

Brief Biography: **Ronald G. Barr**

Ronald Barr MA, MDCM, FRCP(C) was formerly the Canada Research Chair in Community Child Health Research at the University of British Columbia, Professor of Pediatrics in the Faculty of Medicine at UBC, and Director of the Developmental Neurosciences & Child Health Research Cluster at the Child and Family Research Institute of the BC Children's Hospital. His clinical work and research have focused on the needs of infants and young children and how to give them a "good start" in life. He is well-known for his studies on the biological and behavioral determinants of behavior, including pain, behavioral state and crying, cognition and memory. His current work focuses on primary community prevention of Shaken Baby Syndrome.