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39, is a Senior Consultant in the Children's Intensive Care Unit at KK Women's and Children's Hospital. He is also the Medical Director for Faculty Development and an Assistant Professor at the Duke-NUS Graduate Medical School.

After primary school education in KL, Malaysia, he went to the UK for secondary school.

He graduated from the Faculty of Medicine at The Queen's University, Belfast, Northern Ireland, UK, and went on to have post graduate training in Belfast, London and Sydney before he moved to and settled in Singapore in 2001.

In 2001 Dr Puthucheary developed the Children's Hospital Emergency Transport Service, and trained many clinical staff to stabilise and transport the sickest babies and children in Singapore, and from around the region. He continues to serve as a member of the team.

At the Duke-NUS Graduate Medical School his role is to develop, implement and teach about Team Based Learning, the radical and highly effective educational methodology used at the school. He is also involved in directly teaching first year medical students the basic medical sciences.

He has written several research papers and book chapters, locally and internationally, edited a paediatric textbook, and received awards from both medical schools in Singapore.

Since January 2009 he has been helping at the Meet-the-People Sessions as well as several other grassroots activities in Radin Mas, Bedok, and now Pasir-Ris Punggol GRC.

Dr Puthucheary tries to cycle to work as often as his schedule and the weather allows him to.

He is married, and has three sons.