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Dr. Tan has been in his role with the Immunization Action Coalition (IAC) since 2013. He is Co-Chair and Co-Founder of the National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit, and he is former President of the Board of the Adult Vaccine Access Coalition (AVAC). He is an editor for *Vaccine*, *BMC Infectious Diseases*, *Medscape Infectious Diseases*, and is a member of the European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ESCMID) Vaccine Study Group.

Dr. Tan's current appointments include serving as a special consultant for the European Union Influenza Summit and the Asia-Pacific Influenza Summit and serving as a member of the Advisory Board for AVAC, Unity (United for Adolescent Vaccination) Consortium, the 317 Coalition, and the AMGA's Adult Immunization Collaborative, to name a few. He was a voting member of the National Vaccine Advisory Committee from 2009 to 2013, and he served as a liaison member of the Advisory Committee for Immunization Practices, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), from 2002 to 2012.

Dr. Tan recently served on the National Quality Forum's Adult Immunizations Expert Committee, and he currently is a member of the Pharmacy Quality Alliance's Adult Immunization Working Group. He also serves on numerous national and international expert advisory committees covering issues such as vaccine hesitancy, immunization quality measurement development, adult immunizations, and immunization access and delivery.

His many recognitions include the 2011 CDC National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases Honor Award: Excellence in Partnering, and an American Pharmacists Association 2009 National Immunization Champion Award.

Dr. Tan received his master of science degree in biology at New York University and earned his doctorate of philosophy in microbiology/immunology from Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine in Chicago.

Throughout his career, Dr. Tan has been deeply involved with projects and publications on vaccine-related issues, including scientific and policy reports from the American Medical Association, where he was the director of Medicine and Public Health for 15 years. He is the proud father of three fully-immunized children.