

**Dr. Margaret Colbourne, M.D., F.R.C.P.(C)**  
**Clinical Associate Professor**

Dr. Colbourne obtained her undergraduate degree in Kinesiology at Simon Fraser University prior to entering the medical faculty at the University of British Columbia in 1983. She obtained her medical degree from UBC in 1987; thereafter completing a rotating internship at St. Joseph's Health Center in Toronto. She completed her Pediatric Residency as well as a Fellowship in Pediatric Emergency Medicine at both UBC and McGill University. During her training years in the emergency department Dr. Colbourne developed an interest in the area of Child Maltreatment.

Dr. Colbourne joined the medical staff at B.C. Children's Hospital in 1994. Since that time she has worked as both a Pediatric Emergency Physician as well as a member of the Child Protection Team at BCCH.

Dr. Colbourne has always been passionate about educational development in the health care field. She was instrumental in developing both the Pediatric Emergency Medicine Fellowship Program at BCCH as well as the residency training program in Child Maltreatment. She frequently lectures in areas of both child maltreatment and paediatric emergencies. She is a Paediatric Advance Life Support Instructor.

Dr. Colbourne is a member of the Examination Board in Paediatric Emergency Medicine and was recently granted Founder designation by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.