

Dr Josephine Fubara.

Chief Science Officer.



“ Self-care is the only healthcare that millions of people worldwide will ever have access to. We must make it simple. We must make it happen. ”

Dr Josephine Fubara is a purpose driven leader who brings science and innovation to life in her role as Chief Science Officer. Driven by the mission to make self-care accessible to all, Josephine and her team deliver impactful health outcomes, continuously keeping up with the needs of consumers worldwide and via Opella’s brands.

An award-winning R&D executive with more than 22 years of experience in healthcare, she has established herself as an expert in strategic partnerships, innovation, Rx to OTC switch, product development, commercialization, and alliance governance models.

Prior to joining Opella in 2020, Josephine was the Global Head of Therapeutics, R&D at Bayer Consumer Healthcare and spent 18+ years in various technical and business roles at Whitehall Robins, Wyeth, and Pfizer Consumer Healthcare.

Born in Nigeria, Josephine obtained a Pharmacy degree from the University of Benin, Nigeria and a Ph.D. in Pharmaceutics from the Medical University of South Carolina, United States.

In her spare time, she centers herself by practicing yoga and exploring new places.

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