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At McMaster University, Dr. Loeb holds the Michael G Degroote Chair in Infectious Diseases. He is an Infectious Diseases physician and Medical Microbiologist trained in clinical epidemiology. He completed medical school at McGill University and internal medicine training at the University of Toronto, followed by infectious diseases and medical microbiology fellowship.

Dr. Loeb has been conducting cluster randomized trials of vaccinating children against influenza in the Hutterite community for the past ten years. He also has been conducting a randomized trial of vitamin D to prevent influenza in children in Vietnam. Dr. Loeb has led three WHO systematic reviews on influenza. He is the Principal Investigator of a UK-MRC funded international randomized trial assessing the effect inactivated influenza on adverse vascular events. He is Chair of the DSMB on a clinical trial of H7N9 influenza vaccine for NIH and served on 45 international, national, and provincial advisory committees and has chaired CDC grant reviews on influenza

Dr. Loeb has published 270 peer review articles. Recognitions have included 19 research awards, including the Gold Medal in Medicine from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada for research, Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America Investigator Award, and the Jonas Salk award from the March of Dimes for research contributions.