Curriculum vitae

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Previously professional working experiences included, community hospitals directors, deputy director of Health Insurance Office of Ministry of Public Health, Senior expert of the National Health Security Office.

Other roles and contribution to the health and research system of Thailand included but not limited to the following:

Director of the Health Care Reform Project: This project was a technical corporation between Royal Thai Government and The European Commission, which cover. 4 components include primary care reform, hospital management reform, health care financial reform both social health insurance schemes and providers, and advocacy and social marketing initiative.

Working group for development of General Hospital Local Area Network

Working group for development of accrual basic accounting and financial information

Committee for development of financial reports and financial indicators, Ministry of Public Health

Member of many subcommittee and working group for Social Security Office, Civil Servant Medical Benefits Scheme and the National Health Security Office .

Around 20 publications in Thai and English mainly in health care financing, health care management, health system and policy research, health information system.