



## Dr Radha Rajagopalan

MBBS, AB (Pediatrics) 35+ Years Experience

Dr Radha Rajagopalan is a top Pediatrician in Chennai at Apollo Children Hospital Chennai . Book appointment online with Dr Radha Rajagopalan at Ask Apollo.

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## Overview

Dr. Radha Rajagopalan is a highly experienced Paediatrician based in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, with an impressive career spanning 35 years. Known for her compassionate approach and dedication to children's health, Dr. Rajagopalan has built a reputation for excellence in the field of pediatrics. She holds an MBBS, AB (Pediatrics), which equips her with the knowledge and skills necessary to provide the best care for her young patients. Dr. Rajagopalan communicates fluently in English, ensuring effective dialogue with both her patients and their families. As a female paediatrician, she is particularly sensitive to the unique needs of her young female patients. Her practice at Apollo signifies her commitment to delivering high-quality healthcare in a recognized institution.

Dr. Rajagopalan's expertise includes managing various pediatric conditions, growth and development assessments, immunizations, and preventive health care. Her approach is holistic, focusing not just on treating ailments but also on educating families about healthy lifestyle choices for their children. As a trusted and respected figure in the community, Dr. Rajagopalan continues to make a positive impact on the lives of countless families in Chennai.

# Experience

- She did her American Board of Pediatrics in the year 1972 & was working as an Honorary Assistant Surgeon at Institute of Child Health & Hospital for Children, Chennai for 3 years under Dr. Balagopal Raju.
- She was the Pediatrician in-charge of IIT Chennai from 78-83 and then from 1983 has been in Apollo Hospitals as chief of Pediatrics and Medical Superintendent.
- She joined Apollo Hospitals as a Medical Superintendent right from the beginning when the hospital started.
- Serving the institution from the time of Inception and was building up with all the services.
- While efforts have made to develop the institution as centres of excellence, the institution was also gearing up to conduct postgraduate courses in many departments within the Main Hospital and also in the Apollo Specialty Hospital where Cancer Therapy, Neurosurgery, Orthopedics were also developed. Presently,
- from 2004 she is the Director-Medical Education at Apollo Hospitals, Chennai and the President of Adolescent Chapter of T.N. IAP. Apollo Hospitals is recognized for 13 Broad specialties 10 super specialties & 5 Fellowship by National Board of Examinations, New Delhi.
- Apollo Hospitals is recognized for 3 post doctoral fellowships with The TN DR. MGR. Medical University.

# Membership

- Life Member of Indian Medical Association
- Indian Academy of Pediatrics
- City Paediatric Association
- Madras Management Association
- Divine Mother Society,
- Adolescent Pediatrics

# Awards

- Was professor of Cardiology in prestigious institute Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad
- Has done pioneer work in radial interventions
- Has done more than 15,000 Coronary interventions and more than 3,000 non Coronary interventions.

# Frequently Asked Questions

## 1. Where does Dr. Radha Rajagopalan practice?

Dr. Radha Rajagopalan practices pediatric care at Apollo Children Hospital, Chennai. This hospital offers comprehensive children's healthcare services.

## 2. Who is Dr. Radha Rajagopalan?

Dr Radha Rajagopalan is a renowned Paediatrician with over 35 years of experience. She practices in Chennai at Apollo Children Hospital Chennai. Dr Radha Rajagopalan holds a degree in AB (Pediatrics). She provides treatments including Pediatric Physical Therapy, Thyroid Disorder Treatment, Congenital Disorders Evaluation Treatment. She specializes in treating conditions like Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, Rubinstein Taybi Syndrome, Zellweger Syndrome.

## 3. Why do patients visit Dr. Radha Rajagopalan?

Patients seek Dr. Radha Rajagopalan's expertise for second opinions on complex pediatric cases, viral fever treatment, and childhood infections. For a comprehensive list of her specializations, please refer to her professional profile.

## 4. What is Dr. Radha Rajagopalan's specialization?

Dr Radha Rajagopalan specializes in Pediatrics. She has expertise in treating conditions such as Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, Rubinstein Taybi Syndrome, Zellweger Syndrome. Her key treatments include Pediatric Physical Therapy, Thyroid Disorder Treatment, Congenital Disorders Evaluation Treatment.

## 5. What are Dr. Radha Rajagopalan's medical qualifications?

Dr Radha Rajagopalan holds MBBS, AB (Pediatrics), reflecting her comprehensive education in the field of Pediatrics.

## 6. How many years of experience does Dr. Radha Rajagopalan have?

Dr. Radha Rajagopalan possesses 58 years of experience in the medical field. Her extensive career showcases her expertise and commitment to patient care.

## 7. Who is a General Physician?

A general physician (GP) is a medical doctor specializing in non-surgical adult healthcare. They treat various diseases not requiring surgery, encompassing cardiovascular, respiratory, neurological,

hematological, endocrine, and gastrointestinal systems. Some GPs may further specialize within these areas.

## **8. What are the education qualifications required to become a General Physician?**

General physicians, also known as primary care physicians, must complete a medical residency specializing in primary care following graduation from medical school. Prerequisites include a science-based bachelor's degree, a minimum GPA, successful completion of medical school, and fundamental medical training. A three-year residency commitment is required.

## **9. When should I consult a General Physician?**

Consult a general physician for a wide range of non-surgical health concerns. These include cardiovascular, respiratory, musculoskeletal, neurological, gastrointestinal, and endocrine system issues. A GP is typically the first point of contact for most health problems.

## **10. Do General Physicians Offer Home Consultations?**

General physicians provide comprehensive healthcare services, including physical examinations, immunizations, and treatment for various medical conditions. They often manage long-term patient care across different age groups. However, offering home consultations is at the physician's discretion; some may provide home visits for routine check-ups or general examinations.