

CURRICULUM VITAE

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**INSTITUTION ATTENDED QUALIFICATIONS OBTAINED
DATE**

A) Community Primary School, Umuawulu, Anambra state.	First School Leaving Certificate	1979-1984
B) St. Michael Secondary, Nimo, Anambra State	Senior Secondary Certificate Examination(SSCE), General Certificate Of Education(GCE)	1984-1990
C) University of Nigeria College Of Medicine, Enugu Campus. Enugu State	Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery(MB, BS)	1991-1998

**ADDITIONAL/
QUALIFICATION**

POSTGRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL

D) University of Benin Teaching Hospital Benin city, Edo State.	Internship (Full Registration with Nigeria Medical Council)	1999 - 2000
E) University of Benin Teaching Hospital, Benin City, Edo State	Fellow West African College of Physicians (FAMILY MEDICINE)	2002-2007

WORK EXPERIENCE

PLACE OF WORK DATE	FUNCTIONS/TITLE	
A) University of Benin Teaching Hospital, Benin City	INTERN DUTIES: All clinical works in various departments of the hospital-Surgery, Medicine, Paediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynaecology under supervision of a Consultant	1999-2000
B) Central Hospital, Sapele, Delta State	MEDICAL OFFICER (CORPER) DUTIES: -Administration -General Outpatient consultation -Antenatal and Postnatal care -Visits to Hitherland clinics for routine immunization and consultation	2001-2002
C) University of Benin Teaching Hospital, Benin City	REGISTRAR DUTIES: -Postgraduate training in the Specialty of Family Medicine -All forms of clinical work	2002-2007

- Surgical, Obstetrics and Gynaecological surgeries
- Management of hospital admitted cases
- Teaching of undergraduate Medical Students

- D) University of Cape Town Teaching Hospital, Cape Town, Republic of South Africa **MEDICAL OFFICER** 2008-2009
- DUTIES:
- Management of hospital admitted cases
- E) Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital,Irrua,Edo State **CONSULTANT FAMILY PHYSICIAN** 2009 - Date
- DUTIES:
- Management of all patients that present in the department including those with Medical, Surgical, Paediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynaecological, cases
 - Training of Resident doctors
 - Training of Medical students
 - Administration
- F) Ambrose Alli University Ekpoma. **LECTURER 1** 2010 - 2015
- Duties:
- Training/Teaching of undergraduate Medical Students in the college of Medicine
 - Research
 - Administrative work

G) Ambrose Alli University **SENIOR LECTURER** 2015 - date
Ekpoma. Duties:

-Training/Teaching of undergraduate

Medical Students in the college of Medicine

-Research

-Administrative work

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 1) *Nigeria Medical Association (NMA)*
- 2) *Medical and Dental Consultants Association (MDCAN)*
- 3) *Fellow West African College of Physicians (FWACP)*
- 4) *Fellow Institute of Health Insurance and Managed Care of Nigeria (FIHIMN)*
- 5) *Society of Family Physicians of Nigeria (SOFPON)*

PUBLICATIONS

- 1) **Christopher C. Affusim**, Emeka B. Kesieme, and Vivien O Abah: The Pattern of Presentation and Prevalence of Tuberculosis in HIV Seropositive Patients Seen at Benin City, Nigeria. *ISRN Pulmonology, Volume 2012, Article ID 326572.*
- 2) T A T Salami, G M Adewuyi, P Echekwube, **C. Affusim**: Pattern of Cutaneous Pathology among a Cohort of HIV/AIDS Patients Accessing Care in a Rural/Suburban Adult ART Clinic in Nigeria. *British Journal of Medicine & Medical Research* 3(4): 1199-1207, 2013.
- 3) **Christopher Affusim**, Vivien Abah, Emeka B. Kesieme, Kester Anyanwu, Taofik A T Salami, and Reuben Eifediyi: The Effect of Low CD4+ Lymphocyte Count on the Radiographic Patterns of HIV Patients with Pulmonary Tuberculosis among Nigerians. *Tuberc Res Treat* 2013 30; 2013: 535769. Epub 2013 Jan 30.
- 4) Emeka B. Kesieme, Andrew E. Dongo, **Christopher Affusim**, Georgi Prisadov, Kelechi Okonta and Clement Imoloamen, Late Presentation of Giant Intrathoracic

Neurofibroma with Significant Mediastinal Shift: A Case Report and Review of the Literature. *Case Reports in Pulmonology*, Vol 2013, Article ID 619729.

- 5) **Affusim C.C**, Ochei O, Eromon P, Fuh N. F, Egbuta O. Readiness To Change Lifestyle Among Obese Patients Seen In A Rural Tertiary Hospital. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 3(1) June, 2017, pp 69-75.
- 6) Salami T.A.T, Obasikene G, **Affusim C**: Focal Epithelial Hyperplasia (Heck's disease) – Case Report in a Nigerian child and a short review of literature. *Nigerian Journal of Dermatology* (ISSN: 2384-7395) Vol. 5(1) September 2015, pp. 30-32.
- 7) **Christopher C. Affusim**, Erah Francis. The Influence of Family/Social Support on Adherence to Diabetic Therapy. *International Journal of Advances in Scientific Research and Engineering (IJASRE)* vol 4(5) May 2018, pp 71-80.
- 8) Emeka B. Kesieme, Browne C. Okonkwo, Peter O. Okokhere, Georgio Prisadov, Eghosa Aigbe, and **Christopher Affusim**. Postcoital Haemoptysis: A case Report and a Review of the Literature. *Case Reports in Medicine*, Vol 2013, Article ID 189326.
- 9) **Affusim C.C**, Ochei O, Eromon P, Neba F. Fuh, Egbuta O. Abnormal Sexual Function In Adult Women Seen At A Tertiary Hospital In A Rural Community Of Edo State, Nigeria. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 3(1) June, 2017, pp 7-13.
- 10) Fuh N. F. Odewale M A, Imomoh P A. **Affusim C C**, Eromon P E, Fuh U C, Erameh C. Informal caregiver burden of disabled stroke patients at Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital, Irrua. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 4(1) August, 2019, pp 1-5.
- 11) **Affusim C.C**, Eromon P, Erah F, Fuh N. F, Egbuta Ola. A Pattern of Blood Pressure and Family Function in Adult Hypertensive Patients Attending a Tertiary Hospital in a Rural Area. *International Journal of Advances in Scientific Research and Engineering (IJASRE)* vol 4(5) May 2018, pp 99-107.
- 12) Umelo F U, Eifediyi R A, Isabu P, Ikheloa J, **Affusim C C**: Women's Perception Towards Male Factor Infertility at Irrua, South South, Nigeria. *International Invention Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences* (ISSN: 2408-7246) Vol. 2(5) pp. xxx-xxx, May 2015.
- 13) **Affusim C.C**, Eromon P. Best age for male circumcision: A literature review. *International Journal of Advances in Scientific Research and Engineering (IJASRE)* vol 4(6) June 2018, pp 106 – 117.
- 14) Eifediyi R A, Isabu P, Akhimiona V, **Affusim C C**, Ikheloa J, Njoku A: Caesarean Section: Awareness, Perception and Acceptability of Caesarean Section Amongst

Subrural Nigerian Parturients. *International Journal of Gynaecology and Obstetrical Research*, 2015,3, 7-12.

- 15) **Affusim C.C**, Erah F, Eromon P, Fuh N. F. Birth Weight and Maternal Socio-Demographic Characteristics In A Rural Tertiary Hospital. *International Journal of Advances in Scientific Research and Engineering (IJASRE)* vol 4(5) May 2018, pp 59-67.
- 16) Eifediyi R.A, **Affusim C.C**, Ikheloa J, Eifediyi G. Vascular Health: Long Term Consequences of Intrauterine Malnutrition. *J. Appli. Basic Sciences: Vol 8(2)* June, 2015.
- 17) **Affusim C C**, Fuh N F, Oseni T, Eromon P E. A Review of The Effectiveness Of Prescription Pattern Monitoring Studies In Promoting Rational Use Of Drugs. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 4(1) August, 2019, pp 6-12.
- 18) Isabu P A, Eifediyi R A, Umelo C C, Ikheloa A J, and **Affusim C C**: Trends in Ectopic Pregnancy in a Nigerian Sub-Rural Teaching Hospital. *Standard Global Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences Vol 1(4): 082-090, July 2014 (ISSN: 2313-5190)*.
- 19) Eifediyi R A, Ekwedigwe K C, Okogbo F O, **Affusim C C**, Okome G B O, Momoh M, Nmorsi O P G, Okogbenin S A, Yovwin D G: Serum Cytokine Profiles in Pregnant Women Presenting With Preterm Pre-labour Rupture of Membrane at Irrua, South-South, Nigeria. *Standard Global Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences Vol 1(3): 051-065, June 2014 (ISSN: 2313-5190)*.
- 20) Eromon PE, Oseni TIA, Odewale MA, Fuh NF, **Affusim CC**, Uwadia DI, Ibharonhore AO, Dania PO. Njoku AI. Level of Utilization of Traditional And Orthodox Medicine By Rural Dwellers In Edo Central Senatorial District, Edo State, Nigeria. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 4(1) August, 2019, pp 13-16.
- 21) Ekwedigwe K C, Eifediyi R A, Isabu P A, Eigbefoh J, Okogbenin S A, **Affusim c**, Momoh M, and Yovwin D G: Accuracy of The Spot Urinary Microalbuminuria: Creatinine Ratio Compared to 24 – Hour Urine Protein in detecting Proteinuria in Pre-eclampsia. *Standard Global Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences Vol 1(3): 066-081, June 2014 (ISSN: 2313-5190)*.
- 22) Ajekweneh A, Eifediyi R A, Okome G B O, Momoh M, Ikheloa J, Okogbenin S, **Affusim C C**, Alike S, Olowo S, Ajekweneh V: Evaluating Pre-Incision Versus Post Umbilical Cord Clamping Antibiotic Prophylaxis in the Prevention of Post Caesarean Section Infections in a Nigerian Specialist Teaching Hospital. *International Journal of Gynaecology and Obstetrical Research*, 2015, 3, 26-38.

- 23) Eromon PE, Ochei O, Oseni TIA, Affusim CC, Enobakhare E, Onyia N. Knowledge, Attitude and Practices Regarding Travel Health Among International Travellers in Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital, Irrua, Edo State, Nigeria. *Annals of Rural and Sub-Urban Medicine*, Vol 4(1) August 2019, pp 1-6.

PRESENTATIONS AT WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

- 1) *The impact of infertility on family life—The Family Physicians view*. This was presented at the Family Doctors day in Benin city. The conference was organized by the Society of Family Physicians of Nigeria.
- 2) *Basic life support (BLS) and Advanced life support (ALS)*; Actively participated in a group presentation on the above in a seminar organized at University of Pretoria Academic Hospital, Republic of South Africa.
- 3) *An overview of the emergencies in Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital*. Paper was presented at the hospital quarterly seminar.
- 4) *Rheumatoid Arthritis: Management and social consequences*; Presented at a conference organized by the West African College of Physicians.
- 5) *Nephrotic Syndrome in adults: AN important kidney disease*; Delivered at a workshop organized by the West African College of Physicians.
- 6) *Health Insurance, Managed Care and Medical Records: Delivered at an orientation workshop organized by Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital*.
- 7) *“Towards Smoking Cessation”*: A keynote address presented at the 2016 Family Doctor’s day.

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- 1) Annual Revision Course organized by the West African College of Physicians in 2007 at University College Hospital Ibadan.
- 2) Annual Revision Course organized by the National Postgraduate Medical College in 2007 at PortHarcourt.
- 3) Training of the Trainers by the West African College of Physicians in 2013 at Abuja.
- 4) Training of the Trainers by both the West African College of Physicians and the National Postgraduate Medical College in 2014 at Abuja.
- 5) Annual General Meeting and Scientific Conference of the Society of Family Physicians of Nigeria at Uyo in 2012.

- 6) Annual General Meeting and Scientific Conference of the Society of Family Physicians of Nigeria at Keffi in 2013.
- 7) Training of the Trainers by both the West African College of Physicians and the National Postgraduate Medical College in 2018 at Abuja.
- 8) Training on Leadership Effectiveness and Interpersonal Relationship Skills organized by the Administrative Staff College of Nigeria (ASCON) in December 2018.
- 9) Training on Team Building and Leadership Skills organized by the Administrative Staff College of Nigeria (ASCON) in August 2017.

POSITIONS HELD

- 1) Vice president, Science club at St. Michaels Secondary School Nimo.
- 2) Active member Legion of Mary Society at St Mulumba Catholic Church, University of Nigeria, Enugu Campus.
- 3) Chief Resident at the department of Family Medicine, University of Benin Teaching Hospital.
- 4) Treasurer Medical and Dental Consultant Association, Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital.
- 5) Chairman Medical and Dental Consultant Association, Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital.
- 6) Head of Department of Family Medicine, Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma.
- 7) Deputy Chairman Medical Advisory Committee, Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital.
- 8) Coordinator National Health Insurance Scheme, Irrua Specialist Teaching Hospital.
- 9) Training centers Registrar of the Institute for Health Insurance and Managed Care of Nigeria.

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

- a) Reading and writing.
- b) Table tennis.
- c) Badminton.
- d) Praying and meditation.
- e) Travelling.

REFEREES

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