



**Debra Boyer, MD, MHPE**

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Debra Boyer, MD, MHPE, transitioned to Nationwide Children's Hospital in 2021 as the Chief Medical Education Officer and the Designated Institutional Official in addition to working clinically as a pediatric pulmonologist and a physician on the Lung/Heart Lung Transplant team. Dr. Boyer is a well-seasoned pulmonologist with 19 years experience as the Associate Medical Director of the Lung Transplant Program at Boston Children's Hospital. Dr. Boyer is heavily committed to medical education, having co-chaired the GME committee at Boston Children's Hospital as well as serving as the pediatric pulmonary fellowship director for 17 years. Dr. Boyer has a national reputation as a medical educator, leading committees at the American Board of Pediatrics, The American Thoracic Society, the Association of Pediatric Program Directors and the Council of Pediatric Subspecialties.

Dr. Boyer has engaged in clinical research regarding pediatric lung transplantation as well as investigations in numerous areas of medical education. Her lung transplant work has studied infectious complications post transplant as well as transplant outcomes in a variety of populations. In her medical education work, Dr. Boyer has studied the balance of service and education in pediatrics, explored gaps in the pediatric subspecialty workforce as well as a focus on the pediatric physician-scientist workforce.