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S. Vincent Rajkumar, M.D., is a consultant in the Division of Hematology at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, with joint appointments in the Department of Internal Medicine and the Department of Laboratory Medicine and Pathology. He serves as chair of the Myeloma, Amyloid and Dysproteinemia Group for Mayo Clinic Cancer Center. Dr. Rajkumar holds the academic rank of professor of medicine, Mayo Clinic College of Medicine, and is recognized with the distinction of a named professorship, the Edward W. and Betty Knight Scripps Professorship in Medicine in Honor of Dr. Edward C. Rosenow, III.

Dr. Rajkumar earned his medical degree at Christian Medical College, Vellore, India. He completed his residency in internal medicine at University of North Dakota School of Medicine and his fellowship in hematology and medical oncology at Mayo Graduate School of Medicine.

Dr. Rajkumar's research focuses on myeloma, amyloidosis and related disorders, including development of new diagnostic criteria and treatments. In particular, he is working to create new treatments for myeloma through innovative clinical trials and translational studies. He is the lead investigator on several federal, industry and foundation grants secured via competitive application to organizations such as the National Cancer Institute and the Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group.

Dr. Rajkumar has been invited to present on his work internationally and has published numerous peer-reviewed articles, abstracts, book chapters, editorials, and commentaries. He serves in editorial roles for several high-impact scientific journals, including *Leukemia*, *Clinical and Experimental Medicine*, *European Journal of Haematology*, *Blood Cancer Journal*, *Current Hematologic Malignancy Reports*, *Leukemia Research*, and *Mayo Clinic Proceedings*.

Outside of his research and clinical activities Dr. Rajkumar holds memberships with numerous professional organizations, including the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, American Society of Clinical Oncology, American Association for Cancer Research, and American Society of Hematology. He serves on the board of directors for the International Myeloma Foundation and is a member of the National Institutes of Health's Multiple Myeloma Steering Committee.