



## Summary Curriculum vitae

Anat Ekka Zohar, BSN, MPH, PhD

Anat Ekka Zohar studied nursing and received her BsN in 1999 (Dean's Award). She earned a master's degree in Public Health (MPH) from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem in 2003 (Dean's Award). In 2011, she completed her PhD at the School of Public Health at the Hebrew University. For both her Master's and PhD degrees, Dr. Ekka Zohar conducted epidemiological studies which focused on quality of healthcare. While still in training, she joined the Department Of Health Services Research as an epidemiologist (2002). Since 2010 she has been leading national researches of evaluating outcomes and process indicators of quality of care.

### **National Appointments and Assignments:**

2014- Appointed as **Deputy General Director of Quality and service administration**, the Ministry of Health. Leading the Israeli program of health care quality indicators. Leading national patient experience surveys in hospitals and other medical services. Leading and implementing patient safety national issues.

2012- Initiated lead and is conducting the Israeli program of health care quality indicators.

2013- Appointed by the Director General of the Ministry of Health as leader of one of seven declared main missions of the ministry of health; **Quality of care, patient safety and patient experience**.

2011- Appointed by the Director General of the Ministry of Health as the **Head of the Department of Health Services Research**. Since her appointment, she has continued her in-depth outcome studies. In parallel, she is developing the **Israeli Program of Hospital Quality Indicators**. This national program involved legislation to establish transparency, and requires the hospitals to report data.

2010- Appointed as **Deputy of Quality Assurance Division**, the Ministry of Health, heading national quality surveys in hospitals and other medical services, and dealing with patient safety and patient experience.