



Dr Doreen Karimi Mutua

Dr Karimi is a resident pediatric hematologist oncologist at the Gertrude's Children's Hospital (GCH). At GCH, she runs the inpatient and outpatient hematology/oncology services as well as pre- and post- bone marrow transplant follow up. She manages both hematological and solid tumors for example acute leukemia, non-Hodgkins and Hodgkins lymphoma, wilms tumor, neuroblastomas, sarcomas, germ cell tumors and other rarer tumors. She runs a daycare oncology service where chemotherapy is administered on an outpatient basis.

Dr Karimi also manages children with blood disorders in GCH with sickle cell disease (SCD) being an area of special interest to her. She is an investigator in several multi-site, international clinical trials for patients with SCD. Other hematological diseases she manages include nutritional anemias, inherited bone marrow failure syndromes, primary immune disorders and autoimmune blood disorders.

Dr Karimi has an interest in health systems design and strengthening to deliver quality care to patients. She is keen to raise awareness on primary immune deficiency disorders that are part of neglected diseases in Kenya.