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He has published over 60 scientific manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals, and 36 book chapters. He is international editor for the Journal of Perinatology, and is on the editorial board of several journals. He received teaching and service awards regionally, nationally and internationally, including the prestigious 'Ellis Island Award'. He is a passionate advocate of simple cost-effective measures to improve health care, including Diabetes and Anemia in Pregnancy. He has trained thousands of health care providers, community workers in neonatal resuscitation, screening diseases, preventive health and nutrition in concert with several organizations.

In Louisiana, he works with the medical community, elected officials, church leaders and various organizations including March of Dimes to enhance maternal and child health. He was on the Governor's commission to "Improve pregnancy outcomes", "Prevent Teen Pregnancy", and address "Alcohol and Drug Abuse", for which he received awards from the Governor. His peers nominated him as "Best doctors" of Louisiana. He also works with the local schools and colleges to teach about Indian culture. He initiated "India Studies" program at LSU with his peers.