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About Me: I have been with Gardner since June 1985. During my early years, I served as the Medical Director. I enjoy working at Gardner Health Center especially with the staff in our clinic. Aside from my enjoyment is seeing and treating my patients. My other interest is music. I play the guitar and piano. I have composed several musical pieces as well as written lyrics for the songs. I am a member of an all male singing group called "Glad it's Knights" and very much enjoy singing in special events. Basketball is also my favorite sport although I no longer play it I love watching the NBA playoffs.

I came to the United States after graduating from my medical school (UERMMMC) in the Philippines. I completed my pediatric residency training at Jersey Shore Medical Center in New Jersey. I am married to my beautiful wife, Del who is a registered nurse and we have two children, Edward and Julie.

I have been a pediatrician with this organization for 24 years. It gives me a lot of satisfaction when I see my former patients who are now proud parents themselves bringing their newborns babies for examination. This is truly a rewarding experience for any

pediatrician. I see them as newborns, perform their school physical for kindergarten up to their last physical exam when they turn 18 years old and graduate from high school.

I continue what I am happily doing at the present time. I enjoy my work and try to stay fit and healthy.
