Pediatric Surgeons	2019-present

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Sanidad, Presidencia y Emergencias



## LICENSURE AND BOARD CERTIFICATION

State of Pennsylvania

State of Colorado

Mexico MD

Mexico Pediatric Surgery

License MD450149

License DR.0061282

License 1358755

License AEIE-22202

9/18/2013 – 12/31/2026

9/11/2018 – 4/30/2027

8/31/89 – present

2/18/06 - present

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## Ad Hoc Reviews:

Acta Pediatrica de Mexico	2000 – present
Journal of Indian Assn. of Pediatric Surgeons (advisory board member)	2018 – present
Journal of Pediatric Surgery	2011 – present
Pediatric and Developmental Pathology	2000 – present
Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition	2011 – present
Pediatric Surgery International	2019 – present
European Journal of Pediatric Surgery	2018 – present



## INVITED EXTRAMURAL LECTURES, PRESENTATIONS AND VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS

1. **Examiner of the Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery**, Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, January 30 – February 13, 2009.
2. **1<sup>st</sup> International Congress of Pediatrics. Pediatric Surgery.** Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine, Hospital Angeles Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, February 19-21, 2009.
3. **Conference "Nursing in Emergency: an update," Pediatric Trauma.** School of Professional Health and Hospital Angeles Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, March 26, 2009.
4. **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Anesthesiology, Atresia of Intestinal Tract.** Department of Anesthesiology, Children's Hospital of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, May 14-15, 2009.
5. **11<sup>th</sup> Congress of Pediatrics, Acute abdominal pain. Hirschsprung disease.** National Confederation of Pediatrics in Mexico, Xalapa, Mexico, June 25-27, 2009.
6. **Master Lecture, how to comprehend "The Hirschsprung's disease."** University of Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain, June 30, 2009.
7. **Theory and practical Workshop "Diagnosis and Surgical treatment for Hirschsprung's Disease,"** Led, coordinator, and organized by Dr. Luis De la Torre. University General Hospital "Gregorio Marañón". Madrid, Spain, July 2-3, 2009.
8. **Theory and practical Workshop "Care of wounds and stomas,"** Led, coordinator, and organized by Dr. Luis De la Torre. University General Hospital "Gregorio Marañón," Madrid, Spain, July 2-3, 2009.
9. **"Live-Demonstrative" surgical procedures for Hirschsprung disease,** Led, coordinator, and organized by Dr. Luis De la Torre. University General Hospital "Gregorio Marañón," Madrid, Spain, July 2, 3, 9, 2009.
10. **9<sup>th</sup> National Meeting of Pediatrics, Constipation in children.** National Confederation of Pediatrics of Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico, August 12-15, 2009.
11. **7<sup>th</sup> Paulist Congress of Pediatric Surgery, Complicated Hirschsprung's disease. Fecal incontinence, problems in diagnosis and treatment. Round Table (discussion): Congenital cystic adenomatoid malformation. Colon motility disorders in children, when and whom to study.** Brazilian Association of Pediatric Surgery, San Paulo, Brazil, September 4-6, 2009.
12. **International Symposium. Gastrointestinal Motility Problems, Care and Rehabilitation.** Mexican Society of Pediatric Surgery. Director of the Symposium, Guanajuato, Mexico, September 11-15, 2009.



13. **42<sup>nd</sup> National Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Choledochal cyst. Surgical Experience in a Children's Hospital.* Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Guanajuato, Mexico, September 11-15, 2009.
14. **16<sup>th</sup> National Symposium of Pediatric Nurse.** *Laparoscopic Surgery in Children.* Children's Hospital of Puebla, Department of Nursing, Puebla, Mexico, September 25, 2009.
15. **59<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics.** *Juvenile Polyposis syndrome.* The American Society of Human Genetics, Hawaii, USA, October 20-24, 2009.
16. **34<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Human Genetics.** *Triad of Currarino.* Mexican Association of Human Genetics, Chiapas, Mexico, November 11, 2009.
17. **Workshop Evidence-Based Medicine,** School of Medicine, Autonomous National University of Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico, December 11, 2009.
18. **5<sup>th</sup> Conferences for Certification by the Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery.** *Hirschsprung Disease. Anorectal Malformations.* Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, February 1-4, 2010.
19. **Examiner of Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery,** Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, February 5-19, 2010.
20. **2<sup>nd</sup> International Congress of Pediatrics.** *Acute abdominal Pain.* Hospital Angeles Puebla March 11-13, 2010. Puebla, Mexico, March 11-13, 2010.
21. **1<sup>st</sup> National Meeting to make the Clinical Practice Guidelines in Pediatric Surgery,** National Center of Technological Excellence in Health, Federal Department of Health, Mexico City, Mexico, April 26-29, 2010.
22. **Conference of Pediatric Surgical Pathology.** *Hirschsprung Disease. Anorectal Malformations.* Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Puebla, Mexico, June 4-5, 2010.
23. **3<sup>rd</sup> Conference in Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition.** *Most frequent malformations of the intestinal tract.* Children's Hospital of Morelos, Morelos, Mexico, June 4, 2010.
24. **Medical Meeting of the Children's Hospital of Puebla.** *Hirschsprung disease.* Medical Association of the Children's Hospital of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, August 26-27, 2010.
25. **3<sup>rd</sup> International Congress of Pediatric Specialties.** *Hypoganglionosis and Intestinal Neuronal Dysplasia. Pseudo intestinal obstruction. Malone procedure: indications, contraindications, and complications. Treatment for postoperative constipation and fecal incontinence. Severe constipation. Ultra-short Hirschsprung, achalasia of internal sphincter. Short bowel syndrome: surgical and clinical approach.* Hospital Pequeno Principe, Curitiba, Brazil, August 28-31, 2010.



26. **52<sup>nd</sup> National Surgical Week.** Modern suture options. Mexican Academy of Surgery, Puebla, Mexico, September 22-24, 2010.
27. **20<sup>th</sup> Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Enterocolitis associated with Hirschsprung Disease. Rectal biopsy suction vs total thickness. Round Table (discussion): Hirschsprung disease. Severe chronic constipation. Neonatal Hirschsprung disease. Lecture of Hirschsprung disease.* Bolivian Society of Pediatric Surgery, Cochabamba, Bolivia, October 28-30, 2010.
28. **31<sup>st</sup> Meeting in Pediatrics.** *Anorectal Malformations.* Medical Association of the National Institute of Pediatric, Mexico City, Mexico, November 10-13, 2010.
29. **Workshop: “Profile of pediatric surgeon based on competencies teaching.”** Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, November 26-28, 2010.
30. **3<sup>rd</sup> International Congress of Pediatrics. 19<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Congress of the Children’s Hospital Puebla.** *Use and care of IV lines. Coordinator. Examiner of posters.* Texas Children’s Hospital, British Columbia’s Children’s Hospital, Children’s Hospital of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, February 1, 2011.
31. **6<sup>th</sup> Conference for Certification by the Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery.** *Hirschsprung Disease. Anorectal Malformations.* Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, January 31, 2011.
32. **Examiner of Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery,** Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Mexico City, Mexico, February 4-17, 2011.
33. **32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of Pediatric Surgeons from INP and Spain.** *Calretinin in the diagnosis of Hirschsprung disease. Rectum aganglionosis that needed ileal pull-through; why?* Society of Pediatric Surgeons from INP, Durango, Mexico, March 2011.
34. **4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Nurses.** *Pediatric Trauma.* School of Professional Health and Hospital Angeles Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, June 2, 2011.
35. **4<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Pediatric Surgery.** *Pediatric colorectal problems in children. A non-attended, severe health problem. Neuronal Intestinal Dysplasia. Intestinal Pseudo-obstruction. Short bowel syndrome. Postoperative Complications in anorectal malformations. Postoperative Complications in Hirschsprung disease.* College of Pediatric Surgeons of Nuevo Leon, Monterrey, Mexico, June 29 – July 2, 2011.
36. **Grand Round.** *Diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation in Pediatric Colorectal Surgery.* Mexican College of Pediatric Surgeons, Mexico City, Mexico, July 5, 2011.
37. **44<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Hirschsprung disease. A new technique for diagnosis. Primary transanal endorectal colectomy and pull-through for Hirschsprung disease. Fifteen years of “Worldwide Experience.”* Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Guadalajara, Mexico, September 11-15, 2011.



38. **Workshop: “Profile of pediatric surgeon based on competencies teaching.”** Mexican Board of Pediatric Surgery, Morelos, Mexico, October 14-16, 2011.
39. **2<sup>nd</sup> State Congress of Pediatrics.** *Pediatric Colorectal Surgical Problems in Children.* Morelos College of Pediatricians, Morelos, Mexico, October 13-15, 2011.
40. **5<sup>th</sup> International Minimally Invasive Surgical Conference-Pediatric Surgery Session and Forum for Minimally Invasive Treatment of Hirschsprung’s Disease.** *Hirschsprung’s disease diagnosis and treatment: “Evolution, Myths and Reality.” Transanal endorectal pull-through for Hirschsprung’s disease conference. “Live surgery demonstration of the Transanal endorectal pull-through for Hirschsprung’s disease.* Wuhan Union Hospital. Tongji Medical College, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, China, October 28-31, 2011.
41. **4<sup>th</sup> International Pediatric Conference.** *The state of the art in Hirschsprung Disease.* Texas Children’s Hospital, Baylor College of Medicine, Hospital Angeles de Puebla, Physicians Society of Hospital Angeles Puebla, Pediatric College of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, February 9-11, 2012.
42. **14<sup>th</sup> International Congress “Advances in Medicine Civil Hospital.”** *Medical and Surgical Management of Constipation in Children.* The University of Guadalajara, University Center of Health Sciences, Civil Hospital of Guadalajara, Guadalajara, Mexico, February 23-25, 2012.
43. **Surgical Meeting of Jalisco.** *Transanal pull-through for the treatment of Hirschsprung Disease.* College of Pediatric Surgery of Jalisco, Guadalajara, Mexico, February 23, 2012.
44. **12<sup>th</sup> Pediatric Congress of San Luis Potosi.** *The child with Colorectal Problems: a medical, social, and family problem.* National Confederation of Pediatrics of Mexico, School of Medicine of San Luis Potosi, San Luis Potosi, Mexico, March 21-24, 2012.
45. **36<sup>th</sup> Congress of Surgery of Quito, Ecuador.** *Bowel Management for children with anorectal malformations. Surgical treatment of Hirschsprung Disease.* International University of Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador, May 16-18, 2012.
46. **16<sup>th</sup> Peruvian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Integral Medical-Surgical diagnosis and treatment of Anorectal Malformations. Primary transanal endorectal pull-through for Hirschsprung disease. Cloaca. Multidisciplinary management. Complex cases. When, why, and how to re-operate a patient with Hirschsprung disease. Intestinal Rehabilitation in patients with fecal incontinence, constipation, and pseudo fecal incontinence. Creation of a Colorectal Center for children.* Peruvian Society of Pediatric Surgery, Peru, June 28-30, 2012.
47. **Medical and Surgical Week of the Mexican Institute of Social Security.** *Colorectal Center for Children is a genuine necessity.* General Hospital No. 36, Puebla, Mexico, June 22-24, 2012.
48. **International Workshop of Pediatric Colorectal Problems in Children.** *Live demonstrative operations in patients with anorectal malformations and Hirschsprung disease. Master Lecture of Hirschsprung.* Colorectal Center for Children at Hospital Angeles Puebla & Colorectal Center for



- Children at Cincinnati Children Hospital Medical Center, Puebla, Mexico, July 31 – August 2, 2012.
49. **Grand Rounds of Women Hospital.** *Intestinal Functional Obstruction in the newborn.* Women Hospital of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, July 25, 2012.
50. **3rd World Congress of the World Federation of Associations of Pediatric Surgeons WOFAPS, Ibero-American Association of Pediatric Surgery, Colombian Society of Pediatric Surgery.** *Surgical Treatment for Hirschsprung's Disease.* Cartagena, Colombia, August 21-25, 2012.
51. **Grand Round of INPer.** *Current knowledge in Hirschsprung disease.* National Institute of Perinatology, Mexico City, Mexico, October 4, 2012.
52. **62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Human Genetics.** *Urethrocystoscopy, diagnostic laparoscopy, versus testicular descent gonadectomy in a patient with ambiguous genitalia: A case report.* American Society of Human Genetics, San Francisco, CA, USA, November 6-10, 2012.
53. **6<sup>th</sup> Neonatal and Pediatric Intensive Care Congress.** *The two most frequent congenital malformations of the rectum. What should neonatologists know to do?* OCA Medical Center, Monterrey, Mexico, November 7-9, 2012.
54. **The 2<sup>nd</sup> Kuwait Pediatric Surgery Conference.** *Diagnosis and Medical Treatment of Hirschsprung disease. Debate: Surgical management of Hirschsprung disease. Management of total colonic Hirschsprung disease. Complications and rehabilitation in Hirschsprung disease.* Pediatric Surgery Department, Ibn Sina Hospital, Kuwait City, Kuwait, November 29 – December 1, 2012.
55. **Scientific Day “Honor to Luis Lassaletta-Garbayo MD”.** *Diagnosis and Treatment of Hirschsprung disease.* Hospital Universitario “La Paz,” Madrid, Spain, January 23, 2013.
56. **7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Neonatal and Pediatric Surgery.** *Severe idiopathic constipation, diagnosis, and medical-surgical treatment. Hirschsprung disease. Traditions and habits that should be avoided. Colostomy and colostomy closure in newborns and infants. Recommendations. Proliferative Obstructive Colitis. Diagnosis and Treatment. Angiodysplasia of the colon in children.* Pediatric Surgery and Educational Department of Clinica Las Condes, Santiago, Chile, April 4-6, 2013.
57. **6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Nurses.** *Pediatric Trauma.* School of Professional Health and Hospital Angeles Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, May 30, 2013.
58. **3<sup>rd</sup> International Meeting of Pediatrics.** *Constipation is a current problem in children. Rehabilitation of fecal issues in children.* College of Pediatrics of Baja California, Ensenada, Mexico, June 20-22, 2013.



59. **Grand Round of College of Pediatrics of Puebla.** *Myths and Realities of Constipation in children: how to comprehend and treat this problem.* College of Pediatrics of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, June 26, 2013.
60. **6<sup>th</sup> Congress of Pediatrics.** *Surgical abdominal emergency.* College of Pediatrics of Puebla, Puebla, Mexico, September 5-7, 2013.
61. **46<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Led the Instructional Workshop on the current management of Hirschsprung disease.* Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Monterrey, Mexico, September 11-15, 2013.
62. **4<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Residents of Pediatric Surgery.** Society of Residents of Pediatric Surgery, Santiago, Chile, September 26-28, 2013.
63. **3<sup>rd</sup> National Pediatric Summit.** Neurocrestopathies in Hirschsprung. Oral Presentation at the 3<sup>rd</sup> National Pediatric Conference, La. Sociedad Mexicana de Pediatría A.C., Mexico City, Mexico, May 14-17, 2014.
64. **47<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Actualities in Pediatric Surgery, Colectomy, and Endorectal Pull-through for Hirschsprung Disease. Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, September 11-12, 2014.
65. **47<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Actualities in Pediatric Surgery, Surgical Treatment of Cloaca Anomaly. Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery, Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, September 11-12, 2014.
66. **2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** Hirschsprung Disease: Part I: Diagnosis, Medical, and Surgical Treatment, Oral Presentation at the 2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, Columbus, OH, November 12-15, 2014.
67. **2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** Hirschsprung Disease: Part II: Management of the Patient not doing well after their Pull-through, Oral Presentation at the 2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, Columbus, OH, November 12-15, 2014.
68. **2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** Problematic Hirschsprung Disease, Oral Presentation at the 2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, Columbus, OH, November 12-15, 2014.
69. **2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** Motility cases and Panel Discussion, Oral Presentation at the 2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, Columbus, OH, November 12-15, 2014.



70. **2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** Pediatric Surgery Fellows Hands-on-Lab, 2014 Pediatric Colorectal Motility, and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, Columbus, OH, November 12-15, 2014.
71. **Workshop Cloaca Anomaly.** Cloaca Anomaly; discussion of cases. National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 4, 2014.
72. **Workshop Cloaca Anomaly.** Surgical anatomy of cloaca anomaly. National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 4, 2014.
73. **Workshop Cloaca Anomaly.** Surgical approach for cloaca anomalies. National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 4, 2014.
74. **Workshop Cloaca Anomaly.** Follow-up and postoperative care after a cloaca repair—National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 4, 2014.
75. Pediatric Colorectal Surgery, Anglo-American Hospital, Lima, Peru, December 4, 2014.
76. **Live Demonstrative Operation:** Total Urogenital Mobilization and uretrovaginorectoplasty by posterior sagittal approach. National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 5, 2014.
77. **Live Demonstrative Operation:** Uretrovaginorectoplasty by posterior sagittal approach and laparotomy. Repair a complex cloaca with a common channel of 6 cm and a bladder-skin (posterior sagittal incision) Fistula Uretroplasty with the common channel; Partial vaginal replacement with distal ileum and ileo-vagino anastomosis; Rectoplasty with rectal flap. National Institute of Health for Children, Lima, Peru, December 6, 2014.
78. **Curso Int'l. De Pediatría HAP Congress.** Errors in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Congenital Colorectal Problems, Puebla, Mexico, February 5, 2015.
79. **Curso Int'l. De Pediatría HAP Congress.** The Future of children with Congenital Colorectal Malformations, Puebla, Mexico, February 5, 2015.
80. **Dubai Arab Pediatric Congress.** Future of children born with imperforate anus and Hirschsprung disease, Video-conference, Dubai, UAE, February 26, 2015.
81. Calisto J, **De la Torre, L.** “Rectovestibular Fistula Without Vagina: Clinical Characteristics and Challenges.” Poster Presentation, American Pediatric Surgical Association Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, May 30 – June 3, 2015.
82. **Mexico Surgical Congress.** Hirschsprung disease: evolution of surgical treatment. Oral Presentation, Huatulco, Mexico, Sept. 7-18, 2015.
83. **Mexico Surgical Congress.** How to approach a patient with Hirschsprung disease. Oral Presentation, Huatulco, Mexico, Sept. 7-18, 2015.



84. **Mexico Surgical Congress.** Transanal endorectal pull-through 20 years' experience. Oral Presentation, Huatulco, Mexico, Sept. 7-18, 2015.
85. **Mexico Surgical Congress.** Quality of life in patients with colorectal problems. Oral Presentation, Huatulco, Mexico, Sept. 7-18, 2015.
86. **Mexico Surgical Congress.** Live demonstrative operation of full-thickness transanal and endorectal pull-through patients with Hirschsprung disease. Huatulco, Mexico, Sept. 7-18, 2015.
87. **Hirschsprung's Workshop,** Leon, Mexico, Oct. 19-23, 2015.
88. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "Hirschsprung Disease: Newborn," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
89. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "GI/Pediatric Surgery – Continence," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
90. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "Hands On Lab – Transanal pull through, laparoscopic colon resection, laparoscopic colostomy, Malone appendicostomy," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
91. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "Motility for functional constipation, Motility in ARM, Motility in HD," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
92. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "Advanced Hirschsprung's and IBD: Peds Surgery/GI – Hirschsprung disease: Post pull through problems," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
93. **2015 Pelvic Colorectal Motility Pelvic Reconstruction Conference.** "Familial Polyposis," Columbus, OH, Nov. 4-6, 2015.
94. **30<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Egyptian Paediatric Surgical Association Conference.** "Endorectal vs. Full-thickness transanal primary pull-through," Pediatric Colorectal Surgery, Luxor/Cairo, Egypt, Nov. 11-14, 2015.
95. **30<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Egyptian Paediatric Surgical Association Conference.** "Management of complications after a pull-through for Hirschsprung," Pediatric Colorectal Surgery, Luxor/Cairo, Egypt, Nov. 11-14, 2015.
96. **30<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Egyptian Paediatric Surgical Association Conference.** "Three live demonstrative operations using the transanal approach for Hirschsprung disease," Pediatric Colorectal Surgery, Luxor/Cairo, Egypt, Nov. 11-14, 2015.
97. **College of Pediatric Surgery.** "Advances in surgical and medical treatment of Hirschsprung disease." Guadalajara, Mexico, 1/24-26, 2016.



98. **McGowan Institute 2016 Scientific Retreat.** Poster Presentation: “Electrostimulation for the treatment of anorectal malformations.” Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort, Farmington, PA, 3/6-8, 2016.
99. **McGowan Institute 2016 Scientific Retreat.** Presentation: “Smart” electrostimulation for the treatment of anorectal malformations.” Nemaocolin Woodlands Resort, Farmington, PA, 3/6-8, 2016.
100. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Diagnosis of Hirschsprung”, Hospital Gregorio Maranon, Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
101. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Problems of Diagnosis in Hirschsprung,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
102. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Treatment of Hirschsprung from Susruta to Bowel Management,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
103. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Hirschsprung Complicated and Reoperations,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
104. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Medical Treatment of Hirschsprung,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
105. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Proliferative Obstructive Colitis,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
106. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Surgical Treatment after the Neonatal Period and Long Segments,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
107. **2<sup>nd</sup> Course on Hirschsprung’s Disease.** “Two live demonstrative operations using the transanal approach for Hirschsprung disease,” Hospital Gregorio Maranon., Madrid, Spain, April 18-19, 2016.
108. **American Pediatric Surgical Association Meeting.** Hirschsprung Disease Interest Group. Guidelines for the management of postoperative obstructive symptoms in children with Hirschsprung Disease”. Data base and Management of postoperative colitis in Hirschsprung, San Diego, CA, May 15-17, 2016.
109. **National Institute of Children.** “Practical Teaching Surgical Course with seven live demonstrative operations”, Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
110. **National Institute of Children.** “TUM for Cloaca”, Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
111. **National Institute of Children.** “De la Torre pull-through for Hirschsprung”, Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.



112. **National Institute of Children.** “Swenson pull-through,” Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
113. **National Institute of Children.** “Vaginoplasty,” Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
114. **National Institute of Children.** “Cloaca Posterior,” Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
115. **National Institute of Children.** “EUA in Anal Injuries,” Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
116. **National Institute of Children.** “EUA for Evaluation of Fecal Incontinence,” Lima, Peru, May 23-28, 2016.
117. **Pediatric Colorectal Surgery Meeting.** “Primary sigmoidectomy and appendicostomy for idiopathic chronic constipation.” Prague, Czechoslovakia, June 11-13, 2016.
118. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Equivocal History and Rational Strategies for the diagnosis.” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
119. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “The Best Options of Treatment and the The basis for Incurring Surgical Complications.” Videos of transanal approach for Technical Endorectal and Full Thickness”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
120. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Pathogenesis of Proliferative Obstructive Colitis and its Component Analyzers”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
121. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Ultra-short segment, Segment and Constipation Complicated Short Super-ultra”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
122. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Estimating Human Error, but Persist in the The error of Fecal Incontinence is Evil”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
123. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Target Shooting – Control fecal and Intestinal Motility”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
124. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “All Inclusive Studies for Problematic Surgical Results”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
125. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Is Enema Contrast Necessary, Yes or Yes,” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
126. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Philosophy and Challenges,” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
127. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Happy Colon vs. Unhappy Colon,” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.



128. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Result of a Complete Neonatal Diagnosis,” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
129. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Best” Post-Operative Surgical and Outcome Treatment”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
130. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Persistent Idiopathic Constipation and it’s Complications”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
131. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Real Fecal Incontinence; Is a Motility The problem?”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
132. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Proliferative Obstructive Colitis,” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
133. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “The Bad Interpretation of Enemas in Colorectal Problems”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
134. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Laxatives / Anti-diarrhea medications - Do Patients Need or Become Dependent Upon?” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
135. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Procedures of Antegrade Colonic Enemas (ACE), Derivations for Urinary Continence. Types, Indications, at What Age, and How to Handle”, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
136. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** “Surgery for Constipation – Resection, Bypass, ACE, Reduction, etc.” Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
137. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** *Why and how? A Service Different and Tailored for Patients with Colorectal Problems*, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
138. **VII Latin America Pediatric Surgical Congress.** *Case Presentations*, Lima, Peru, August 24-26, 2016.
139. **XLIX Mexican Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Hands-on Workshop: Transanal approach for the surgical treatment of Hirschsprung disease.* Chihuahua, Mexico. September 11-12, 2016.
140. **XLIX Mexican Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Complications in anorectal malformations.* Chihuahua, Mexico. September 11-12, 2016.
141. **XLIX Mexican Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** *Complications in Hirschsprung disease.* Chihuahua, Mexico. September 11-12, 2016.
142. **6th Annual Congress European Society of Paediatric Endoscopic Surgeons.** *Transanal approach for Hirschsprung disease.* Madrid, Spain. September 28-30, 2016.



143. **6th Annual Congress European Society of Pediatric Endoscopic Surgeons.** *Surgical treatment of Hirschsprung disease (Laparoscopic Swenson vs. Laparoscopic Soave vs Laparoscopic Duhamel vs. Transanal Approach).* Madrid, Spain. September 28-30, 2016.
144. **Practical Teaching Surgical Course with Live Demonstrative Operations.** Recto Vestibular Fistula; Cloaca repair; Swenson pull-through for Hirschsprung; Cloaca repair; and Creation of appendicostomy and colostomy closure. National Institute of Children. Lima, Peru. October 10-13, 2016.
145. **Practical Teaching Surgical Course with Live Demonstrative Operations.** Rectoperineal fistula; Primary repair. **Presentation:** *Diagnosis and Treatment of Hirschsprung disease.* National Institute of Maternal-Perinatal. Lima, Peru. October 14, 2016.
146. **1st Annual Symposium Pediatric Colorectal Diseases. Practical Teaching Surgical Course with Live Demonstrative Operations.** PSARP for Anorectal malformation (2); radical proctectomy; exam under anesthesia for Hirschsprung disease with fecal incontinence (2); exam under anesthesia and biopsy for Hirschsprung disease with residual aganglionosis and stenosis. exam under anesthesia for rectal prolapse; appendicostomy creation for Spina bifida; and exam under anesthesia for total Hirschsprung disease after Duhamel. **Day 1 Presentations:** *Radiology in colorectal pathology; Anorectal malformation in Girls; and Anorectal malformation in Boys.* **Day 2 Presentations:** *Radiology in colorectal pathology; Anorectal malformation in Girls; and Anorectal malformation in Boys. Chronic Constipation; Hirschsprung surgery complications; Hirschsprung disease Rectal biopsy; Surgical management of functional constipation; and Management of complex cases.* **Day 3 Presentations:** *Bowel management. Bowel Management Workshop with parents; and Patient evaluations in the clinic.* **Day 4 Presentations:** *Hirschsprung Disease. A surgical complication of Hirschsprung Disease.* Hospital Max Peralta. Cartago, Costa Rica. March 27-31, 2017.
147. **Bowel Management Course: Practical Teaching Surgical Course with Live Demonstrative Operations.** Primary resection of the rectal pouch in the urethra by PSA; Swenson pull-through, Anorectal exam under anesthesia (4); and Delorme procedure for anorectal malformation. **Workshop: Bowel Management Program.** Colorectal Center for Children in Mexico and Latin America. Puebla, Mexico. April 3-7, 2017.
148. **Complex Colorectal Cases: Practical Teaching Surgical Course with Live Demonstrative Operations.** Posterior Cloaca repair; Cloaca repair TUM; Cloaca repair short channel. Swenson and end-lateral anastomosis and ileostomy; Re-do PSARP recto-urethra fistula. Swenson pull-through for Hirschsprung. National Institute of Children. Lima, Peru. April 24-28, 2017.
149. **50th Annual Conference Pacific Association of Pediatric Surgeons.** *Technical errors by the surgeon in the treatment of Hirschsprung's Disease can cause damage to the anal canal and produce fecal incontinence.* Seattle, Washington. May 28-June 1, 2017



150. **Aero-digestive Conference. Presentations:** *Constipation vs. Hirschsprung Disease; Inpatient management of patients with Hirschsprung, and Surgical treatment of Hirschsprung.*  
**Operations:** Transanal pull-through; Swenson open pull-through; and Cloaca repair. SanPedro Sula, Honduras. June 15-16, 2017.
151. **Constipation in Children. “State of the Art.”** *Medical and Surgical management of constipation in children.* International Conference Hospital Angeles Puebla. Puebla, Mexico. June 22-23, 2017.
152. **Transanal Endorectal Descent conference.** *Surgical techniques for the treatment of Hirschsprung disease.* Hospital Español, Ciudad de México. Mexico City, Mexico. July 13-14, 2017.
153. **Transanal Endorectal Descent conference.** *Videos of the transanal endorectal approach (Soave) and total thickness (Swenson).* Hospital Español, Ciudad de México. Mexico City, Mexico. July 13-14, 2017.
154. **Transanal Endorectal Descent conference.** *Obstructive proliferative colitis by Hirschsprung.* Hospital Español, Ciudad de México. Mexico City, Mexico. July 13-14, 2017.
155. **Transanal Endorectal Descent conference.** *Fecal incontinence in children with Hirschsprung.* Hospital Español, Ciudad de México. Mexico City, Mexico. July 13-14, 2017.
156. **Transanal Endorectal Descent conference.** *Surgical techniques workshop in living biological model.* Hospital Español, Ciudad de México. Mexico City, Mexico. July 13-14, 2017.
157. **Demonstration Live Operations:** Transanal pull-through for Hirschsprung: Resection of the colonic patch in a total colonic aganglionosis; Cloaca repair. Mexico City, Mexico. February 6-8, 2018.
158. **5th International Meeting of Pediatric and Neonatal Surgery.** Invited Speaker / Presenter. Teaching National Hospital Madre Niño San Bartolomé. Lima, Peru. February 17, 2018.
159. **Ecuadorian Society of Pediatric Surgery Course and Workshop:** Transanal approach for Hirschsprung disease. **Day 1:** Physiology of Hirschsprung disease, Anatomy of Hirschsprung disease, Surgical techniques for the treatment of Hirschsprung Disease, Diagnosis of Hirschsprung disease, Videos of the endoanal transverse approach (Soave) and total thickness (Swenson), Workshop on surgical techniques for Hirschsprung disease in living biological model. **Day 2:** Primary treatment and treatment in stages of Hirschsprung disease, post-descent fecal incontinence; why? How to avoid and how to treat it, Proliferative obstructive colitis, current concept, how to reduce its frequency and how to treat it, the transanal endorectal approach and total thickness for other colorectal problems in children, Questions and General Discussion, Workshop on surgical techniques for Hirschsprung disease in living biological model. Quito, Ecuador. March 20-21, 2018.



160. **1<sup>st</sup> Annual Pediatric Symposium.** A new operation for chronic idiopathic constipation. Children's Hospital of Colorado, Aurora, CO, April 16, 2018.
161. **Demonstration Live Operation.** Transanal pull-through for Hirschsprung. Mexico City, Mexico, April 29, 2018.
162. **Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Society of Colon and Rectal Surgeons Conference.** What the adult surgeon needs to know about colorectal polyposis and Hirschsprung disease., Nashville, TN, May 21, 2018.
163. **Curso Incontinencia Urinaria y Fecal en el Niño y Adolescente.** Course relating to fecal and urinary incontinence, Santiago, Chile, June 7-8, 2018.
164. **Children's Hospital of Mexico, 1<sup>st</sup> Mexico Summit of Pediatric Colorectal Surgery.** Medical Management and Surgical Treatment for Constipation. Mexico City, Mexico, August 14-15, 2018.
165. **Children's Hospital of Mexico, 1<sup>st</sup> Mexico Summit of Pediatric Colorectal Surgery.** Pearls in the Transanal Pull-through. Mexico City, Mexico, August 14-15, 2018.
166. **Children's Hospital of Mexico, 1<sup>st</sup> Mexico Summit of Pediatric Colorectal Surgery.** How to avoid and evaluate fecal incontinence in Hirschsprung disease. Mexico City, Mexico, August 14-15, 2018.
167. **XXI Colombian Congress for Pediatric Surgery.** PTSD in the management of Hirschsprung disease. Bogota-Colombia, South America, September 24-28, 2018.
168. **XXI Colombian Congress for Pediatric Surgery.** Complex anorectal malformations. Bogota-Colombia, South America, September 24-28, 2018.
169. **XXI Colombian Congress for Pediatric Surgery.** Incontinence. Bogota-Colombia, South America, September 24-28, 2018.
170. **XXI Colombian Congress for Pediatric Surgery.** Surgical management of inflammatory bowel disease. Bogota-Colombia, South America, September 24-28, 2018.
171. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Re-do in Hirschsprung disease. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
172. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Role of the Pediatrician in Hirschsprung disease. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
173. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** My vision about teaching in Pediatric Surgery. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.



174. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Because idiopathic constipation becomes surgical. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
175. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** The quality of an assistant. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
176. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Treating postoperative complications after an anorectoplasty. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
177. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Conviction: What to do and what not to do. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
178. **XXIII Bolivian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Intestinal rehabilitation program for fecal incontinence. Santa Cruz-Bolivia, South America, November 22-24, 2018.
179. **Cloaca Workshop.** 3 Live Operations, Chile, March 3-16, 2019.
180. **Colorectal Surgeries.** 16 Cases. Total Colonic Anastomosis and Vaginal Replacement. Peru, March 3-16, 2019.
181. **Peña Course: 64<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** Management for Fecal Incontinence and Constipation. Denver Children's Hospital, Aurora, CO, April 10-12, 2019.
182. **Peña Course: 64<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** The Transanal Approach for Colorectal Problems in Children and Hirschsprung Disease. Denver Children's Hospital, Aurora, CO, April 10-12, 2019.
183. **Peña Course: 64<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** Case Discussions. Denver Children's Hospital, Aurora, CO, April 10-12, 2019.
184. **Pediatric Colorectal Conference.** 25 Years' Experience Using Transanal Approach for Hirschsprung and Other Colorectal Conditions. Ensenada, Baha, CA, April 30 – May 7, 2019.
185. **Brazilian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Rational surgical treatment for chronic idiopathic constipation associated with megarectum. São Paulo, Brazil August 16-18, 2019
186. **Brazilian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Fecal Incontinence in Hirschsprung. Why and how to prevent. São Paulo, Brazil August 16-18, 2019
187. **Brazilian Congress of Pediatric Surgery** How do I do -Cloaca and anorectal anomalies. São Paulo, Brazil August 16-18, 2019
188. **Brazilian Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Colitis in Hirschsprung. São Paulo, Brazil August 16-18, 2019



189. **Mexican Congress of Pediatric Surgery.** Course “State of the Art in Pediatric Colorectal Surgery.” Mérida, México. September 11-16, 2019
190. American Pediatric Surgical Association. Surgical Treatment of Severe Idiopathic Constipation - Comparison of Two Different Surgical Techniques. May 2020
191. **Peña Course: 65<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** Neonatal management of the anorectal malformations. Denver Children’s Hospital, Aurora, CO, March 25-26, 2021.
192. **Peña Course: 65<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** Bowel Management of Constipation. Denver Children’s Hospital, Aurora, CO, March 25-26, 2021.
193. **Peña Course: 65<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children.** New surgical treatment of rectal prolapse. Denver Children’s Hospital, Aurora, CO, March 25-26, 2021.
194. **Grand Round: Constipation in Children.** Hospital de los Valles, la Universidad San Francisco de Quito March 9, 2021.
195. Bicentennial Award in Health and Life Sciences. Quito, Ecuador 2021.
196. Pediatric Colorectal Summit. **Transanal pull-through. Tips and tricks.** Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery July 13-15, 2021
197. Pediatric Colorectal Summit. **Transitional Zone in Hirschsprung disease.** Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery July 13-15, 2021.
198. Pediatric Colorectal Summit. **Surgical treatment of Constipation.** Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery July 13-15, 2021
199. Pediatric Colorectal Summit. **Medical and surgical treatment of rectal prolapse in children.** Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery July 13-15, 2021
200. Colombian National Congress of Pediatric Surgery. **Reoperations and complications in Hirschsprung Disease.** July 22, 2021.
201. Mexican Pediatric Association. XXXVIII National Congress 2021. **Ten most common errors in the diagnosis and treatment of Constipation in children.** July 29, 2021.
202. **The Surgical and Medical treatment of Hirschsprung disease. Diagnosis and medical management of Hirschsprung in the newborn.** Children’s Hospital Colorado. August 12, 2021
203. The Surgical and Medical treatment of Hirschsprung disease. **Swenson, Soave, or Duhamel pull-through?** Children’s Hospital Colorado. August 12, 2021
204. The Surgical and Medical treatment of Hirschsprung disease. **Transanal approach for**



**Hirschsprung and other colorectal conditions.** Children's Hospital Colorado. August 13, 2021.

205. The Surgical and Medical treatment of Hirschsprung disease.

**Long, and total colonic aganglionosis. When and how to do the pull-through.** Children's Hospital Colorado. August 13, 2021.

206. Gastroenterology Conference. **Surgical treatment of Constipation in children.** CHCO. September 1, 2021

207. Pediatric Association of Guatemala. **Understanding Hirschsprung's disease and its current management.** September 30, 2021.

208. LIII National Congress of Pediatric Surgery. Mexican College of pediatric Surgery, A.C. Surgical treatment of Constipation. September 21, 2021

209. National Congress, Pediatric Surgery Association of Argentina. Colorectal pathology. **Surgical treatment of Constipation in children.** October 6-9, 2021.

210. GANMAR-Association of parents with children with anorectal malformations. **Hirschsprung, Anorectal Malformations and Bowel Management.** October 23, 2021

211. Brazilian Association of Academic Leagues of Pediatric Surgery. **Hirschsprung disease, diagnosis, and treatment in the newborn.** October 28, 2021

212. Guanajuato College of Pediatric Surgery. **Transanal endorectal pull-through for Hirschsprung.** November 11, 2021

213. Pediatric College of Queretaro. **The importance of the pediatrician in the care of colorectal surgical problems.** December 2, 2021

214. Society of Pediatric Surgery Fellows. **Hirschsprung disease, diagnosis, and surgical treatment.** December 7, 2021

215. Romanian Pediatric Surgery Meeting. **Hirschsprung disease and transanal pull-through.** December 9, 2021.

216. National Congress of Pediatric Surgery. Mexican College of Pediatric Surgery. **Surgical treatment of Hirschsprung disease.** LIII Congress. September 21-23, 2021

217. Spanish society of Pediatric Surgery. Advances in the treatment of anorectal malformations. March 30, 2022

218. Peña Course: 65<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children. Management of newborn in ARM Colorado Children's Hospital, Aurora, CO, April 31-May 1, 2022.



219. Peña Course: 65<sup>th</sup> Workshop for Surgical Treatment of Colorectal Problems in Children. Bowel management for constipation. Colorado Children's Hospital, Aurora, CO, April 31-May 1, 2022

220. Do adult patients with congenital colorectal conditions know their diagnosis? 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel

221. Patient-reported urinary outcomes in male patients with congenital colorectal conditions. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

222. Sexual and fertility function of adult males with anorectal malformations or Hirschsprung disease. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

223. How to prevent stricture after the repair of anorectal malformation? 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

224. Long-term outcomes of adult patients following surgery for congenital colorectal malformation: analysis of psychosocial functioning. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel. 26<sup>th</sup> -

225. Pelvic exams, and cervical cancer screening in patients with anorectal malformations. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

226. Sexual function in female patients with anorectal malformations. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

227. The success rate of antegrade enemas for the management of idiopathic constipation. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

228. The effect of an enhanced recovery protocol in pediatric patients who undergo colostomy closure and Malone procedures. 29<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Jerusalem, Israel.

229. Pull-through Network Conference 2022. How constipation can be misdiagnosed as Hirschsprung disease in ARM patients. PTN. Phoenix, AZ. July 2-4, 2022

230. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Primary pull-through: Trap and errors. Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11, 2022.

231. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Swenson, Soave or Duhamel pull-through? Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11, 2022.

232. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Long-segment Hirschsprung. Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11, 2022.



233. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Constipation vs Hirschsprung. Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11,2022.
234. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Surgical treatment of Idiopathic Constipation. Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11,2022.
235. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Transanal approach for Hirschsprung and rectal prolapse Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11,2022.
236. Hirschsprung disease course 2022. Hirschsprung associated enterocolitis: Irrigations, Enemas, Botox. Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO, August 10-11,2022.
237. College of Pediatric Surgery of Baja California. Errors during the transanal pull-through. Tijuana, BC, Mexico, August 19, 2022
228. Pediatric Federation of Northeast. XXXI Regional Congress of Pediatric federation of Northeast Errors in the diagnosis and management of constipation. Tijuana, BC, Mexico, August 19, 2022
229. II International symposium integral management of the pediatric patient with colorectal problems and ostomies. Universidad de la Frontera and Hospital Dr. Hernan Henriquez. Temuco, Chile. September 26-27, 2022
230. XXXVI Congreso Brasileiro de Cirurgia Pediatrica. Obstructive symptoms after a pull-through: What to do? Brazilian Association of Pediatric Surgery. Belo Horizonte, Brazil October 25-29,2022.
231. XXXVI Congreso Brasileiro de Cirurgia Pediatrica. Trap and errors in Hirschsprung disease. Brazilian Association of Pediatric Surgery. Belo Horizonte, Brazil October 25-29,2022.
232. Patient/Family colorectal and urogenital meeting. Children's Hospital Colorado. Hirschsprung disease: what everybody should know. Aurora, CO, November 3, 2022
233. Wehrli LA, Reppucci ML, De la Torre L, Ketzer J, Rieck JM, Cooper EH, Judd-Glossy L, Peña A, Bischoff A. Gastrointestinal quality of life and bowel function in adults born with anorectal malformation or Hirschsprung disease. American Pediatric Surgical Association (APSA) Annual Meeting, May 10-13<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Orlando, Florida.
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244. Curso Internacional con Cirugías en Vivo. Manejo Médico y Quirúrgico de la Incontinencia fecal y el Estreñimiento. Centro Colorrectal para Niños de Mexico y Latinoamerica. Hospital Angeles. February 21-23, 2024. Puebla, Mexico.

245. Primera Jornada de Problemas Colorrectales para Pacientes y sus Familias. April 5, 2024. Buenos Aires, Argentina.

246. Management of newborn in anorectal malformations. The 68<sup>th</sup> Workshop for the Surgical Treatment of Anorectal Malformations and Hirschsprung Disease in Children. Children's Hospital Colorado. April 15-18, 2024. Aurora, Colorado.

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253. Hirschsprung Diagnóstico y Tratamiento. Congreso FUNNQUIDS. May 10, 2024. Caracas, Venezuela.

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265. Incisionless colostomy creation: a minimally invasive open surgical technique. 31<sup>st</sup> International Meeting of the Pediatric Colorectal Club. June 9-11, 2024. Bologna, Italy.

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268. Enfermedad de Hirschsprung del diagnóstico a tratamiento. IV Curso Internacional de especialidades quirúrgicas. Instituto Nacional de Saludo del Niño, Lima, Peru, Junio 21, 2024

269. Curso Cirugia Pediatrica Colorrectal. X Congreso Iberoamericano de Cirugía Pediátrica. July 25-27, 2024. Guayaquil, Ecuador.

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271. Enfermedad de Hirschsprung, tratamiento médico y quirúrgico. Sociedad Peruana de Cirugia Pediatrica. August 23, 2024. Lima, Peru

272. Descenso transanal. Que lecciones hemos aprendido en 28 años? 3<sup>rd</sup> Summit Pediatric Colorectal Surgery. Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico City September 5, 2024

273. Complicaciones obstructivas postoperatorias en la enfermedad de Hirschsprung, como se abordan y como se deben resolver? 3<sup>rd</sup> Summit Pediatric Colorectal Surgery. Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico City, September 5, 2024



274. Estreñimiento crónico, tratamiento quirúrgico. A quienes podemos ofrecerlo y cual tratamiento. 3<sup>rd</sup> Summit Pediatric Colorectal Surgery. Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico City September 6, 2024

275. Mesa redonda de Casos Clínicos problemas en enfermedad de Hirschsprung. 3<sup>rd</sup> Summit Pediatric Colorectal Surgery. Instituto Nacional de Pediatría, Mexico City September 6, 2024

276. Aspectos claves en la toma y estudio de las biopsias rectales y colonicas en la enfermedad de Hirschsprung antes y después del descenso. LVI Congreso Nacional de Cirugía Pediátrica, Colegio Mexicano de Cirugía Pediátrica. September 13-15, Mazatlan, Mexico

277. Manejo médico del estreñimiento. LVI Congreso Nacional de Cirugía Pediátrica, Colegio Mexicano de Cirugía Pediátrica. September 13-15, Mazatlan, Mexico

278. Cirugías para el estreñimiento e Incontinencia fecal. LVI Congreso Nacional de Cirugía Pediátrica, Colegio Mexicano de Cirugía Pediátrica. September 13-15, Mazatlan, Mexico.

279. Cirugia Pediatrica Colorrectal. Cordinador de Trabajos Libres. LVI Congreso Nacional de Cirugía Pediátrica, Colegio Mexicano de Cirugía Pediátrica. September 13-15, Mazatlan, Mexico.

280. Colorectal Surgery Workshop with Live Operations. Primary Transanal Pull-through for Hirschsprung disease, PSARP for recto-bulbar fistula, and PSARP for recto-prostatic fistula. Fundación Colon Feliz AC. Bene Hospital. October 3-4, 2024, Tampico. Mexico.

281. Como evitar errores en problemas colorrectales en niños. Fundación Colon Feliz AC. Bene Hospital. October 5, 2024, Tampico. México.

282. Pediatric Colorectal and Pelvic Reconstruction Conference, PCPLC 2024. Emory University Conference Center. Atlanta, GA. November 13-15, 2024.

283. International Pediatric Colorectal Surgery Campaign in Colombia. Second Edition of Kids Healthy and Happy Colon 2024. Hospital Infantil Universitario de San Jose. November 16-20, 2024, Bogota, Colombia.

284. Tratamiento quirurgico del Estreñimiento Idiopatico. A quien si y a quien no. Asociacion Ibero Americana de Cirugia Pediatrica. December 18, 2024. Cali, Colombia.



## DIRECTOR AND HOST OF INTERNATIONAL COURSES

Director, Pediatric Anorectal and Colorectal Surgical Problems (3-day course with surgical live demonstration and lectures) at Hospital Angeles Puebla, Mexico, July 31 – August 2, 2021

Director 1<sup>st</sup> Pediatric Colorectal Conference: “Management of Problematic Surgical Outcomes in Hirschsprung, Anorectal Malformations, and Other Pediatric Colorectal Problems,” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, Oct. 5-7, 2017.

Director 2<sup>nd</sup> Pediatric Colorectal Conference: “Management of Problematic Surgical Outcomes in Hirschsprung, Anorectal Malformations, and Other Pediatric Colorectal Problems,” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, July 11-13, 2018.

Ecuadorian Society of Pediatric Surgery Hirschsprung Course and Workshop: Transanal approach for Hirschsprung disease. Day 1: Physiology of Hirschsprung disease, Anatomy of Hirschsprung disease, Surgical techniques for the treatment of Hirschsprung Disease, Diagnosis of Hirschsprung disease, Videos of the endoanal transverse approach (Soave) and total thickness (Swenson), Workshop on surgical techniques for Hirschsprung disease in living biological model. Day 2: Primary treatment and treatment in stages of Hirschsprung disease, post-descent fecal incontinence; why? How to avoid and how to treat it, Proliferative obstructive colitis, current concept, how to reduce its frequency and how to treat it, the transanal endorectal approach and total thickness for other colorectal problems in children, Questions and General Discussion, Workshop on surgical techniques for Hirschsprung disease in living biological model. Quito, Ecuador. March 20-21, 2018.

Director and professor. Cloaca Workshop. 10 lectures and 3 Live demonstrative operations. Santiago de Chile, Chile, Hospital Sotero del Rio. March 3-16, 2019.

Director and Professor. Transanal approach. Course for the surgical management of Hirschsprung. Live demonstration in humans, and workshop in experimental model in rabbits. ICESI University and Valle del Lili Foundation. Cali, Colombia, October 23-25, 2019

Host Faculty, Surgical treatment of anorectal malformations and Hirschsprung’s Disease. 3-day course with surgical live demonstration and lectures) at Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO.

64<sup>th</sup> workshop, April 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019

65<sup>th</sup> workshop, May 25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021

66<sup>th</sup> workshop, March 31<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

67<sup>th</sup> workshop, April 5<sup>th</sup> – April 7, 2023

68<sup>th</sup> Workshop April 15-18, 2024

69<sup>th</sup> Workshop April 28<sup>th</sup> -May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025

Director Faculty, Hirschsprung Course (2-day course with surgical demonstration and lectures) at Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora-CO.

3<sup>rd</sup> Hirschsprung Course, August 12-13, 2021

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Workshop Pediatric Colorectal Surgery. Santa Cruz Bolivia , 4/28/2023 to 4/28/2023.

Three Days Bowel Management Course with Live surgery demonstrations. Hospital Angeles Puebla, Mexico February 21-23, 2024.

Three Days Hirschsprung Course with live surgery demonstrations. Hospital Angele Mexico, March 12-14, 2025

Three Days Hirschsprung Course with live surgery demonstrations. National Children's Hospital Tashkent, Uzbekistan. March 20-23, 2025

Three Days Colorectal Course with surgeries overseas with the Colombian Society of Pediatric Surgeons Cartagena, Colombia. April 2-4, 2025

Host Faculty, Surgical treatment of anorectal malformations and Hirschsprung's Disease. 3-day course with surgical live demonstration and lectures) at Children's Hospital Colorado, Aurora, CO. 69<sup>th</sup> Workshop April 28<sup>th</sup> -May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025

Three Days Colorectal Summit with live surgery demonstrations. Hospital Infnatil de Leon. León, Guanajuato, Mexico. June 5-7, 2025

Three Days Hirschsprung Course with live surgery demonstrations. Hospital Rebagliati para Niños Lima, Peru. August 4-6, 2025

Three days Pediatric Colorectal Conference. Hospital General de Temuco. Temuco, Chile. October 1-3, 2025

Three days Conference, Colorectal and Pelvic Reconstruction. Hong Kong Children's Hospital. November 19-21, 2025.



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English version  
<https://vimeo.com/813906430>  
  
Spanish Version  
<https://vimeo.com/814300836>



## PEDIATRIC SURGERY EVENTS / MEDIA

1. Colorectal Care Close to Home. Featured story in Pediatric Insights, Summer 2014: 4-6.
2. Medical Mondays: The Colorectal Center, a Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC television spot, digital ads, and a blog, Aug. 12, 2015.
3. Course Director for 1<sup>st</sup> annual pediatric colorectal conference: "Management of Problematic Surgical Outcomes in Hirschsprung, Anorectal Malformations, and Other Pediatric Colorectal Problems," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, Oct. 5-7, 2016.
4. Facilitated and recorded 6 Live Educational Colorectal Webinars (English and Spanish):
  - Part 1:** "How not to fail in the diagnosis and treatment of Hirschsprung Disease," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, May 11, 2017.
  - Part 2:** "How to resolve an unwanted post-operative course after Hirschsprung surgery," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, June 8, 2017.
  - Part 3:** "No more children with fecal incontinence," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, July 6, 2017.
  - Part 4:** "Constipation, problem treated by all and poorly treated by many," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, August 10, 2017.
  - Part 5:** "How not to fail in the diagnosis and treatment of an anorectal malformation," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, September 10, 2017.
  - Part 6:** "How to resolve an unwanted post-operative evolution after surgery to correct an anorectal malformation," Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, October 12, 2017.
5. Performed and recorded 2 Live Hirschsprung Surgery Training Videos, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, November 15 and 16, 2017.
6. Host Facebook Live Kick-off Event – Colorectal and Hirschsprung Center for Children, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, December 7, 2017.
7. Conducted a Live Webinar: "Bowel Management for the Pediatrician" Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, January 17, 2018.
8. Teleconference to Society of Pediatric Surgeons of Quintana Roo, Mexico. "State of the art" on Hirschsprung disease. January 17, 2018.
9. PAPS Videoconference, "Complications after the repair of Hirschsprung disease. January 25, 2018.
10. Facilitated and recorded Live Educational Colorectal Webinars (English):
  - Part 1:** "Diagnosis and Treatment of Hirschsprung Disease" Part 1 Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, January 18, 2018.
  - Part 2:** "Treating Post-Operative Complications After Hirschsprung Surgery" - Part 2 Children's



Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, February 26, 2018.

**Part 3:** “Fecal Incontinence - Current Management in Children,” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, March 1, 2018.

**Part 4:** “Constipation Treated by All, Mistreated by Many,” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, April 5, 2018.

**Part 5:** “How Not to Fall in the Diagnosis and Treatment of an Anorectal Malformation” – Part 1, Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, May 3, 2018.

**Part 6:** “treating Post-Operative Complications After the Repair of an Anorectal Malformation” – Part 2, Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, June 14, 2018.

1. Course Director for 2nd annual pediatric colorectal conference: “Surgical and Medical Management of Hirschsprung Disease,” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC, July 11-13, 2018.
12. Colorectal Patient/Family Live Web Meeting. Colorectal Center. Children’s Hospital Colorado. August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019
13. The Hendren Project Webinar in Hirschsprung disease. Live Webinar. January 31st, 2019. **Why Patients with Hirschsprung Disease Present with Colitis: Prevention and Therapy.**  
<https://www.hendrenproject.org/content/why-patients-hirschsprung-present-colitis>.  
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14. The Hendren Project Webinar in Hirschsprung disease. Live Webinar. September 19, 2019.  
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15. Indian Association of Pediatric Surgeons. Live Webcast. Transanal approach for the surgical treatment of Hirschsprung disease. January 18, 2020. <https://youtu.be/Fbh1mPFzrvk?t=2335>
18. Anorectal malformations. March 25-26. International Center for Colorectal and Urogenital Care. Children’s Hospital Colorado.



## INVITED LECTURER

<p>“Hirschsprung Protocol, Part 2” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	Dec. 14, 2017
<p>“Constipation: Common Errors in Treatment” Children’s Community Pediatrics Wexford, PA</p>	Invited Speaker	Nov. 7, 2017
<p>“Case Review” Pathology/Colorectal Combined Conference Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	Oct. 26, 2017
<p>“CHP Colorectal and Hirschsprung Center” East Suburban Pediatrics Monroeville, PA</p>	Invited Speaker	Sept. 27, 2017
<p>“Hirschsprung Protocol” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	Sept. 21, 2017
<p>“Fecal Incontinence &amp; Colitis after a Pull-Through For Hirschsprung” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	August 10, 2017
<p>"Pediatric Colorectal Radiology" Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	Nov. 17, 2016
<p>“Constipation in the Pediatric Populations” Grand Rounds Dubois Regional Medical Center Dubois, PA</p>	Invited Speaker	Sept. 1, 2016
<p>"When Constipation Becomes a Surgical Patient" GI/Surgery Combined Conference Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	Faculty	Apr. 28, 2016



<p>“Bowel Management Program at the Colorectal Center for Children at Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC for Persistent Constipation in Children with Urinary Tract Infections.” Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Dept. of Pediatrics Oakland, PA</p>	<p>Invited Speaker</p>	<p>Mar. 17, 2016</p>
<p>“The Management of the Problematic Persistent Constipation in Children” Kid’s Plus Pediatrics Greenfield, PA</p>	<p>Invited Speaker</p>	<p>Dec. 11, 2015</p>
<p>“Case Reviews” Pathology/Colorectal Combined Conference Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	<p>Faculty</p>	<p>Oct. 29, 2015</p>
<p>“Management of Pediatric Colorectal Problems” Grand Rounds Excelsa Health Westmoreland Hospital Greensburg, PA</p>	<p>Invited Speaker</p>	<p>Sept. 30, 2015</p>
<p>“Colorectal Center” Pediatric Resident Grand Rounds Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	<p>Faculty</p>	<p>Aug. 17, 2015</p>
<p>“Case Reviews” Pathology/Colorectal Combined Conference Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	<p>Faculty</p>	<p>April 2, 2015</p>
<p>“Hirschsprung Disease” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	<p>Faculty</p>	<p>April 23, 2015</p>
<p>“Everything You Need to Know About Bowel Management” Bedford Hospital Bedford, PA</p>	<p>Invited Speaker</p>	<p>Jan. 15, 2015</p>
<p>“Anorectal Malformation” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA</p>	<p>Faculty</p>	<p>Oct. 9, 2014</p>

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“Everything You Need to Know About Bowel Management” Laurel Pediatrics Johnstown, PA	Invited Speaker	Aug. 27, 2014
“Colorectal Problems in Children” Grand Rounds UPMC Horizon Womancare Center Hermitage, PA	Invited Speaker	Aug. 21, 2014
“Antegrade Colonic Enemas” Division of Gastroenterology Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA	Faculty	Aug. 15, 2014
“Management of the Neurogenic Bowel” Pediatric Rehab Medicine, Fellows Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA	Invited Speaker	Aug. 6, 2014
“Functional and Anatomical Colorectal Problems In Children: Diagnosis and Treatment” Grand Rounds Wheeling Hospital Wheeling, WV	Invited Speaker	Aug. 5, 2014
Most Frequent Congenital Colorectal Malformations . . . “Current problems and morbidity” Pediatric Grand Rounds Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA	Invited Speaker	July 17, 2014
“Case Review” Surgery/Pathology Rounds Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA	Faculty	May 27, 2014
“Colorectal Center” Pediatric Surgery Core Lecture Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC Pittsburgh, PA	Faculty	May 8, 2014
“Some Colorectal Problems in Children” Grand Rounds Lecture Indiana Hospital Indiana, PA	Invited Speaker	April 30, 2014

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“Hirschsprung’s Disease and Other Colorectal Issues”

Surgery/Pathology Rounds  
Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC  
Pittsburgh, PA

Invited Speaker

April 22, 2014

“What to Do and What Not to Do with Patients  
With Constipation”  
Virtual Conference with Dominican Society of Pediatrics  
Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC  
Pittsburgh, PA

Invited Speaker

March 12, 2014

Surgical treatment for Idiopathic Constipation  
associated with a problematic megarectum  
Sociedad Mexicana de Cirugia Pediatrica  
Mexico, City

Invited Speaker

September 12, 2019

Pediatric Grand Rounds “Lily Lectureship”.  
Hirschsprung Disease & Constipation:  
Misunderstood Pediatric Problems  
Children’s Hospital Colorado  
Aurora, CO

Invited Speaker

November 1, 2019

Department of Surgery Grand Rounds  
Transanal approach for Hirschsprung and other  
Colorectal conditions: Twenty-five years of  
Experience  
University of Colorado

Invited Speaker

January 24, 2022