

Name: Ahmed Yousif AlSedkhan



Date of Birth: 16.09.1980

Work Experience:

1. Al-Hussein Teaching Hospital: 15.02.2007-13.10.2010 - Resident Doctor
2. Al-Nasirria Heart Center: 15.10.2010-01.07.2014 - Anesthesia Doctor
 - Worked as ICU doctor in the Alnasirria Heart Center.
3. Pulmonary Diseases Residency Program: 02.07.2015-17.07.2020
 - Completed board training program in pulmonary medicine in Ankara University after passing the STS and TUS exams
4. Sakarya Medar Hospital: 01.09.2020-16.03.2022 - Specialist Doctor in Pulmonary Medicine and ICU
 - About 20 patients a day as an outpatient
 - About 10 admitted patients to the ward
 - Supervised the medical ICU in the hospital together with the anesthesia doctors
 - Managed the sleep laboratory, Pulmonary function test, and the bronchoscope unit which includes the flexible Bronchoscope, Endobroncheal ultrasound (EBUS), Cryo biopsy, Transthoracic Lung biopsy by US guidance
5. AlNasirriya Teaching Hospital, Specialist Doctor in Pulmonary Medicine and ICU and lecturer in Thi-Qar university, 16.03.2022-present

● Qualifications:

- MBChB Basra University 2000-2006
- MRCP part one (Royal Colleges of Physicians of the United Kingdom 2015)
- Exam for equivalence of bachelor degree in Turkey 2015 (STS and TUS Exam)
- European Board in Respiratory Medicine (European Respiratory Society HERMES examination 2019), grade: first 10%
- Turkish board in pulmonary medicine and ICU 2021
- Iraqi Board Exam of Pulmonary Medicine 2022

Instruments I work on:

- Pulmonary Function Test including lung volumes, FeNo, DLCO, and CPT
- Flexible Bronchoscope including advance diagnostic and therapeutic procedures
- Lung biopsy guided by Chest CT or US
- Navigation Bronchoscope
- Endobroncheal Ultrasound (EBUS)
- Semi-rigid Pleuroscope
- Cryobiopsy
- Silicon Tracheal Stent

Languages:

1. Arabic
2. Turkish (Primary language for the last 10 years)
3. Advanced level in English

4. A2 German language

References:

1. Prof Dr. Akın Kaya can be contacted for reference (kayaakin@gmail.com)
2. Prof. Dr. Bill Novick can be contacted for reference (bill.novick@babyheart.org).
3. Prof. Mudher Al-Khairalla can be contacted for reference (LinkedIn)

Articles published in international peer-reviewed journals:

1- Erol S, Sen E, Gizem Kilic Y, **Ahmed YA**, Akkoca Yildiz O, Acican T, et al. Does the 2017 revision improve the ability of GOLD to predict risk of future moderate and severe exacerbation? Clin Respir J. 2018;12(8):2354-60.

Other publications

1.**Ahmed Azeez** "Spontan Pnomotoraks" Toraks Bülenti, ISSN [2146-3069](#)

2. **Azeez A**, Hasanzade H, Doğan Mulazimoğlu D, Daştan AO, Gürün Kaya A, Gülbay B, Karnak D. Frontometafizyol Displazi Olgusunda Stent ile Trakeomalazi Yönetimi. Türk Toraks Derneği 20. Yıllık Kongresi 2017. TEPS-093

3. Akın KAYA, Serhat EROL, Fatma CİFTÇİ, **Ahmed Azeez**, Aydın CİLEDAG, A Case of Pulmonary Renal Syndrome, Initially Diagnosed as Pneumonia, Respirology (2017) 22 (suppl, 3), 88-278

4. [CLINICAL AND POLYSOMNOGRAPHIC DIFFERENCES IN ELDERLY PATIENTS WITH OBSTRUCTIVE SLEEP APNEA (OSA)] to the World Sleep 2017, Prague Congress Centre form October 7-11, 2017.

Banu Gulbay, **Ahmed Azeez**, Fatma Ciftci

5.**Ahmed Azeez**, Kayacan O, KarnakD, Yağmur Gizem Kılıç, Geçim E., Cemil Yağcı, "Respiratory Failure due to Diaphragmatic Shoulder Pain" TÜSAD 40. Ulusal Kongresi, 2018

6.Aydın Çiledağ, **Ahmed Azeez**, Bilge Bilgin, Süleyman Gökalep Güneş, Bülent Mustafa Yenigün, Aslıhan Gürün Kaya, Serdar Sezer, Pervin Topçuoğlu, Akın Kaya "İmmünoglobulin G4 ilişkili Pulmoner Psödötümör Olgusu" Ulusal Akciğer Sağlığı Kongresi 2020. PS-199

Congress-Courses and Symposiums Participated

1. Training in cardiac anesthesia, Ruby Hall Hospital, Pune-India, 6th January- 4th February 2010
2. 3 rd Razavi International Cardiovascular Surgery Congress, Meshhad-Iran, 2010
3. "Emergency Medicine Training Course ATLS and ACLS, International Medical Corps, Baghdad-Iraq, 2012

4. Cardiovascular Surgery Course, 26-27 June, Sharjah University- UAE, 2013
5. Training in Cardiac anesthesia, Anadolu Sağlık Merkezi, İstanbul-Turkey 07.05.2013-07.06.2013,
6. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "Toraks Radyolojisi: Klinik Radyolojik Olgu Tartışmaları" Toplantısı, Ankara, 26 Kasım 2016
7. Türk Toraks Derneğinin 20. Yıllık kongreleri (2017)
8. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "ASYOD Eğitim Toplantıları: Olgular ile Solunum Acilleri Toplantısı" Ankara, 1 Mart 2017
9. TÜSAD "İleri Solunum Fonksiyon Testleri Kursu" Ankara, 23 Eylül 2017
10. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "İleri Mekanik Ventilasyon Uygulamaları" Ankara, 19 Kasım 2016
11. TÜSAD "Yoğun Bakımda Toraks Ultrasonografi ve Ekokardiyografi Kursu, Ankara, 11 Mart 2017
12. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "İnterstisyel Akciğer Hastalıkları Tanı ve Tedavide Son Gelişmeler Sempozyumu" İstanbul, 3 Aralık 2016
13. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "Akciğer Hastalıkları ve Yoğun Bakım Günleri; Tanı ve Tedavide Son Gelişmeler Sempozyumu" İstanbul, 9 Aralık 2017
14. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği (ASYOD) "Girişimsel Pulmonoloji Sempozyumu" Ankara 24 Şubat 2018
15. "Diffüz Parankimal Akciğer Hastalıklarına Yaklaşım Kursu" TÜSAD 40. Ulusal Kongresi, 2018
16. Anorist Statistical Solutions "IBM SPSS Statistics Uygulamalı Temel Biyoistatistik Eğitimi" Ankara, 2018
17. Türk Toraks Derneği, Güz Sempozyumu "Toraks Onkolojide Son Durum" Ankara, 2-3 Kasım 2019
18. Akciğer Sağlığı ve Yoğun Bakım Derneği "İleri Mekanik Ventilasyon Uygulamaları" Ankara, 9 Kasım 2019
19. Türk Tüberküloz ve Toraks Derneği "Göğüs Hastalıkları toplantıları" 7 Aralık 2019, Sapanca
20. Sleep medicine Certificate from TUTDER (Sleep Medical and Research Association)
21. Iraqi Cardiothoracic Society conference, Basra 2023 - speaker
22. FIRST PLEURAL CONFERENCE IN IRAQ, Hands- on Pleural USS Experience- speaker

Presentations in Thiagar Internist Association

1. Acute respiratory distress syndrome
2. Hypersensitivity pneumonia in two sections
3. Mechanical ventilation invasive and non invasive in COPD patient, in two section
4. Staging of Lung Cancer
5. Genetic Tests for Diagnosis of Lung Cancer
6. Asthma Management according to GINA Guideline
7. Pleural Infection
8. *Acute respiratory distress syndrome: Fluid management, pharmacotherapy, and supportive*

care in adults, Iraqi Cardiothoracic Society conference.

9. Updates in GINA 2023 Asthma guideline
10. Pulmonary Function Test Interpretation: Updated ERS/ATS Technical Standard
11. Nebulizing suspension, implications in severe asthma
12. Benralizumab, aim for zero
13. Progressive pulmonary fibrosis : Overview and management
14. NIMV in COPD patients. In Iraqi Cardiothoracic Society conference 2025.
15. ***Rethinking Severe Asthma Treatment: Moving Beyond Chronic OCS Use***

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