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Dr. Cost is an associate professor in the Division of Urology, Department of Surgery, in addition to a joint appointment in the Section of Hematology and Oncology (Pediatric Oncology) in the Department of Pediatrics. He is the co-Director of the Surgical Oncology Program at the Children's Hospital Colorado. Dr. Cost is the lead of the Children's Hospital Hereditary Renal Cancer Program and the VHL Clinical Care Center. Outside of the institution, he serves as the surgical discipline lead for and a vice-Chair of the Children's Oncology Group Renal Tumor Committee. He also serves on the NCCN Testicular Cancer Guidelines Panel and NCCN Wilms Tumor Guidelines Panel.

Dr. Cost concentrates his clinical and research efforts in the areas of urologic oncology and pediatric urology. He focuses on testicular cancer and kidney cancer, specifically in the pediatric, adolescent, and young adult population. He is currently funded on a K23 Career Development Award from the NIH/NIDDK for a translational investigation into the impact of chemotherapy on lower urinary tract function in childhood cancer survivors.