

BIOGRAPHY – Professor Vinod Paul



Professor Vinod K. Paul is a full time Member in NITI Aayog (National Institute of Transforming India). Dr Paul has been a member of the faculty at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi for over three decades and head of the Department of Paediatrics for several years. Apart from being an eminent neonatologist, Dr Paul has contributed to India's national programmes including reproductive and child health; and nutrition. He is also a member of the Steering Committee of global Every Newborn Action Plan. He has chaired academic and selection committees of AIIMS, Raipur; chaired Technical Resources Group on Child Health, MoHFW, and co-chaired Himachal Pradesh State Commission on Health.

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