



COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

EMS MEDICAL DIRECTOR'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Evidence-Based Medicine (EBM) Presentation

July 21, 2026

12:00-12:55 pm

"E-bike Injuries in Children: A Public Crisis"

Romeo Ignacio, MD

Join by Computer

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Dr. Romeo Ignacio is a Clinical Professor of Surgery at the University of California San Diego School of Medicine and a pediatric surgeon at Rady Children's Hospital–San Diego (RCHSD). He serves in several key leadership roles at RCHSD, including Trauma Medical Director, Section Chief of Pediatric Surgery, and Director of the Clinical Research Program for the Division of Pediatric Surgery.

Before beginning his civilian medical career, Dr. Ignacio served 24 years in the U.S. Navy. During his service, he held multiple leadership roles, including Department Head of Surgery, Division Head of Pediatric Surgery, and Program Director of General Surgery at Naval Medical Center San Diego. He also participated in, and led, numerous humanitarian missions and disaster-relief training exercises throughout Southeast Asia and South America. Dr. Ignacio retired from the U.S. Navy in 2018 with the rank of Captain.

Dr. Ignacio's work focuses on advancing pediatric trauma care, surgical quality, and clinical research aimed at improving outcomes for children.

