



Dr Ruud Nijman

Ruud Nijman is an honorary senior clinical lecturer at Imperial College London with a special interest in diagnostics and clinical decision making in paediatric emergency medicine and infectious diseases. He is also a consultant in Paediatric Emergency Medicine, currently working at the Evelina Children's hospital in London. He originally trained as a medical doctor at the Erasmus University in Rotterdam, The Netherlands (2007). He completed his PhD in Paediatrics at the Erasmus University in Rotterdam, The Netherlands, on the topic of diagnostic strategies for children with fever at risk of serious bacterial infection presenting to emergency care. He also completed an MSc in Clinical Epidemiology at the Netherlands Institute of Health Sciences (2011). His academic work until now has focused mainly on the recognition and management of children at risk for serious bacterial infections presenting to the emergency department. In addition, he has aims to improve the management of refugee children presenting to emergency departments across Europe. Ruud was one of the authors of two children's books to promote patient education of children presenting to the emergency department. In his spare time, he is a keen field hockey and cricket player.