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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Current posts

- Senior Lecturer, Department of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna
- Consultant Paediatrician, Teaching Hospital Karapitiya
- Visiting Lecturer, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, University of Ruhuna
- Visiting Lecturer, Nurses Training School, Mahamodara, Galle
- Visiting Lecturer in Paediatrics, Sabaragamuwa Medical Faculty

Overseas working experience

- Clinical Research Fellow in Inherited Metabolic Disorders, **Manchester University Hospitals, NHS Foundation trusts, United Kingdom** (Sept 2022 to Sept 2023)
- Clinical Fellow in Paediatrics, **Oxford University Hospitals NHS foundation trust**, (September 2018 up to September 2020)

Local working experience:

- Internship Appointment -General Surgery at National Hospital Sri Lanka (February 2011 to August 2011)
- Internship Appointment –Paediatrics at University Paediatric Unit, Lady Ridgeway Hospital Colombo (August 2011 to February 2012)
- Relief House Officer - Paediatrics at University Paediatric Unit, Lady Ridgeway Hospital Colombo (February 2012 to August 2012)
- Senior House Officer in Paediatrics at Teaching Hospital Karapitiya (August 2012 to July 2013)
- Registrar in Paediatrics
 - July 2013- June 2014- District General Hospital Matara
 - July 2014- June 2015- Teaching Hospital Karapitiya
 - July 2015-June 2016- Lady Ridgeway Hospital Colombo
- Senior registrar in Paediatrics – July 2018- August 2020- Teaching Hospital Karapitiya

MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEES

- Associate member of **Royal College of Paediatrics**, United Kingdom since 2019
- Member of the **society of study inborn errors of metabolism (SSIEM)** since 2021
- Life member of Sri Lanka college of Paediatricians since 2016
- Life member of Galle Medical Association since 2017
- Secretary of **Rare Disease Forum**, Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Post graduate qualifications:

Post graduate institute of Medicine, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka

- **MD Paediatrics (Col) – July/Aug 2016**
- **DCH (Col) – October 2014**
- **DCH (UK) – November 2021**
- **MRCPCH (UK) – October 2022**

Undergraduate qualifications – Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo

- Final M.B.B.S.- **Second class (Upper) honour with Distinction in Paediatrics-** University of Colombo (2010), **Professor Sanath P.Lamabadusooriya Gold medal for excellence in clinical Paediatrics** (2011)
- Clinical Science Stream – Second class (Upper) honour
- Applied Science Stream – Second class (Lower)
- Community Science Stream- Second class (Lower)
- Introductory Basic Science Stream- Second class (Upper) honour
- Behavioural Science Stream – Pass

Final MBBS all island merit- 012

SERVED AS A RESOURCE PERSON

- Visiting lecturer to Nurses Training School , Galle 2015
- Resource person for the Neonatal Advanced Life Support (NALS) Programme 2014, 2015
- Resource person for the Advanced Paediatric Life Support (APLS) Programme 2014, 2015
- Resource person for Pre MD MCQ course, Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians 2016
- Resource person for Essential Newborn Care Programme, October 2017, Teaching Hospital, Mahamodara
- Resource person for Pre MD MCQ course, Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians 2021
- Resource person for the MD-Paediatrics part II course, Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians 2021
- Resource person for the Overseas training workshop organized by the SLCP 2021
- Resource person for the Rare disease day 2022 organized by the SLCP 2022

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

- Link of the Google scholar profile;
<https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=7N4hEi0AAAAJ>
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Publications in journals

Original articles

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2. Gunathilaka, P.K.G, P M G Punchihewa, N C Kitulwatte, T J Athukorala, I Kankanarachchi, C M P Fernando, D M A A Athugalpura (2016). Does intravenous salbutamol therapy cause cardiac toxicity in children with acute severe asthma? Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health. 45(4), pp.250–255. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v45i4.8055>
3. Kankanarachchi I, Pratheep N, Munasinghe TM, Gunasekara S, Rathnayake W, Thewarapperuma C, Kitulwatte N, “Haemophagocytic Lymphohistiocytosis (HLH) Secondary to Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever (DHF); A Paeditric Case Series”. EC Paediatrics 7.7 (2018): 638-640 DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.31080/ecpe.2018.07.00292>
4. Kankanarachchi, I., Egodage, U.K., Dharmasiri, K., Jayathilake, E., Shanika, G. and Devasiri, V., 2018. Documentation errors in paediatric drug charts: an Audit. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society, 23(1), pp.30–32. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v23i1.39>
5. Jayawardena PP, Galappaththi J, **Imalke KACP** (2019) Efficacy of oral montelukast in comparison of inhaled steroids for mild persistent asthma among children aged 1-5 years: A randomized clinical trial in Sri-Lanka. Pulm Crit Care Med. 4: DOI: 10.15761/PCCM.1000160
6. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Jayantha, U.K. and Madhuranga, A.L.A., 2020. Thyroid status in children with steroid sensitive nephrotic syndrome. Sri Lanka Journal of Diabetes Endocrinology and Metabolism, 10(1), pp.7–10. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sjdem.v10i1.7378>
7. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Liyanarachchi, N., Gunathilaka, G., Wijesinghe, C.J., Jayawardana, P., Chamika, R.M.A., Jayarathna, R.N., Vithanage, N.D., Amarasena, T.S.D., Egodage, U.K. and Devasiri, I.V., 2022. Nutritional status and dietary restrictions of children with asthma in comparison to healthy children. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 51(3), pp.351–357. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v51i3.10220>

8. Silva, K.D.N., **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Darshana, I.L.A.N., De Silva, W.N.D. and Liyanarachchi, N., 2022. Pain assessment in venepuncture among children: Experience from a single centre study in Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 51(3), pp.369–376. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v51i3.10225>
9. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Nafla, M.A.F., Wackwella, H.C., Darshana, I.L.A.N., Egodage, U.K., de Silva, M.H.A.D., Jayawardana, P. and Liyanarachchi, N., 2022. Acceptability of Covid-19 vaccine for healthy children and its associated factors: Parents' perception from a study conducted in Galle district of Sri Lanka. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 51(4), pp.591–597. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v51i4.10376>

Case Reports

10. Kankanarachchi I, Madarasinghe M, Kariyawasam P, Histologically suggestive case of Cat – Scratch disease presenting with cervical lymphadenopathy. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society.2013;18:7-9
11. Kankanarachchi I, Madarasinghe M, Seizures secondary to Hypomagnesaemia in an infant with short bowel syndrome following repair of Type III-B Jejunal atresia. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society 2013;18:9-11
12. Atapattu N, Imalke KA, Madarasinghe M, Lamahewage A, de Silva KS. Pheochromocytoma presenting with polyuria: an uncommon presentation of a rare tumour. Endocrinology, diabetes & metabolism case reports. 2014;2014. DOI: 10.1530/EDM-14-0060
13. Kankanarachchi I, Madarasinghe M, Atapattu N, A case of Persistent hyperinsulinemic hypoglycemia of infancy (PHHI). Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society.2014;19:37-39
14. Kankanarachchi I, Madarasinghe M, A case of Antenatal Bartter syndrome, Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society.2014;19:47-49
15. Kankanarachchi I, Devasiri IV, Rathuwithana C, Wackwella WG, Atapattu N. DiGeorge syndrome: a case report. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society. 2015 Nov 1;20(1). DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v20i1.6>
16. Athugalpura DM, Jayathilaka MM, Jayathilaka A, Gunathilaka PK, Kankanarachchi I, Gamhewage N. Transient thromboembolic event in a child with severe hemophilia a due to venous obstruction. cme. 2011 May;34(5):389. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v21i1.23>
17. Gamhewage NC, Kankanarachchi I, Punchihewa PG. Kawasaki disease presenting as BCG scar reactivation in a five weeks old baby. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society. 2016 Dec 21;21(1). DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v21i1.21>

18. Kankanarachchi I, Fernando MP, Denipitiya T, Navabalasooryar P, Kitulwatte NC. Persistent hyponatraemia following suspected krait envenomation in a 5-year-old Sri Lankan child. *Ceylon Medical Journal*. 2018 Mar 1;63:24-5. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/cmj.v63i1.8620>
19. Kankanarachchi I, Wickramasinghe N, Vithana SR, Madushanka MT, Amarasena TSD, a case of Revesz Syndrome; June 2018, *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health* 47(2):183-185 DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v47i2.8492>
20. Kankanarachchi I, Vithanage ND, Madushanka MT, Fernando A, Samarathna R, Rukshani T, Liyanarachchi ND, A case of Omphalocoele-Exstrophy-Imperforate anus-Spinal defects (OEIS) complex. *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health*. 47(3), pp.282–284. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v47i3.8556>
21. Kankanarachchi, I., Vithanage, N.D., Munasinghe, T.M., Wanniarachchi, C., Wijenayake, B. and Jayantha, U.K., 2018. A case of Bart syndrome. *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health*, 47(4), pp.370–371. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v47i4.8605>
22. Kankanarachchi, I., Rathuwithana, R.D.A.C., Vithana, S.R. and Gunawardena, T.P.J.G., 2018. A case of Cows' milk allergy in the syndrome of thrombocytopenia with absent radius. *Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society*, 23(1), pp.35–36. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v23i1.48>
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27. Meranthi Fernando, Imalke Kankanarachchi, Pratheep Navabalasooriyar, Bhagya Herath, and Pushpa Punchihewa, "A Case of Dapsone-Induced Severe Agranulocytosis Causing Life-Threatening Skin Sepsis in a Sri Lankan Child with Borderline Leprosy: A Success Story!," *Case Reports in Medicine*, vol. 2019, Article ID 2314379, 3 pages, 2019. <https://doi.org/10.1155/2019/2314379>.
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29. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Wickramasinghe, P., Fernando, M., Pussagoda, K., Dissanayake, R., Morawakkorala, R. and de Silva, H. de S., 2019. A child with intravenous immunoglobulin-resistant Kawasaki disease who responded to intravenous methyl prednisolone. *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health*, 48(3), pp.270–272 DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v48i3.8767>
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31. Munasinghe TM, Naotunna C, Vithana S, **Kankanarachchi I**, Dharmawardena H, Amarasena S. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus mimicking lymphoproliferative malignancy in a child. *Platelets*. 2019 Dec 13;8500(45):50. <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v24i1.72>
32. **Kankanarachchi I**, Madushanka T, Naotunna CN, Piyasiri B, Devasiri IV. A case of Salmonella typhi neonatal meningitis. *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health*. 2019 Dec 5;48(4):350-2. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v48i4.8833>
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35. Vithanage, N.D., Jayasekara, K.J., **Kankanarachchi, I.** and Jayawardena, M., 2020. A case of hydrometrocolpos in a neonate. *Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health*, 49(1), pp.90–93. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v49i1.8910>

36. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Samarathna, R., Naotunna, C., Pathmakanthi, K.A.I., Hemali, H.M.P., Devasiri, V. and Dharmawardena, H., 2020. A case of star fruit induced acute oxalate nephropathy in a previously healthy child. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 49(2), pp.178–179. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v49i2.8968>
37. Pradeep, N., **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Perera, S. and Kitulwatte, N., 2020. A case of Brugada syndrome presenting with fatal cardiac arrhythmia in a 3-year-old Sri Lankan child. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 49(2), pp.180–181. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v49i2.8969>
38. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Hewawitharana, G.P. and Amarasena, T.S.D., 2020. A case of Limb Girdle Muscular Dystrophy Type 4 C. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society, 25(1), pp.62–63. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v25i1.86>
39. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Athukorala, M. and Atapattu, N., 2021. A case of transient hyperphosphatasemia presenting with mild degree of bow legs. Sri Lanka Journal of Diabetes Endocrinology and Metabolism, 11(1), pp.46–49. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sjdem.v11i1.7432>
40. **I. Kankanarachchi**, K. K. S. Priyankara, K. K. K. Lakman, K. Withanaarachchi, P. K. G. Gunathilaka, "Two Cases of Congenital Chylothorax: A Successful Story of Medical Management", Case Reports in Pediatrics, vol. 2021, Article ID 6634326, 4 pages, 2021. <https://doi.org/10.1155/2021/6634326>
41. Kariyawasam, J.P., **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Naotunna, C., Wakwella, H.C., Gunawardane, T.P.J. and Gunasekara, C., 2021. A case of Proteus syndrome with a large atrial septal defect. Galle Medical Journal, 26(3), pp.136–140. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/gmj.v26i3.8105>
42. **Kankanarachchi, I.** and Amarasena, S., 2021. A case of two siblings with Morquio syndrome. Sri Lanka Journal of Diabetes Endocrinology and Metabolism, 11(2), pp.50–54. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/sjdem.v11i2.7437>
43. **Kankanarachchi, I.** and Madarasinghe, M., 2021. A case of mediastinal tumour misdiagnosed as asthma. Journal of the Ruhunu Clinical Society, 26(1), pp.48–49. DOI: <http://doi.org/10.4038/jrcs.v26i1.87>
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46. **Kankanarachchi, I.**, Suntharesan, J. and Hewawitharana, G., 2022. A case of ketotic hypoglycaemia with cataract. Sri Lanka Journal of Child Health, 51(2), pp.301–302. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.4038/sljch.v51i2.10144>
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Oral Presentations

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3. Kankanarachchi I, Madushanka MTK, Liyanarachchi ND, Jasinghe E, Amarasena SA, Homocystinuria – a Case series, Rare Disease Day, 28th February 2018, Lady Ridgeway Hospital, Colombo, Sri Lanka.
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9. Kankanarachchi I, Hapuarachchi GK, Knowledge attitudes and practices in children with Bronchial Asthma visiting a Paediatric clinic at Tertiary Care Hospital, Sri Lanka. 6th Global Congress for Consensus in Paediatrics and Child Health, November 2017
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- Prize for the best poster titled “Use of N-Acetyl Cysteine (NAC) in patients with Dengue haemorrhagic Fever Complicated Liver Failure.” read at the 15th Annual academic Sessions of the Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians. August 2012.
- Prize for the best oral presentation titled “Oral Montelukast versus inhaled steroids for mild persistent asthma among one to five-year-old children”. Annual Academic Sessions -Galle Medical Association 2014;19
- Became the second best presenter in Young Specialist Forum, Galle Medical Association, 2018

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Captain of the School quiz team 2002 -2003
- Member of the Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians cricket team since 2017

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

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