



Brush up on your pediatrics knowledge.

The 9th Annual Pediatrics Update Symposium

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Issam Fares Lecture Hall
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Program Overview

The 9th Annual Pediatrics Update Symposium hosted by the Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine at the American University of Beirut Medical Center (AUBMC) will be held this year in a joint providership with Cleveland Clinic. The symposium will address interesting topics in general pediatric and adolescent medicine. It will also present topics related to pediatric diabetes, neonatology, neurology, sleep medicine, hematology, and other.

Learning Objectives

By the end of the symposium, participants will be able to:

- Apply practice guidelines related to child care
- Arrange for proper referrals to subspecialty care when needed
- Describe updates in pediatrics care

Target Audience

This activity is designed for pediatricians, family medicine doctors, nurses and other professionals involved in child and adolescent healthcare.

Venue

Issam Fares Lecture Hall, American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the essential areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education and the American University of Beirut Medical Center (AUBMC). The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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Lebanese Order of Physicians Statement

The 9th Annual Pediatrics Update Symposium also complies with the Lebanese Order of Physicians Continuing Medical Education guidelines.

Registration

The registration fee for this conference is \$50. Registration will include syllabus, coffee break, and lunch.

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Program

Day One: Friday, February 23, 2018

- 8:00 - 8:30 REGISTRATION AND COFFEE
- 8:30 - 9:00 Welcome and overview of the program
Dr. Sami Sanjad
Dr. Miguel Abboud
Dr. Kamal Badr

Session I: Adolescent Medicine

- 9:00 - 9:25 Smoking in Adolescents
Dr. Ramia Zakhour
- 9:25 - 9:50 Sports Injuries
Dr. Hasan Beydoun
- 9:50 - 10:15 Soda and Energy Drinks: Effects on Bone Health
Dr. Asma Arabi
- 10:15 - 10:40 Menstrual Disorders in Adolescents
Dr. Ghina Ghaziri
- 10:40 - 10:50 Questions and Answers
- 10:50 - 11:05 BREAK

Session II: General Pediatrics I

- 11:05 - 11:30 Advances in Pediatric Surgery
Dr. Ahmad Zaghal
- 11:30 - 11:50 Bariatric Surgery in Children and Adolescents
Dr. Bassem Safadi

- 11:50 - 12:15 Common Urological Mismanagements
Dr. Yaser El Hout
- 12:15 - 12:35 Neurocutaneous Syndromes: What is your diagnosis
Dr. Lena Naffaa
- 12:35 - 12:45 Questions and Answers
- 12:45 - 13:45 LUNCH BREAK

Session III: Sleep Medicine

- 13:45 - 14:10 Insomnias and Parasomnias in Children and Adolescents
Dr. Farid Talih
- 14:10 - 14:35 Sleep Apnea
Dr. Katia El Taoum
- 14:35 - 15:00 Nocturnal Enuresis
Dr. Bilal Aoun
- 15:00 - 15:10 Questions and Answers
- 15:10 - 15:25 BREAK
- 15:25 - 15:50 Special Lecture in Memory of Dr. Ibrahim Dabbous
Neutropenia in Children
Dr. Miguel Abboud

Session IV: Neurology/Metabolic

- 15:50 - 16:15 Approach to Hyperammonemias
Dr. Pascale Karam
- 16:15 - 16:40 Neurofibromatosis: An Update
Dr. Dima Hamideh
- 16:40 - 17:05 Treatable Genetic Metabolic Epilepsies
Dr. Makram Obeid
- 17:05 - 17:15 Questions and Answers

Day Two: Saturday, February 24, 2018

Session V: General Pediatrics II

- 9:00 - 9:25 What a Baby May Need Before Cleft Lip Surgery
Dr. Ramzi Haddad
- 9:25 - 9:50 Allergy Testing: Who, Why, and When to Refer
Dr. Marilyn Karam
- 9:50 - 10:15 Pre-implantation Genetic Diagnosis
Dr. Chantal Farra
- 10:15 - 10:40 Top Four Articles of 2017
Dr. Mona Nabulsi
- 10:40 - 10:50 Questions and Answers
- 10:50 - 11:30 BREAK AND BRUNCH

Session VI: Neonatology

- 11:30 - 11:55 Neonatal Screening for CHD
Dr. Ziad Bulbul
- 11:55 - 12:20 Acute Kidney Injury in Neonates
Dr. Sami Sanjad
- 12:20 - 12:50 Clinical Fundamentals and Application of aEEG Monitoring
Dr. Judy Moore
- 12:50 - 13:15 Effects of Antibiotics on the Newborn
Dr. Faouzi Maalouf
- 13:15 - 13:25 Questions and Answers
- 13:25 - 13:40 BREAK

Session VII: Diabetes

- 13:40 - 14:10 The Samir Najjar Lecture: The Spectrum of Childhood Diabetes; Pearls for the Pediatricians
Dr. Carine De Beaufort
- 14:10 - 14:35 The Rising Incidence of T1dm And T2dm Among Youths
Dr. Mona Nasrallah
- 14:35 - 15:00 Management of T1DM: What is the Latest in Technology
Dr. Hala Tfayli
- 15:00 - 15:25 Is There a Cure in Sight for T1DM?
Dr. Carine de Beaufort
- 15:25 - 15:45 Parent Testimonies - Non CME
- 15:45 - 16:00 Questions and Answers
- 16:00 ADJOURN

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