

Topic:

Preventative Medicine and Health

Guest:

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Dr. Tachdjian is a pediatrician, as well as a community health advocate. He received his medical degree from St. Joseph University School of Medicine and served his pediatrics residency at St. Therese Hospital, both in Beirut. He completed his pediatric fellowship at Kern County Medical Center and his child psychiatry fellowship at UCLA. Dr. Tachdjian served as medical director of the Community Health Foundation of Los Angeles, the second largest homeless care clinic in the country. He then joined Community Health Centers of the Central Coast of California, where he continues to treat patients, including the area's underserved population. In addition, he serves as a consultant for Doctors Without Borders as an expert in refugee and homeless medicine. As former Treasurer and Vice-President, he has been an active member of the Armenian American Medical Society for more than 30 years.



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"Your Health" host Dr. Vicken Sepilian is a Past President of the Armenian American Medical Society. He is board-certified in Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility, as well as Obstetrics and Gynecology. He completed his residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Drexel University College of Medicine in Philadelphia and his fellowship in Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility at the University of Texas. Dr. Sepilian currently practices in Los Angeles and in Glendale.

Featuring physicians and health care professionals whose areas of practice cover the entire spectrum of allied health care, "Your Health" is a dynamic resource for viewers interested in improving their health. The program emphasizes the importance of preventative care, and focuses on how people can maintain a healthful lifestyle. The program provides an opportunity for the Armenian community to address their concerns with the counsel of bi-lingual health

care professionals. The program also provides viewers with information about the AAMS and our activities in California and Armenia. The AAMS encourages individuals to contact local social workers to learn whether they are eligible for health insurance. AAMS doctors and nurses encourage their patients to get the insurance they deserve, and to see a physician regularly for the care that they need.