

EMIRATES PEDIATRIC & NEONATAL SOCIETY *Conference*



**18 - 19
SEPTEMBER**

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Conferences Organizing

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09:30 - 10:00

REGISTRATION

10:00 - 12:00

Simulation

Time	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson
10:00 – 11:00	Puzzle in the PICU How to solve it	Dr Marco Pallavidino Dr Diego Arango Uribe	Dr Nisha Soares Dr Nibal Albitar
11:00 - 12:00	Pediatric EKG made easy : How to read pediatric EKG	Dr Mohamed Suliman Dr Heba Gazi	Dr Mohamed Abouseif Dr Amal Abdelqader

“Zero Harm: Infection Prevention in Action” From Bundles to Bedside – Safer Vascular Access & CLABSI Prevention

10:00 – 12:00	Infection Control in Healthcare, Introduction	Dr. Reham Mostafa Dr. Mohamed Amro	Dr Kalpana Sengupta Dr.Hamza Rahhal Dr. Sondus Ibrahim AlSharidah
	Beyond the Puncture: Safe Insertion, Zero Infection	Dr. Nosaiba Mohammed	
	CLABSI in the NICU: Understanding the Risk Before Prevention	Dr. Ibtesam Aljasmí	
	Small Steps, Big Impact: Evidence-Based Bundles in the NICU	Dr. Khaled El-Atawi	

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Abstract Viewing

12:00- 14:00

Prayer and Break



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Nutrition & Growth

3 TRACK
Mental Health /
Child Protection

4 TRACK
Recipes for
Pediatric Counseling

5 TRACK
Patient Safety and
Quality

Chairpersons

Dr Zahreddin Abusalah
Dr Bushra Barakat

Dr Lina kassab
Dr Khurshid Khan

Dr Maysa Saleh
Dr Anas Alwogud

Dr Hazem Awad
Dr Rouba Manachi

Dr Eman Aljaberi
Dr Reem Mahfouz

SESSION 1 Case based 14:00 - 14:30

Usual presentation for
usual pathogens

Dr Moza Alhammadi

Precision Nutrition in
Paediatrics: Do We Need
Standardized Cut-Offs
or Not?

Dr Dalia Mosllam

Pediatric consultation for
children with disabilities:
listening to what is not said,
seeing what is not shown

Dr. Maya Helou

Challenges and Alternative
Strategies in the era of AI to
outcome the missing data in
hematopathology diagnosis
in children

Dr. Douaa Sayed

From Incident Reports to
Safer Care: Turning Data
into Action

Dr. Hosn Saif Eddine

SESSION 2 Case based 14:30 - 15:00

Protecting Every Child:
Improving Vaccine
Access and Advocacy

Dr. Nawal Alkaabi

Unraveling the
Metabolic Puzzle

Dr Hamda Abulhoul

"Adolescent Health:
Challenging Prevailing
Myths and Empowering
Youth"

Dr. Ruba Rizk

From Hospital to Home:
The Healthcare Provider's
Role in Guiding and
Empowering Parents"

Dr Haitham Elbashir

Learning from near misses:
The hidden Goldmine of
pediatric patient safety

Dr Salma Al Sayed

SESSION 3 Case based 15:00 - 15:30

RSV Prevention beyond
high risk infants
(Enflonsia in focus)

**Dr. Abdelhameed
Elmesery**

Tackling Growth Failure
in Pediatric Chronic
Illness (GH)

Dr. Aqeel Farooque

Data, models and agents:
rethinking statistical and
AI approaches in pediatric
critical Care

Dr. Asrar Rashid

low Hb when to worry?

Dr. Sally Alnaeem

"Medication Safety in
Children with Kidney
Disease: Getting the Right
Drug, Dose and Formulation

Dr Vincent Tse

15:30 - 16:00

Break Time



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Dr Nermeen Elkholy
Dr Bhavna Gupta

Dr Shiva Shankar
Dr Heba Al Saqban

Dr Zaineb Benslimane
Dr Rafia Owera

Dr Manal Adi
Dr Mohamed Elmesserey

Dr Alddai Alnair
Dr Mohamed Soliman

SESSION 4 Case based 16:00 - 16:30

Vaccinations in
preterm infants:
What every clinician
needs to know

Dr. Sura Abd Alwahhab

Pediatric Hyperlipidemia
in 2026: What Are We
Missing?

Dr Nandu Thalange

Safeguarding Children -
Bioethical & Social
Perspectives on
Cyber Violence

Dr. Naser Al Riyami

Beyond the rash :
an out of the box
clinical approach

Dr Mamdouh Swilem

Beyond "Do No Harm":
Building a Culture of
Safety in Pediatrics

Dr Rizwana Popatia

SESSION 5 Case based 16:30 - 17:00

Vaccines & Trust:
From Evidence to
Confidence

Dr. Huda Al Dhanhani

When Gluten Becomes
the Enemy: Understanding
Celiac Disease

Dr Tawfiq Hen

Substance Abuse & Risky
Behaviors in Adolescents -
Identification, Prevention,
and Intervention

Dr. Hawraa Sajwani

The child who almost died
in your clinic: interactive,
case based: heart disease
as everyday pediatrics

Dr Ahmad Adel

Risk Assessment Strategies
in Healthcare Settings

Dr Asfa Nishat Hafiz

SESSION 6 Case based 17:00 - 17:30

Practice-Changing
Insights: Key Takeaways
from Recent Paediatric
Studies

Dr Ahmed Alhammadi

Invest in (Maternal
neonatal child adolescent
health) MNCAH can it
change the phenotype

Prof. Joseph Haddad

Fostering Adolescent
Wellness - The Transformative
Role of School Health &
Supportive Services

Dr. Maha Al Ali

Atopic Dermatitis and
Food Allergy: From Association
to Causation - When to
Test and What to Order

Dr. Sarmad Al Hamadani

Human Factors in Pediatric
and Neonatal Care:
Why Good Clinicians
Make Mistakes?

Dr Adeline Saliba

Closing remarks ,with dinner

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Panel Discussion

08:30 - 09:30
(60 mins)

Around the table Gastroenterology topics

Speakers:

Dr Yasser Najem
Dr Saista Amin
Prof. Tarik Barakat

Chairpersons:

Dr Abdelsalam Abulibeh
Dr Funda Cipe
Dr Madiha Fathi

Around the table (movement disorder)

Speakers:

Dr Vivek Mundada
Dr Biju Hameed
Dr Akbar Chettali

Chairpersons:

Dr Mohamed Omar
Dr Somaya Alnuaimi
Dr Sherif Mossad

09:30 - 09:45 (15 min)

ABSTRACT VIEWING

09:45 - 10:00 (15 min)

BREAK TIME

Time	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson
10:00 – 10:20	From Symptoms to Solution – Navigating the Diagnostic Pathway to Persistent Cough	Dr Majeed Jawad	H.H. Dr. Khoula Al Said Dr Sara F.E Mohammed
10:20 - 10:40	Real-Time Neuromonitoring in NICU & PICU	Dr Fraser Harban	Dr Muslim Alsaadi Dr Alia Mohamed
10:40 - 11:00	Hypertension in Children: Are We Missing It?	Dr Vincent Tse	Dr. Abdulraoof Al Madhoob Dr Noora Mubarak Alkhater

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OPENING CEREMONY

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12:00 – 12:10

BREAK

Time	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson
12:10 -12:30	Healing the Healers	Dr Ahmed ElBeleidy	Dr Ahmed Onsy Dr. Fouad Albakoush
12:30 – 13:20	The Burden of RSV in Infants: Why Prevention Matters	Dr. Ghassan Ghatasheh	Dr. Laila Obeid
	Turning Evidence into Impact: Saudi Arabia's Nirsevimab Success Story	Dr Khalid Ali Baqais	
13:20 -13:40	Meningococcal Disease Burden & Complete Prevention: No More Fears!	Dr. Eslam Elbaroudy	Dr Naser Mohamed
13:40 – 14:00	Probiotics: evidence-based medicine era	Dr Sameh Abdelazim	Dr. Lemis Yavuz

14:00 -14:15 (15 min)

ABSTRACT WINNER AND COFFEE BREAK

14:15 -14:35	Combating Bacterial Resistance - Practical Approaches for Primary Care Providers	Dr Khulood Catroon	Dr Mohamed Mobarak Dr Shria Sadhu
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14:35- 14:55	Mastering Pneumococcal Protection	Dr Raafat Hamzeh	Dr Hussien Eleimy
14:55 – 15:15	Pediatric Nephrolithiasis: From Metabolic Clues to Precision Prevention	Dr Entesar Alhammadi	Dr Hanan Alraeesi
15:15 - 15:35	Advancing Early Identification of Malnutrition At-Risk Children: Newly Published Tool	Dr. Eslam Elbaroudy	Dr Basim Al-Zoubi Dr Sahar Adeibi
15:35 – 15:55	Identifying Perinatal and Nutritional Risk Factors for Pediatric Food Allergy in Russia	Dr. Kamilla Efendieva	Dr Julia Levina Dr Moustafa Hassan
15:55 – 16:15	Traumatic Brain Injury	Dr Abdulla Al Bulooshi	Dr Sura Albermany Dr Hussien Naji
16:15– 16:25 (10 min)	PANEL DISCUSSION		
16:25 – 16:30 (5 min)	CLOSING REMARKS		
16:30	LATE LUNCH		