



CV – Heikki Pälve, MD, Ph.D

CEO, Finnish Medical Association 2005 ->

Born 1954

Education:

Specialist in Anaesthesia and Intensive care (1987)

Special competency in emergency medical care

Competency in Medical Administration

Work history:

Associate professor of Anaesthesia and Intensive Care in Turku University 1988 – 2005

Senior Consultant in Anaesthesia and Intensive Care in Turku University Hospital 1988 – 2005

Helicopter Emergency Physician 1998 – 2002

Positions of trust:

President of the Finnish Medical Association (FMA) 2001 – 2003

Member of the Delegates Committee of the FMA 1986 – 1991, 1995 - 2000

Vice – President of the Employees' Organisation of the Academics' in Finland 2005-2007 and 2011 - 2013

Board Member of the Employees' Organisation of the Academics in Finland 2005 ->

Member of the City Council of Turku 2005 – 2012

Board member of the Turku University 1993 – 1995

International positions:

Board member of the European Doctor's Organization (CPME) 2005 -

Vice-President of the CPME 2012-2015

WMA Council Member 2013-2017

Chairperson of the WMA Medical Ethics Committee 2013-2017

Ethical activities:

Member of the ethics committee of the FMA 2005 ->

Chair of the Committee on principles of ethical marketing of the Physician's services 2005 ->, member of the committee 2001 – 2003

Chair of the "Honorary Court" of the FMA 2006 ->

Chair of the Task force for the project of 'Physician's autonomy in the service of the society' launched by the FMA 2014 – 2016

Chair of the organizing committee of the 'Year of Collegiality' of the FMA 2013

Chair of the organizing committee of the 'Year of Medical ethics' of the FMA 2014

Family:

Wife Anneli, two sons and two grand-children

Hobbies:

Jogging, crosscountry skiing

Publications:

Three examples of scientific publications:

Heikki Pälve, Arno Vuori. Pulse oximetry during low cardiac output and hypothermia states immediately after open heart surgery. *Crit Care Med* 1989;17:66-69

Olli-Pekka Ryyanen, Timo Iiro, Janne Reitala, Heikki Palve and Antti Malmivaara: Is advanced life support better than basic life support in prehospital care? A systematic review
Scandinavian Journal of Trauma, Resuscitation and Emergency Medicine, 18:62 (23 Nov 2010)

H Pälve, O Kirvelä, H Olin, E Syvälahti & J Kanto. Maximum recommended doses of lignocaine are not toxic. *Br J Anesth* 1995;74:

Numerous articles and publications relating to medical ethics, euthanasia, health policies, anaesthesiology, emergency care, etc.