

Curriculum Vitae: Dr Mark L Levy FRCGP

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Self Employed	Sessional GP (not seeing patients at present); Lecturer (asthma), consultancy work
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Asthma Spotlight Podcast:	ACAST Spotify , Apple and other sites
GINA Podcast series: ‘Asthma with Experts	https://ginasthma.org/gina-podcasts/
Date of Birth:	1948 (Johannesburg, South Africa)
Marital Status	Married, no children
Nationality	British.
GMC number	2355001
Current H – Index:	47 (as at 14.2.26)

Degrees and Diplomas:

- MBChB, University of Pretoria, South Africa 1974
- E.C.F.M.G. Diploma (to practice medicine in the USA), 1977
- Part 1 MRCP, London September 1979
- Family Planning Certificate, London 1979
- MRCGP, London 1982
- Open University Course in Statistics (M245 Probability), 1/2 credit 1991.
- Open University Course in Advanced Statistics (M345), 1/2 credit 1992

- FRCGP, London 1992
- Pre-Hospital Emergency Care (PHEC) certificate of competence (written and practical examination), University of Edinburgh, Dept of Pre-Hospital Emergency Care, 1997.
- Paediatric Advanced Life Support Provider (PALS), British Resuscitation Council, 1998
- August 2008: Certificate of Achievement in Postgraduate Cardiovascular Medicine (Thames Valley University, 30 General Credits at Level 7).

Current and some past Posts and groups

- Locum General Practitioner (since 2014)- not seen patients since 12.3.2020 (due to Covid – my wife is immunosuppressed and I had to protect her from infection)
- GP Appraiser for GPs, Harrow Primary Care Trust (Now NHS England) (July 2003- current).
- GP Appraiser for GPs, Brent Teaching Primary Care Trust (Now NHS England (Apr 2006- current)
- GP Appraiser NHS England – current
- Editor Emeritus – npj Primary Care Respiratory Medicine journal, peer review journal of the Primary Care Respiratory Society and International Primary Respiratory Group.
<http://www.nature.com/npjpcrm/>
- International Editorial Board Member: Italian Journal of Primary Care – www.edicare.it
- Member Global Initiative for Asthma (GINA) Executive Board of Directors (www.ginasthma.org) – since Jan 2009 – (Current Chairman of the Dissemination Committee)- voluntary work – we produce annually updated evidence based guidance for use internationally.
- Clinical Lead ‘MAPLE’ a service and mentoring programme provided by National Services for Health Improvement (NSHI, a company accredited by the CCQ) for implementing recommendations from the NICE through providing expert nurse asthma reviews and mentoring in general practices in England. (currently in 20 practices). until 2020)
- Member of the steering group for improvement of asthma services in London, Healthy London Partnership. <https://www.healthylondon.org/?s=asthma> ; we have produced standards for childhood asthma care which are updated regularly:
<https://www.healthylondon.org/resource/london-asthma-standards-children-young-people/> - the group is currently run by NHS England.
- Lead Data and Digital Workstream on behalf of NHS England Children and Young Peoples (<25 yrs) Transformation Programme: We published a CYP asthma Bundle with implementation guides in September 2021: <https://www.england.nhs.uk/publication/national-bundle-of-care-for-children-and-young-people-with-asthma/> (Until September 2023 when the expert working group was disbanded by NHSE)
- Member: One Year On update to “Improving Asthma Outcomes in the UK” report (appg-asthma-report-2020.pdf (ed.ac.uk))

- Member National Child Mortality Database (NCMD) report on asthma and anaphylaxis deaths in children and young people (CYP) England, published December 2024.
- Clinical adviser UK All Party Parliamentary Respiratory Group (asthma, COPD and Allergy)

Awards

Award for service to respiratory medicine 2012. Awarded by the ARTP - <http://www.artpweb2.f9.co.uk/> which is the Association for Respiratory Technology and Physiology. The ARTP is the sole professional organisation for practitioners working in clinical respiratory physiology and technology within the United Kingdom.

Clinical Posts Held

MBCHB Pretoria South Africa , November 1974.

- 1975 House officer, Medicine and Obstetrics and Gynaecology HF Verwoerd Hospital, Pretoria
- 1976 Senior House Officer Medicine, Baragwanath Hospital, and then Respiratory Intensive Care, JG Strijdom Hospital, Johannesburg
- 1977 Various locum appointments in London, SHO and registrar grade, Internal Medicine, Respiratory Medicine, Renal Medicine.
- 1978 GP Trainee Chalkhill Health Centre, Wembley, London.
- 1979 GP Vocational Training System (8 months), Geriatrics and Psychiatry, Northwick Park Hospital, London.
- 1979-2006 From 1.11.1979 to 31/3/2006 General Practice Principal in Harrow;
- 2006-2013 Salaried GP Harrow
- 2013 - March 2020** Locum/sessional GP (not actively seeing patients, though provide advice from time to time for colleagues in primary care (on asthma) and sometimes for ex patients (where I provided reports for their own doctors)
- 1996-1998 Honorary appointment (1996-98) in Depts. of Anaesthetics and Accident & Emergency, Northwick Park Hospital, UK, in order to gain experience in voluntary emergency care for my work in BASICS for London Ambulance Service London.
- 1996 – 2000 Accredited member of BASICS (British Association for Immediate Care). Was actively working in a voluntary capacity, providing front line pre-hospital emergency care as a member of London BASICS (British Association of Immediate care Schemes), for the London Ambulance Service. Stopped Active participation November 2000.

~ 2017 ~2020 Adviser & Member of the Clinical Steering Group, Whole Systems Integrated Care Pathway, Clinical Lead and sole developer NW London Asthma Radar and Co-Lead and developer with Dr Sarah Elkin on the COPD Radar (part of the NW London Whole Systems Integrated Care Dashboard) (Currently 2022- no official status as WSIC adviser):

<http://integration.healthiorthwestlondon.nhs.uk/Images/upload/Asthma%20Rad ar%20-%20User%20Guide%20-%20v1.0.pdf>

2018 (June) – 12.3.2020 November 2020: Specialist sessional GP (2-3 sessions a month), responsible for teaching & Mentoring practice staff on asthma and COPD, and consulting patients with complex asthma and COPD within the Mandeville general practice in Aylesbury. I continued mentoring a clinical pharmacist working in the practice until 2020 when the practice owner decided he did not want/need to run an asthma service any longer. I stopped seeing patients face to face after 12.3.2020 (due to Covid – my wife is immunosuppressed and I had to protect her from infection)

2020 - I remain active in teaching, advising and writing about asthma, and spent a few years (2020 - 2024) scrutinising GP records of patients (mainly Children) with asthma, and advising the doctors and practice nurse in a local practice on providing asthma care for those I identified as poorly controlled. Currently in 2026 – Expert witness for HM Coroner in the death of a child who had asthma, and still active in publishing and teaching and consulting when requested.

Review Work

In the last year I have reviewed and edited papers for, Archives of Diseases in Childhood, BJGP, Journal of Asthma, European Respiratory Journal, Thorax and npjPCRM.

I also periodically review work for international organisations and Government Grant organisations (for example New Zealand, in 2023) seeking opinions on the scientific quality of grant applications, and in 2024 reviewing a PhD thesis at the request of Prof Richard Beasley).

Medicolegal:

- **Expert witness in coroners inquests on Asthma Deaths and regulatory role (In addition to Clinical Lead National Review of Asthma Deaths (NRAD 2011-2014)**

1. 2015 – October 12.10.2015-16.10.2015 : Expert witness for HM Senior Coroner Terrence Carney, Gateshead, in the matter of Tamara Mills – deceased (1.5.2000 – 11.4.2014) – Coroner issued a Regulation 28 Statement as this was deemed a preventable death.): <https://www.judiciary.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/01/Mills-2015-0416.pdf>

2. 2017 - March 15.3.2017 – 17.3.2017 : Expert witness for HM Coroner Shirley Radcliffe, Westminster, in the matter of Michael Uriely – deceased (14.3.2006 – 25.8.2015) - Coroner issued a Regulation 28 Statement as this was deemed a preventable death.
<https://www.judiciary.uk/publications/michael-uriely/>
 3. 2019: Expert witness for HM Coroner Dr Shirley Radcliffe in the matter of Sophie Holman deceased.) - Coroner issued a Regulation 28 Statement as this was deemed a preventable death. https://www.judiciary.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/Sophie-Holman-2019-0035_Redacted.pdf ; see also <https://www.bma.org.uk/news/2019/april/a-neglected-killer>
 4. 2019: Expert witness for HM Coroner Dr Shirley Radcliffe in the matter of Isobel Aydin – deceased. (Asthma death)
 5. 2020: Expert witness for HM Senior Coroner Ms Nadia Persaud in the matter of Kalila Griffiths (Deceased). https://www.judiciary.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Kalila-Griffiths-2020-0299_Redacted.pdf
 6. I wrote an unsolicited report on Billie Wicks (Deceased) following news of her death and reading HM Coroners report and listening to the audio recording of the inquest provided by the Coroner (<https://www.judiciary.uk/prevention-of-future-death-reports/billie-wicks-prevention-of-future-deaths-report/>) – I sent my report to the coroner and interested parties including the Camden CDOP and the RCPCH. I was invited to write an editorial for the Archives of Diseases in Childhood – under review November 2025
 7. Currently (Feb 2026) appointed expert witness for a coroners inquest on the death of a child
- **Professional Assessor for General Practice for National Clinical Assessment Service(NCAS)**

Professional Assessor for General Practice for NCAS (National Clinical Assessment Service: <http://www.ncas.npsa.nhs.uk/>) in the UK. March 2010 – January 2016
 - **Professional Society activity**
 - 1987-1988 – Part of group of 6 GP founder members who started the General Practice Airways Group (GPIAG) – now known as the Primary Care Respiratory Society-UK (<https://www.pcrs-uk.org>). I was an active member of the group until 2013
 - Convenor of the Educational Committee (1991 - 1995) of the North and West London Faculty of the Royal College of General Practitioners. Active role in design and implementation of courses for General Practitioners and Practice Nurses.
 - Past member of the British Thoracic Society, The American Thoracic Society and the European Respiratory Society (Cant afford membership any more)
 - ~2000 Together with Prof Onno van Schaick we initiated the introduction of a Primary Care Group at the ERS, and we were the first chairs (sequentially) for a term of three years each.

Past Academic Posts Held

- GPIAG Senior Lecturer (Clinical) – Respiratory Medicine, Department of General practice, University of Aberdeen. A research post, one session a week, from 1.11.2000 to 31.10.2004.
- Part time Senior Clinical Research Fellow, Primary Care Research & Development Division of Community Health Sciences: GP Section University of Edinburgh, from 1 October 2004 – April 2014.
- Research Clinical Assistant (1986-1990), Chest Clinic, Edgware General Hospital. Research workshop (one session per week, funded by Allen and Hanbury's to ascertain the value of asthma education for patients.)
- Appointed (1990) to Brent and Harrow Medical Audit Advisory Group (MAAG) (Royal College of General Practitioners Representative for Brent). Re-appointed September 1993 and 1996.
- Appointed to the Research Support Team (1997/8), West London research Network (WELREN), which was subsequently awarded a 3 year research grant to facilitate research and education in this field amongst primary care team workers.
- Clinical Assistant Edgware General Hospital Respiratory Unit: 1981-1991 (Drs Harris and Bradley).
- Clinical Research Assistant (1992-1995) in Chest Medicine at Barnet General Hospital.
- Mentor (1996 –1997) to the Higher Vocational training scheme (HVTs) for established GP's in Ealing Hammersmith and Hounslow.
- Honorary Research Fellow (1995 – 2002) in the Unit of General Practice of Thoracic Medicine at the National Heart and Lung Institute, London, UK.
- Editor, General Practice Airways Group (GPIAG -1996 – 2010). I edited all publications of the group including the peer review journal *Primary Care Respiratory Journal*, now the *Primary Care Respiratory Medicine Journal* published by Nature <https://www.nature.com/npjpcrm/> - Editor emeritus – current
- GP Trainer Northwick Park Vocational Trainers Scheme 1982 – 1997
- Student Teacher, mainly from Imperial College Medical School, 1985 – 2000.
- Chairman, Diagnosis section, International Primary Care Respiratory Guidelines (IPAG). Work commissioned by the World Health Organisation, chaired by Prof Onno van Schayck. Full document published: Levy ML, Fletcher M, Price DB, Hausen T, Halbert RJ, Yawn BP. International Primary Care Respiratory Group (IPCRG) Guidelines: Diagnosis of respiratory diseases in primary care. *Prim Care Resp J* 2006;**15**(1):20-34. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.pcrj.2005.10.004>
- Member: European Respiratory Society Council. From 2004-2006.
- Secretary and founder member Primary Care and General Practice Scientific Group (1.7) of the European Respiratory Society (2000 - 2004)
- Elected Chairman Primary Care and General Practice Scientific Group (1.7) of the European Respiratory Society (2004 – 6)
- Member of the MET Office Steering Advisory Group – involved with health forecasting - prediction of conditions adverse for COPD exacerbations and implementation of care programmes for patients with this condition.(<http://www.metoffice.com/health/features/copd.html>)
- Member of the Data Safety Monitoring Board (DSMB) for the FORWARD Study n° CCD-0906-PR-0016 for Cheisi Pharmaceuticals. –2014 - to July 2016.

- Member of TRIGGER Study (CCD-05993AB2-02): Data Safety Monitoring Board (“DSMB”) (July 2016 – November 2018).
- Member of TRIMARAN Study (CCD-05993AB1-03): Data Safety Monitoring Board (July 2016 – November 2018).
- Member of the SCOPUS Database Advisory Board for Elsevier Publications 2005-2012
- Associate Director, Clinical Standards Department – Royal College of Physicians Clinical Effectiveness and Evaluation Unit (CEEU) and Clinical Lead, National Review of Asthma Deaths (NRAD)- Effective for 3 years from 1st May 2011- May 2014 www.rcplondon.ac.uk/nrad
- Feb 2012- May 2013: Member of Quality Standards Asthma 25 (including children and young people) Topic Expert Group (TEG). NICE.
- Family Health Service Authority IT Adviser (one session weekly post held for 1 year).
- Board Member and IT Lead, Brent North Primary Care Group (From 1999 to 2002).
- Medical adviser of the Harrow Branch of charity Asthma UK (1986 – 2006)
- 1988- 1998: Medical Adviser to Greta Barnes, National Respiratory Training Centre (now known as Education for Health), Warwick
- Chairman of the Clinical and Scientific Advisory Panel of the Anaphylaxis Campaign (info@anaphylaxis.org.uk). January 2012 – Dec 2013
- Appointed NICE Respiratory Expert Advisor for QOF - asthma and COPD: March 2010 – 2014
- Professional Assessor for General Practice for NCAS (National Clinical Assessment Service: <http://www.ncas.npsa.nhs.uk/>) in the UK. March 2010 – January 2016
- Participant developing SIGN/BTS Guidelines for treatment of Acute Asthma, 1992 -2017.
- LMC Member representing Harrow GPs (2004 - 2018)
- Editorial Board Member of the Journal of Asthma (<http://informahealthcare.com/journal/jas>) : March 2014 –2019
- Member Allergy Academy Management Board (www.allergyacademy.org) ~ 2016 (not sure)
- Until December 2023: Member of the ADMIT Group www.inhlers4u.org (Aerosol Device Management Team (together with 14 European Respiratory Physicians including Professors Peter Barnes and Chris Corrigan – this group was started by Dr Graham Crompton, and currently chaired by Professor Soren Pedersen) The Groups publications are listed on the website and below within my publications.

Publications in Peer Reviewed Journals

1975

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Geneeskunde; 1975:17; 98-101.

1978

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S. Afr Med J; 1978: April: p556.

1984

- Levy ML, Bell LC. General practice audit of asthma in

childhood. *Br Med J*: 1984:289; 1115-6.

1985

- Levy ML, Bell LC. Night Cough - is it asthma ? *Maternal and Child Health*. 1985;10(12):376-82.
- Levy ML, Parmar M, Coetzee D, Duffy SW. Respiratory consultation in asthmatic compared with non-asthmatic children in general practice. *Br Med J*: 1985; 291; 29-30.

1986

- Levy ML . Editorial. Underdiagnosis of asthma - are we to blame. *J Roy Coll GP's* 1986; 36:52-3.

1988

- Levy ML. Preventable deaths from asthma. The first of two articles published in *Medical Monitor*; 6.6.88:35-6.
- Levy ML. Preventable deaths from asthma. Second of two articles published in *Medical Monitor*; 20.6.88:31-2.

1990

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- Pietroni R and Levy M. A course on Diabetes and Asthma. *Postgraduate Education in General Practice* 1992; 3: 41-46.
- Silverman M, McCarthy P and Levy M. Uncontrolled asthma. *Practitioner* 1992; 236: 1111-1115.
- Levy M. The General Practitioners in Asthma Group. *Primary Health Care Management* 1993; 3 (1): 10.

1993

- Neville R,G., Clark R,C., Hoskins G, Smith B for General Practitioners in Asthma Group. National asthma attack audit 1991-2. *BMJ* 1993; 306:559-562. Steering Group: D. Bellamy, S Hilton, KP Jones, M Levy, P McCarthy and T Usherwood.
- Statement by the British Thoracic Society, The British Paediatric Association, the Research Unit of the Royal College of Physicians of London, the Kings Fund Centre, the National Asthma Campaign, the Royal College of General Practitioners, the General Practitioners in Asthma Group, the British Association of Accident and Emergency Medicine and the British Paediatric Respiratory Group following a meeting at the Royal College of Physicians, London on the 4th and 5th June 1992. Guidelines for the Management of Asthma. *Thorax* 1993 48 No 2, Supplement:S1-S24.
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1994

- Mark Levy. Drugs for severe asthma. *Update* 1994; 115 - 116.

1995

- Mark Levy. Leukotriene receptor antagonists and their potential in the treatment of asthma. *The Practitioner* 1995: 239:450-453.

1996

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- Levy ML. Asthmatic patients with psychosis need special care. *BMJ* 1996;312:82-83.
- Miller M, Levy M. The role of peak flow meters in asthma care. *Respiratory Disease in Practice* 1997;14:15-18.
- Golish J. Jain P. Levy ML. Van Schayck. Osman. Spector. Questions and answers. *Drugs. Vol 52(SUPPL. 6) (pp 47-55), 1996.*
- Hayward SA, Jordan M, Golden G, Levy M. A randomised controlled evaluation of asthma self-management in general practice. *Asthma in General Practice* 1996;4 (2): 11 - 13.
- Champ R, Strube G and Levy M. A non-compliant smoker with brittle asthma. *The Practitioner* 1996; 240: 413 - 418.

1997

- Statement by the British Thoracic Society, The British Paediatric Association, the Research Unit of the Royal College of Physicians of London, the Kings Fund Centre, the National Asthma Campaign, the Royal College of General Practitioners, the General Practitioners in Asthma Group, the British Association of Accident and Emergency Medicine and the British Paediatric Respiratory Group following a meeting at the Royal College of Physicians, London July 1995. Revised Guidelines for the Management of Asthma. *Thorax* 1997; 52 (Suppl 1);S1 - S21.
- Levy, Mark L. BTS Guidelines revised. Editorial, *Update* 1997; 54 (2): 47.
- Levy ML. Organised care in general practice: structure and evaluation. *Respiratory Medicine* 1997; 578 - 580.

1999

- Ryan D, Price D, Levy M. Editorial: New Professorship for GPIAG. *Asthma in General Practice*, 1999;7 (1): 2.
- Thoonen BPA, van Schayck CP, van Weel C, Levy ML, Spelman R, Price D, Ryan D, Bellamy D, van Grunsven P, Cloosterman S, van den Boom G, Gorgels W and Schonberger H. Present and future management of asthma and COPD: proceedings from WONCA 1998. *Family Practice* 1999; 16 (3); 312- 315.
- van Schayck CP, Levy ML. General practice and primary care group. *Asthma in General Practice* 1999; 7:
- Levy, Mark. Seretide: fluticasone and salmeterol in one inhaler. *Prescriber* 2000; 11 (7): 32 - 40.
- Sheikh A, Levy M. Costs are a barrier to GPs performing skin prick testing. *Br J Gen Pract* 1999;49:67.
- Sheikh A, Levy ML. Innovative methods in promoting primary care research. *Br J Gen Pract* 1999; :752

2000

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2001

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2002

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- Dennis SM, Price JF, Vickers MR, Frost CD, Levy ML and Barnes P. The management of newly identified asthma in primary care in England. *Prim Care Resp J* 2002; 11(4): 120-122. http://www.thepcrj.org/journ/vol11_4/120-122dennis.pdf

2003

- Mark Levy. Electronic patient records in asthma consultations: coding and datasets. *The Airways Journal* 2003; 1 : 85-7.

2004

- M.L.Levy¹, S.Godfrey², C.S.Irving³, A.Sheikh⁴, W.Hanekom⁵, Ambulatory Care Nurses⁵, A.Bush⁶, P.Lachman⁵ Wheeze Detection in Infants and Pre-school children: recordings versus assessment of physician and parent. ¹Department of Primary Care and General Practice, University of Aberdeen, Scotland, ²Hadassah University Hospital, Jerusalem, Israel, ³Karmel Medical Acoustic Technologies Ltd., Yokneam Ilit, Israel, ⁴Imperial College School of medicine, London, ⁵Northwick park Hospital, London, ⁶Royal Brompton Hospital, London. [Ambulatory Care Nurses Northwick Park: Jo Martin, ,Jayne Gwyther, Marie Rose, Donna Sweeney, Anne Doherty, Marguerite Wheeler and Rose Mcginness.] *Journal of Asthma*. 2004; 41 (8): 845-853. [doi:10.1081/JAS-200038451](https://doi.org/10.1081/JAS-200038451) PMID:15641634
- 2003/4: RCGP Representative: Review panel and guidelines development for Occupational Asthma Publication - Newman Taylor AJ, Nicholson PJ. (Editors). Guidelines for the prevention, identification & management of occupational asthma: Evidence review & recommendations. British Occupational Health Research Foundation. London. Published September 2004. www.bohrf.org.uk

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b) Mark Levy. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease: treatment

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