Rare Bone Diseases: Unraveling Challenges and Advancing Solutions

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Educational Background & Professional Experience

2022.9-Present	Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of Missouri – Kansas City School of Medicine
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2012.7-2022.6	Assistant Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of Nebraska College of Medicine
2010.7-2012.6	Fellow, Clinical Genetics and Genomics, Munroe–Meyer Institute, University of Nebraska College of Medicine
2009.7-2010.6	Chief Resident, Department of Pediatrics, University of Nebraska College of Medicine
2005.7-2009.6	Resident, Departments of Internal Medicine and Pediatrics, University of Nebraska Medical Center
2001.7-2005.5	Doctor of Medicine, University of Kansas School of Medicine
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Curriculum Vitae



Research Interests

My research interests include extraskeletal manifestations of osteogenesis Imperfecta, best practices in treatment of hypophosphatasia osteogenesis imperfect, and X-linked hypophosphatemia, molecular characterization of rare syndromes, and innovation in faculty affairs and development.

Publications

- 1. Rush ET, Del Angel G, Dong J, Bates T, Steiner RD, Cox A. Genetic characterization of a large cohort of individuals with a clinical suspicion of hypophosphatasia in the United States. Mol Genet Metab. 2025 Mar;144(3):109046.
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