

Dr. Bahram Malakooti, MD**Director, Faranak Impact Inc.**

Dr. Bahram Malakooti is the Director of Faranak Impact Inc. and a distinguished Pediatric Otolaryngologist with more than four decades of surgical practice and over 20 years of academic and clinical expertise in pediatric otorhinolaryngology. Throughout his career in Iran, he has developed extensive expertise in the assessment and management of pediatric ear and hearing disorders, with a particular commitment to the needs of deaf & hard of hearing children.

Since 1998, Dr. Malakooti has dedicated a significant part of his professional career to advancing the care and support of deaf & hard of hearing children and their families. His extensive clinical experience, combined with his academic engagement and multidisciplinary perspective, has provided him with a comprehensive understanding of the complex medical, developmental, and family-centred dimensions of childhood hearing loss.

At Faranak Impact Inc., Dr. Malakooti brings this depth of knowledge and experience to advancing innovative, evidence-informed approaches to family-centred early intervention. His work is grounded in a strong commitment to improving access to high-quality care, strengthening professional knowledge, and promoting better developmental and quality-of-life outcomes for deaf & hard of hearing children and their families.

Through his leadership and longstanding dedication to pediatric hearing health, Dr. Malakooti contributes to Faranak Impact's mission of bridging clinical expertise, research, education, and community-based support to create meaningful and sustainable change.