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Nationality: Iranian

Home Address:
of Medicine

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Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences and Health Services Tehran, Iran

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Gender: Female

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PROFILE: Epidemiologist with 30 years experience as a lecturer, researcher and consultant

EDUCATION:

PhD in Epidemiology 1982

School of Public Health

Tehran University of Medical Sciences

Tehran, Iran

MSc in Epidemiology 1977

School of Medicine

Shiraz University of Medical Sciences, Shiraz, Iran

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) 1975

School of Veterinary Medicine, Shiraz, Iran

Veterinary Internship 1974 – 1975

England

ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

Professore of Epidemiology 2005 - continued

Department of Health and Community Medicine

Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

School of Medicine

Tehran

Associate Professor of Epidemiology 1993 - 2005

Department of Health and Community Medicine

Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

School of Medicine

Tehran

Assistant Professor of Epidemiology 1982 - 1992

Department of Health and Preventive Medicine

Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

School of Medicine

Tehran, Iran

WORK EXPERIENCES:

RESEARCHER

University of British Columbia 1993

Institute of Research and Health Promotion

Vancouver, B.C, Canada

University of Simon Fraser 1996 -2000

Vancouver, BC, Canada

Cancer Registry 1975 - 1977

Shiraz University Hospital

Shiraz, Iran

Graduate Research Assisitant 1974 – 1976

Dept. of Epidemiology & Biostatistic

School of Medicine, Shiraz University

Shiraz, Iran

RESEARCH CONSULTANT & MANAGER 1985-to present

Designed, consultant and managed medical research projects

Designing and directed health system research projects. Consulted on various other projects

Developing a standard form for research in Oncology

Supervised research projects for staffs and medical students.

Consultants of research methodology in dissertations of medical field specialist.

OTHER EXPERIENCE:

Program Coordinator 1996 - 1997

Capilano Community Services Society

North Vancouver, BC

Canada

Executive Director Assistant

North Shore Volunteer for Seniors 1993-1999

North Vancouver, BC

Canada

Fund Raising Coordinator 1995

Canadian Cancer Society

Vancouver, BC, Canada

Health Committee Member 1995 – 1997

Multicultural Society, Vancouver, BC, Canada

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS:

Familiar with computer systems as an user of the following softwares:

Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Access, SPSS, Harvard Graphics, Desktop Publishing.

WORKSHOPS:

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Advanced Cancer Epidemiology	2005
Karolinska Institute & Iranian Cancer Research Center &Iranian Epidemiological Association Tehran, Iran	
GDL	2004
Educational Development Center Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences Tehran, Iran	
Internet and Medline Search	2003
Information Technology Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences Tehran, Iran	
Evidenced Based Medicine	2002
Educational Development Center (EDC) Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences Tehran, Iran	
Effective Teaching in Higher Education	2002
Educational Development Center (EDC) Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences Tehran, Iran	
Student Assesment and Evaluation	2002
Educational Development Center (EDC) Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences Tehran, Iran	
Curriculum Planning and Lesson Plan	2002

Educational Development Center (EDC)	
Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences	
Tehran, Iran	
Research in Education, Level 1 and 11	2001
Educational Development Center (EDC)	
Shaheed Behshti University of Medical Sciences	
Tehran, Iran	
Medical Education Training	1999
University of British Columbia	
Vancouver, BC, Canada	
Student Advocate Diploma	1996
Vancouver Canadian College	
BC, Canada	
Office Administrator Diploma	1995
Academy of Learning	
BC, Canada	
Medical Education Training	1993
Tehran, Iran	
Clinical and Public Health Research Methods	1991
Erasmus University, the Netherlands cancer Epidemiology Course	1988
World Health Organization Program	
International Agency for Research on Cancer	
Moscow, Russia	
Health Systems research training	1987
World Health Organization Program	

Tehran Iran

Expanded Program of Immunization (EPI)

1986

High Level Course

World Health Organization Program

Tehran, Iran

Control of Diarrhoeal Disease (CDD)

1985

High Level Course

World Health Organization Program

Tehran, Iran

Professional Memberships:

- Member of Iranian Epidemiological Committee on Scientific Board
- Member of Iranian Community Medicine Committee on Scientific Board
- Member of the Board of Director of Iranian Epidemiological Association
- International Epidemiological Association (IEA)
- Iranian Epidemiological Association
- Public Health Association of Iran
- Iranian Veterinary Medical Association
- Member of the Evidence Based Medicine Committee, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran
- Member of the Scientific Committee of 1st, 2nd and 3rd Iranian Congress of Epidemiology
- Member of the Comprehensive Examination for Medical Students, School of Medicine, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran
- Member of Thesis Committee, School of Medicine, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran
- Member of Research Committee, Dept. of Health & Social Medicine, School of Medicine, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran

Editorial Boards:

- Chairman of the quarterly journal "Iranian Epidemiology Journal".
- Member of the Board of editorial "Health Education Journal"
- Member of the Board of editorial "Iranian Epidemiology Journal"
- Member of the Board of editorial "Scientific Journal School of Public Health & Institutue of Public Health Research.
- Member of the Board of Editorial Consultants "Medical Journal of the Oremieh"
- Member of the Board of Editorial Consultants "Paramedical Journal of the Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences"

- Member of the Board of Editorial Consultants "Research in Medicine Journal of the Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences"
- Member of textbook editing Committee for reforming in Medical education.

Appointee:

- Member of to the Ethical Committees of Medical Research, National Nutrition & Food Technology Research Institute, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.
- Member of High Council at the Research Committee National Nutrition & Food Technology Research Institute, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran.

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS:

List of publications since 2003 :

Yavari P, Abadi M, and Mehrabi, Y. Trend in Mortality and cause of death among Iranian Population in the last 23 years. Hakim Research Journal, Vol.6 No.3 Autumn 2003

Talat Mokhtari. Azad, Anahid Etheda, **Parvin Yavari**, etal. Comparative detection of Measles specific IGM antibody in serum and saliv by an antibody-capture IGM enzyme immunoassay. Iranian Journal of Allergy. Asthma and Immunology Vol.2 No.3. September 2003, P; 149-154

Mehrabi Y, **Yavari P**, Abadi A. A study of the cancer pattern among public hospitals inpatients in Iran during 2000 – 2002. Asian Pacific Journal of Cancer Prevention, Volume 4, Number 3, 2003.

Rafati N, **Yavari P**, Mehrabi Y, Montazeri A. Quality of life among Kahrizac Charity institutionalized elderly people, Scientific Journal School of Public Health Research .Vol3, No. 2 2004.

Mehregan F, **Yavari P**, Nourbaksh M. A study of clinical trend and effects of caustic ingestion based on endoscopy of children referring to Loghman Hakim hospital. Children diseases Journal, 14(2) Autumn 2005 .

Yavari P, Mosavizadeh M, Sadrol-Hefazi B, Mehrabi Y. Reproductive Characterisitcs of the risk factor of Breast Cancer – A case control study. Asian Pacific Journal of Cancer Prevention, Volume 6, No. 4, 2005.P; 387-392

Yavari P, Mehrabi Y, Pour-Hosiengholi A. Knowledge and practice of breast cancer patients toward breast self examination, 2004. Medical Journal of the Ardabil, volume 5, No. 3 1384, P; 360-366.

Yavari p, Hislop TG, Abanto Z. Methodology to identify Iranian immigrants for Epidemiological studies. . Asian Pacific Journal of Cancer Prevention, Volume 6, No. 4 2005.P; 455-457

Mokhtari-Azad, Naseri M, **Yavari P**, Gooya M, Esteghamati A, and Hamkar R. Optimal Timing of Specimen Collection after Rash Onset for Diagnosis of Measles IgM Antibody. Razi Journal, No. 60 , July 2005

Sarvghadi F, Yasari, P, **Yavari P**. Surveys for Causes and clinical presentations of hypoglycemia in patients with low blood glucose admitted in emergency ward. Endocrinology and Metabolism Journal 2006 In Press.

Mehrazin M, **Yavari P**. Morphological pattern and frequency of intracranial tumors in children. Child's Nervous System Journal 2006. In press.

Pourhosseingholi MA, Mehrabi Y, Alavi-Majd H, **Yavari P**. Using latent variables in logistic model to reduce multicollinearity in explanatory variables and its application in analysis of breast cancer risk factors. Iranian Journal of Epidemiology Volume 1, No. 2, 2006.

Yavari P, Mosavizadeh MA, Sadrolhefazi B, Khodabakhshi R, Mehrabi Y, Madani H, Khoshnevis J. Risk factors and Breast cancer among Iranian women. Pejohandeh Journal, 2006 . In press

Yavari P, Hislop TG, Bajdik C, Sadjadi AR, Nouraie M, Babaei M, Malekzadeh R. Comparison of cancer incidence in Iran and Iranian immigrants to British Columbia, Canada. Asian Pacific Journal of Cancer Prevention, Volume 7, No. 1 2006.P; 86-90.

Yavari P, Mehrazin M., Epidemiology of Primary Intracranial Tumors in Iran, 1978-2003. The Canadian Journal Of Neuological Sciences, Volume 33, (supplement 1) May 2006. P; 69-70.

Mehrazin M., Rahmat H.,**Yavari P**., Epidemiology of Primary Intracranial Tumors in Iran, 1978-2003. Asian Pacific Journal of Cancer Prevention, Volume 7, No. 2 2006.P; 283-288.

Yavari P, Mehrazin M., Morphological Pattern and Frequency of Brain Tumors in children . American Journal of Epidemiology, Volume 163 Number 11, (supplement) June 2006. P; S95

Yavari P, Mosavi-Zadeh, Sadrol-Hefazi., Breast Cancer and Risk factors in Iranian women. American Journal of Epidemiology, Volume 163 Number 11, (supplement) June 2006. P; S94

Articles presented in conference :

Yavari P, Mehrazin M., Morphological Pattern and Frequency of Brain Tumors in children . Congress of Epidemiology , Seattle, Washington, June 21-24, 2006.

Yavari P, Mosavi-Zadeh, Sadrol-Hefazi., Breast Cancer and Risk factors in Iranian women. Congress of Epidemiology , Seattle, Washington, June 21-24, 2006.

Yavari P, Mehrazin M., Epidemiology of Primary Intracranial Tumors in Iran, 1978-2003. 41st Meeting of the Canadian Congress of Neurological Sciences, Montreal Canada June 13-17 2006.

Yavari P, Mehrabi Y, Mosavizadeh M., Sadrolhefazi. Reproductive Characteristics and Breast Cancer among Iranian women– A hospital based case control study. World Congress of Epidemiology, Bangkok, 21-25.Aug.2005.

Yavari P., Epidemiology of Melanoma in Iran. 6th World Congress on Melanoma, September 6-10, 2005. Vancouver, Canada.

Hislop G, **Yavari P**, Bajdik C., A comparison of Cancer Incidence and Mortality in Iran and Iranian Immigrants to British Columbia, Canada. New Horizons in Cancer Care. Symposium. April 13-15 2005.

Yavari P, Mosavizadeh MA, Sadrolhefazi B, Mehrabi Y. Reproductive risk factors and Breast cancer among Iranian women. 2nd Iranian Scientific Meeting, Zahedan, December 2005.

Yavari P., Mehrabi Y., Rafati N., Assessing the quality of life of seniors in a care facility: A cross-sectional study. 8th South east Asia Regional Scientific Meeting, Jhansi, India, 5-8 December 2004.

Yavari P., Abadi A., Mehrabi Y. Mortality and changing epidemiological trends in Iran during 1979-2001 with emphasis on cancer. 7 International Symposium on Predictive Oncology & Intervention Strategies. Nice February 7-10, 2004.

Rafati N, **Yavari P**, Mehrabi Y, Montazeri A. Quality of life among Kahrizac institutionalized elderly people: A descriptive study. 11 Annual Meeting of International Society for Quality of Life Research. Hong Kong October 2004.

Yavari P., Mosavizadeh M., Sadrolhefazi B., Mehrab Y. Breast Cancer and related risk factors among Iranian women. Presented orally at 3rd National Congress of Epidemiology , February 14-16 2005 Zahedan, Iran..

Yavari P., Mehrabi Y., Abadi A. A study of neoplasm among Iranian inpatients during 2000 – 2002. Presented orally in the 6th IEA Eastern Mediterranean Regional Scientific Meeting, December 2-4, 2003, Ahwaz, Iran.

Yavari P. , Cancer Mortality among Iranian immigrated to Canada and local Iranian.

Presented in the 6th IEA Eastern Mediterranean Regional Scientific Meeting, December 2-4, 2003.

Yavari P., Abadi A., Mehrabi Y. Mortality pattern in Iranian population during 1358 – 1380. Presented orally 1st National in Congress of Epidemiology and Health Services, December 24-26 2002 Boshehr, Iran..

Yavari P., Hosseini M. User's Guide to Epidemiology Resources on the Internet. Presented orally 1st National in Congress of Epidemiology and Health Services, December 24-26 2002 Boshehr, Iran..

Yavari p.,The pattern of Lung Cancer among Iranian population.

Presented in 10th World lung Cancer Congress, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. August 10-14, 2003.

Books:

Yavari P. “Evidence Based Health Care Workbook: Understanding Research”, translated in Farsi. 2004.

Yavari P. “Understandin Epidemiology text book”. translated in Farsi. 2004.

Yavari P. “Communicating results of epidemiological studies”, In press

Yavari P. “Expanded Program of Immunization in Iran” . Published by the Jihad Dansghahee, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran 1992.

Yavari P. Sadrizadeh B. “Control of Diarrheal diseases Program in Iran” . Published by the Jihad Dansghahee, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran 1992.

Yavari P. “Enviromental pollution ” . Translated in Farsi and Published by the Jihad Dansghahee, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, Iran 1992.

Co-author. Assessment of medical research papers in research methodology. Ministry of Health under Secretary for research, 2002.

Co-author “ Levels of prevention in public Health”. Ministry of Health, under secretary for research, 2003.

Ongoing Research:

Principle investigator “ Establishing of Bank and epidemiological analysis of cancer data in shohada hospital” funded by Shaheed Beheshti University and Tehran Cancer Institute of Research Center. Started May 2004.

Principle investigator “ Cancer Incidence in Iran and Iranian immigrants to British columbia” funded by Tehran University Digestive Disease Research Center. Started July 2004.

AWARDS & HONOURS:

The Awards of the 1st best student in Comprehensive Basic and Clinical Sciences Exmination, Shiraz University, Shiraz, Iran 1975.

Distingushid student university scholar award, British Council, Shiraz University, Shiraz, Iran 1975.

Distinguished Award for valuable services awards, Shaheed Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Tehran Iran 1993, 2002, 2004.