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Pablo Rojo is a Pediatric Infectious Diseases Specialist of Hospital 12 de Octubre, Madrid, Spain. He is also Associate Professor of Complutense University, Madrid, Spain. He obtained his MD and PhD from Complutense University.

He has been a member of the Board of the Spanish Society of Pediatric Infectious Diseases (SEIP) from 2010 to 2014 and member of the ESPID Research Masterclass Committee since 2013. He is author and coauthor of over 80 peer reviewed scientific articles and book chapters. His main research activities are related to HIV, *S. aureus* and congenital CMV infection. Related to Pediatric HIV, he is member of the PENTA Steering Committee and EPPICC Committee, he has participated in many clinical trials with antiretrovirals and is part of the EPICCAL project pursuing a therapeutic vaccine for HIV-infected children. He participates as a Technical advisor for Pediatric HIV for Spanish Government, he participates in a collaborating project on Pediatric HIV in Equatorial Guinea and has also advised WHO in Pediatric HIV treatment. Related to *S. aureus* he is focused on community-acquired *S. aureus* infection and virulence factors, he is the principal investigator of the European Project on Pediatric Invasive *S. aureus* Infections. Related to congenital CMV infection he is member of the Panel Group on congenital CMV of the Spanish Society of Pediatric Infectious Diseases and co-coordinator of the Spanish Cohort of congenital CMV. He co-organizes an International meeting on congenital CMV infection every two years in Madrid, Spain.