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Clinical Interests	Lavjay Butani has special interests in the treatment of children with high blood pressure, prenatally diagnosed kidney abnormalities, or urologic diseases. He also treats children who have kidney failure and require dialysis and/or transplant. His research has focused on newer immunosuppressive medications for children with kidney transplants.
Title	Chief, Pediatric Nephrology Professor
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Education	M.D., All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, 1992 Masters in Academic Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, 2009-13
Internships	Mayo Graduate School of Medicine, Rochester, Minnesota, 1992-93
Residency	Mayo Graduate School of Medicine, Rochester, Minnesota, 1993-94 Mayo Graduate School of Medicine, Rochester, Minnesota, 1994-95
Fellowships	St. Christopher's Hospital for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1995-99
Board Certifications	American Board of Pediatrics, 1995 American Board of Pediatrics, Pediatric Nephrology, 2000
Professional Memberships	American Academy of Pediatrics American Society of Nephrology American Society of Transplantation Mayo Alumni Association



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Sacramento Pediatric Society

Honors and Awards

Listed among Best Doctors in America, 2012
Sacramento Magazine "Best Doctors in Sacramento", 2012
Inducted into Gold Humanism Society, 2012
Kaiser Foundation Hospitals Award for "Excellence in Teaching in Clinical Sciences", 2012
Tupper Award for Excellence in Teaching, 2009
Award for best Graduating Pediatric Resident, 1994
Honors for excellence in Surgery, 1992
Honors for excellence in Community Medicine, 1992
Honors for excellence in OB/GYN, 1992
Gold medal for excelling in Psychiatry, 1992
Gold medal for Best Medical Graduate, 1992

Select Recent Publications

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