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Global burden of pediatric mortality is increasing dramatically every year. WHO estimates that 8.8 million deaths occur annually among infant and children less than 5 years of age. Reflecting on this important fact professionally-oriented education for better management of paediatric diseases is essential in keeping the clinical and clinical academics up-to-date provided that Children are main component of next generations that there health is of major importance.

The International Paediatrics Medical Congress have been designed to address most of the burning issues in the field of paediatrics. The congress will bring together groups of interdisciplinary experts to focus on the practical management and latest evidence-based clinical data on key challenges faced by paediatricians in the region and the most effective strategies for overcoming these challenges.

The congress will feature interactive case-studies, panel discussions, educational workshops, networking sessions and platform presentations on current issues of pediatrics including Paediatric neurodevelopment disorders, Gastroenterology, Infectious Diseases, Critical Care and Emergencies.

Who Should Attend?

- Paediatricians
- Specialist Paediatricians
- Neonatologist
- Midwives and nurses
- Family Physician
- General Practitioner
- Pharmacists
- Public Health Government Officials

What people said about our last pediatrics conferences?

“Great location, excellent presentations and friendly staff.”
Dr. F. Fatorehchian, Ministry of Health

“I’m very pleased with the way you organised this congress. You should go on with the great work you are already doing. It was a very good opportunity. We’ve got many specialities and speakers who are well-known in their fields.”
Dr. Yasser Negm, Al Zahra Hospital

“The lectures were very interesting. It was an enjoyable experience attending the congress. Nice venue, good topics, interesting discussion.”
Dr. Eeva-Liisa Langille, Cambridge Medical Rehabilitation Center

“We met great people, they showed a lot of interest and that made the whole experience worthwhile. For the organiser I would like to say, you are very organised. The pre-conference communication was well managed.”
Dr. Joanna Julia Lawton, Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health

Submit your abstract to the congress to be chosen for oral or poster presentation, the submission can be in any of the following areas:
- Pediatric Neurology, Gastroenterology, Infectious diseases and allergy, Cardiology or any field connected to pediatrics.

Eligibility
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Congress Day One
Thursday, 24 November 2016

08.00 | Registration, Coffee and Networking
08.50 | Chairman’s Welcome and Opening Remarks
09.00 | Keynote Address: Ministry of Health, UAE

Session One: Infectious Diseases
09.30 | Prevention of respiratory infections in children
Farida Al Hosani
10.00 | Update on childhood immunisation
Najwa Khuri-Bulos, MD, FIDSA
11.00 | Networking coffee break

Session Two: Psychiatry and Neurodevelopment Paediatrics
12:00 | Autistic Spectrum Disorder in Children: clinical features, evaluation and management
Mukhils Maldom, CCT, FRCPCH, DCH
12:30 | Common issues on technology dependent child
Hamza Al Sayouf, MD
13:00 | Seizure mimics
Khalid Ibrahim, MD, FRCPCH, FRCP, CCST
13:30 | Networking lunch break

Session Three: Paediatric Emergencies and Critical Care
14:30 | Diagnosis and timely management of septic shock in children “Golden Hour”
Habib Mansour Sammouh, MD
15:00 | Advanced paediatric life support
Amr Elzawahry, MD
15:30 | Networking coffee break

Session Four: New Approach to common Problems
16:00 | Round table discussion
This is your opportunity to discuss pressing issues and challenges in smaller, interactive groups. You will be able to share your own experiences and hear from the industry experts: benchmark; exchange ideas and get clear answers to specific questions. Therefore, in order to make the most of these interactive sessions, you should come ready with all your questions

Table 1: Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia; post discharge challenges
Laila Obaid, MB.Bch, LRCP, FRCPI, FRCPC, FAAP, MSc, CMQ

Table 2: How to recognize and respond to child abuse
 Bernard Gerbaka, MD

Table 3: Managing epilepsy in children
Yong Seung Hwang, MD, PHD

Table 4: Cognitive delays and learning disorders in adolescence
Jessica Rios-Habib, PHD

17:00 | Closing remarks and end of day one

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Congress Day Two
Friday, 25 November 2016

Session Five:
Haematology updates

09.00 Discussing challenges of Sickle cell disease
Nawaf Mohamed Alanzi, MD

09:30 Management of Idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura (ITP)
Mostafa Baroudi, MD

10:00 Networking coffee Break

Session Six:
Gastrointestinal, Liver and Nutrition disorders

10:30 An approach to abdominal pain clinico-laboratory
Mostafa Abdelaziz Hodhod, MD, CT, HRD

11:00 Panel Discussion: Determinants and approaches for preventing childhood obesity
Moderator: Bhandari Srinivas, MD
Panellists: Abeer Khayat, MD
Bernard Gerbaka, MD

11:30 Liver transplant

12:00 Ask the expert session: Common Gastroenterology disorders
Mohammed Miqdady, MD, American Board
Rajeev Tomar, MD, MRCPCH, CCT
Badriya Al Awar, MD

12:30 Friday's prayer and networking lunch break

Session Seven:
Cardiology

14:00 Management of congenital heart disease
Elhadi Aburawi, RCPI, FRCPCH, FACC, MSc, PhD

14:30 Cardiac catheterisation in congenital Heart Disease
Ahmed Kamali

15:00 Networking coffee break

Session Eight:
Overcoming Key Challenges Facing Pediatricians

15:30-16:30 Round Table discussion in smaller, interactive groups. You will be able to share your own experiences and hear from the industry experts; benchmark; exchange ideas and get clear answers to specific questions. Therefore, in order to make the most of these interactive sessions, you should come ready with all your questions!

Table 1:
Prenatal diagnosis - Practical and ethical issues
Jozef Hertecant, MD

Table 2:
Medical Ethics when handling children
Bernard Gerbaka, MD

Table 3:
Transition care for children with Special Needs
Abeer Khayat, MD

Table 4:
Recent Treatment consideration in asthma treatment
Fakhri Azzam, B.A, MBBS, DCH, MRCP

16:30 Closing Remarks from Chairman and Adjourn of Day Two

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Post Conference Workshops
Saturday, 26 November 2016

08:30-09:00 Registration, coffee and networking

09:00-11:00 Workshop on screening, development and assessment for autism

Overview of the workshop
Diagnosing autism spectrum disorder (ASD) can be difficult, since there is no medical test, like a blood test, to diagnose the disorder. Doctors look at the child’s behaviour and development to make a diagnosis. This interactive workshop will help candidates become more familiar with development assessment as tool for screening for autism.

Learning Objectives
1. Identify the early signs that may suggest a child has an autism spectrum disorder
2. Identify screening tools for diagnosis of autism with primary focus on development assessment tool
3. Provide better understanding of ASD characteristics in range of children and thus enable professionals to make decisions about referral of children for diagnosis
4. Provide comprehensive base of information for screening, evaluation and assessment of persons with Autistic Spectrum Disorders

Workshop leader
Dr. Huda Sadek, Consultant General Paediatrics and Neurodevelopment, Mafraq Hospital, UAE

11:00-11:30 Networking coffee break

11:30-13:30 Workshop on approaches on managing common gastrointestinal disorders in children

Overview of the workshop
This is a two hours long high level workshop designed primarily for practicing paediatricians in the field of paediatrics gastroenterology who are seeking up to date and evidence based information about the management of common gastrointestinal disorder that can be applied to clinical practice.

Learning Objectives
1. Consider some of the commonly encountered conditions in paediatrics gastroenterology.
2. Highlight up to date, evidence based treatment options for those conditions
3. Providing practical advices for paediatricians with regard to the discussed conditions

Workshop leader
Mostafa Abdelaziz Hodhod, Professor of Paediatrics & Paediatric Gastroenterology, Ain Shams University, Egypt

13:30-14:30 Networking Lunch Break

14:30-16:30 Workshop on Fluid Management in paediatrics

Overview of the workshop
Monitoring and maintaining fluid balance in sick children requires an understanding of normal requirements and losses and require understanding of the effect of different clinical problems on fluid balance. This interactive workshop will provide an opportunity for candidates to update their knowledge of fluid balance in children, along with guidance on calculating fluid requirements and on accurate monitoring of fluid balance in sick children. Common fluid and electrolytes disorders will be discussed.

Learning Objectives
1. Understand the physiology requirement of fluid in an ill child
2. Recognize Common fluid and electrolyte disorders in critically ill children
3. Explain the importance of clinical assessment of hydration as well as the importance of balance record keeping
4. Identify the types of IV fluids, their indications and doses calculation in children

Workshop leader
Amar Shibli, Consultant and Chief, General Paediatrics, Tawam Hospital, Associate Professor of Paediatrics, College of Medicine and Health Sciences - UAE University, UAE

16:30-18:30 Workshop on Interpretation of ECG in younger population

Overview of the workshop
An electrocardiogram (ECG) may be requested as part of the investigation of a wide range of problems in paediatrics. The basic principles of interpretation of the ECG in children are identical to those in adults, but the progressive changes in anatomy and physiology which take place between birth and adolescence result in some features which differ significantly from the normal adult pattern and vary according to the age of the child.

Correct interpretation of the ECG in Paediatrics is therefore potentially difficult and a detailed knowledge of these age dependent changes is critically important if errors are to be avoided. This interactive workshop will provide you with comprehensive base that will prepare you to read and interpret ECG of children in right way.

Learning Objectives
1. Review the cardiac physiology with respect to age and age related normal
2. Review main difference between paediatrics and adult ECG interpretation
3. Learn to interpret ECG using a systematic and practical approach
4. Interpretation of ECG based on common symptoms and clinical scenarios
5. Provide review for the management of selected abnormal ECG disorders

Workshop leader
Elhadi Aburawi, Professor and Consultant Paediatric Cardiologist, College of Medicine & Health Sciences, UAE

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