

Brief CV

Dimitrios T. Papadimitriou was born in 1971 in Thessaloniki and grew up in Athens, where he graduated with honors from the Varvakeio Model School. He earned his Medical Degree, his specialization in Pediatrics, and his Doctorate in Pediatric Endocrinology from the University of Patras. He pursued advanced training in Pediatric Endocrinology for four years. He received a two-year postgraduate diploma (DIU) in Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetology from Paris V University, with clinical training at the University Pediatric Hospital St. Vincent de Paul in Paris. Additionally, he obtained an MSc in "Research in Female Reproduction" from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

He also completed a one-year (Master's) program in Medical Pedagogy at the Joseph-Fourier University of Grenoble, France, where he worked as a Lecturer – Head of University Clinic (Chef de Clinique des Universités) specializing in Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetology for two years in a salaried position at the Grenoble University Hospital.

Since December 2005, he has organized and directed the Pediatric-Adolescent Endocrinology and Diabetes Department at the Pediatric Center of Athens. He also served as a Special Scientific Collaborator, University, and Academic Fellow at the 3rd Pediatric Clinic of the University of Athens at the Attikon Hospital for 12 years (2006–2017). He was in charge of the Endocrinology Clinic of the Adolescent Health Unit of the 2nd Pediatric Clinic of the University of Athens for two academic years (2015–2017).

From May 2021 to August 2023, he served as an Academic Fellow at the Adolescents' Endocrinology Clinic of the 2nd Obstetrics-Gynecology Clinic of the University of Athens. He contributes to teaching in the MSc "Research in Female Reproduction," the MSc "Endocrine Neoplasms" of the Surgery Clinic, the MSc "Strategies of Developmental and Adolescent Health" of the University of Athens, and the MSc Postgraduate Program "Modern Prevention and Treatment of Pediatric Diseases" at the University of Thessaly. He also teaches undergraduate courses in Endocrinology and Neonatology at the Athens Medical School and at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Thessaly.

He has published over 110 scientific articles, including 52 full publications in international journals indexed in PubMed (24 of which were published in the last five years), with an h-index of 17 (5-year h-index of 12), h-10 index of 26 (5-year h-10 index of 17), and a total of 1018 citations (519 since 2020). Additionally, he has at least 60 published abstracts in supplements of international journals, 50 of which are available on Google Scholar and 10 indexed in PubMed Central.

On May 15, 2023, he was invited by the European Society of Endocrinology to deliver a lecture on the "Role of Vitamin D in the Prevention of T1 and T2 Diabetes" at the 25th European Congress of Endocrinology, held in Istanbul, Turkey, from May 13–16, 2023. In May 2023, he was elected Adjunct Professor of Neonatal, Pediatric, and Adolescent Endocrinology, and as the pinnacle of his academic career, in June 2024, he was appointed Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Head of Neonatal, Pediatric, Adolescent Endocrinology & Diabetes, at the Department of Pediatrics, of the Faculty of Medicine at the Health Sciences School of the University of Thessaly.