

Scientific Program

January 21, 2023 (Saturday) Day 1

07:30 – 08:25 Registration
08:25 – 08:30 Welcome & Introduction – Master of Ceremony

SESSION 1	Hematology-Oncology Track Chairs: Dr. Rajesh Phatak, UAE Dr. Belal Abdallah, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Eslam Elbaroudy, UAE Dr. Rola Alzir, UAE
	08:30 – 08:55 Capitalizing on Germline and Tumor Genomics for Therapy and/or Precision Medicine for High-Risk Pediatric Cancer - Dr. Ted Laetsch, USA	Overview of Childhood Cancers, Hands-on Experience for Nurses - Dr. Nita Radhkrishnan, India
	08:55 – 09:20 Pediatric Hemophagocytic Lymphohistiocytosis - Dr. Leslie Lehmann, USA	Brain Tumor, Early Diagnosis - Dr. Girish Chinnaswamy, India
	09:20 – 09:45 New Horizons in the Management of NF-1 PN - Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE	Thalassemia major - Dr. Yasser Wali, Oman
09:45 – 10:00	Q & A Panel Discussion	
10:00 – 10:30	Official Inauguration	
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee Break	
SESSION 2	Hematology-Oncology Track Chairs: Dr. Nita Radhkrishnan, India Dr. Omar Trad, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Maya Prabhakaran, UAE Dr. Vishwanath Gowraiah, UAE
	10:45 – 11:10 Approach to Inherited Bone Marrow Failure Syndrome in Children - Dr. Anjan Madasu, UAE	Childhood Leukemia - Dr. Hani Humad, UAE
	11:10 – 11:35 How to treat pediatric solid tumors in a MDT setting - Dr. Girish Chinnaswamy, India	Case Discussion: Phagocytosis Disorder - Dr. Ahmed Abdelaal, UAE
	11:35 – 12:00 High Dose Methotrexate Toxicity Management - Dr. Mohamed Fahed Abdullah, UAE	Tumor Markers in Pediatric Oncology - Dr. Ammar Morad, UAE
12:00 – 12:15	Q & A Panel Discussion	
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch Break Poster Presentation & Viewing	
13:15 – 14:45	PLENARY SESSION: Pediatric BMT in the UAE Chair: Dr. Zainul Aabideen Speakers: 1. HLA typing and Chimerism in the UAE - Prof. Dr. Gehad Elghazali, UAE 2. BMT for Childhood Cancer in Burjeel Medical City - Dr. Mansi Sachdev, UAE 3. Bone Marrow Transplantation for Primary Immunodeficiency Diseases in Burjeel Medical City - Dr. Fulvio Porta, Italy 4. BMT for Hemoglobinopathies in Burjeel Medical City - Dr. Lawrence Faulkner, Italy 5. Future of CAR-T Cell and Gene Therapy in the UAE - Prof. Rupert Handgretinger, Germany	
14:45 – 15:15	SYMPOSIUM 1 - EMMAUS LIFE SCIENCE: Modern management of Sickle Cell Disease Chair: Dr. Naser Al Zein, UAE Speaker: Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE	
15:15 – 15:45	SYMPOSIUM 2 - ROCHE: How can we build personalized and value-based haemophilia care in the UAE Chair: Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE Speakers: Dr. Naser Zein & Dr. Mohammad Fahed Abdullah, UAE	

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SESSION 3	Hematology-Oncology Track (ORAL PRESENTATION) Chairs: Dr. Najam Awan, UAE; Dr. Mustafa Al Baroudi, UAE	General Pediatrics Track CHEMOTHERAPY-RELATED Chairs: Alida Stapelberg, UAE; Dr. Praveen Sreekanthalal, UAE
	15:45 - 16:35 (10 mins each) 1. Incidence, associated factors and outcome of posterior reversible encephalopathy syndrome (PRES) in pediatric post-allogenic hematopoietic stem cell transplant patients. - Dr. Juhi Mehrotra, India 2. Immunophenotypic patterns of childhood acute leukemia by flow cytometric analysis - Dr. Momena Begum, Bangladesh 3. Intrahepatic cholestasis in paediatrics sickle cell Disease: two cases from Oman - Dr. Wafa Sulaiyam Ali Al Sarkhi, Oman 4. Cytogenetic profile of children with acute lymphoblastic leukemia(all): experience from a tertiary care centre in india - Dr. Dhara Shah, India 5. Safety and efficacy of granulocyte transfusions in life threatening infections in children undergoing chemotherapy and bone marrow transplant - Dr. Kesavan M R, India	15:20 – 15:45 Management and Care of Central Venous Access Devices - Mr. Khalid Habaybia, UAE 15:45 – 16:10 Management of Side Effects of Chemotherapy Dr. Nita Radhkrishnan, India
16:35 – 16:45	Q & A Panel Discussion	
16:45 – 16:55	Coffee Break	
SESSION 4	Hematology-Oncology Track Chairs: Dr. Omran Ali El-Koha, UAE Dr. Abid Qazi, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Hany Alhendawy, UAE; Dr. Farah Kadem, UAE
	16:55 – 17:20 Update on Risk stratification in Neuroblastoma Dr. Rochell Bagatell, USA	Blood Component Therapy Dr. Saad Muhallab, UAE
17:20 – 17:45	Approach to Intra-Abdominal Tumors in Children a Surgical Oncology Perspective - Dr. Pete Mattei, USA	Preparation and Administration of Chemotherapy - Mr. Abdullah Odat, UAE
17:45 – 18:10	Ewing's Sarcoma in Children: What is the current updates? - Dr. Mustafa Albaroudi, UAE	Prevention of Infection During Chemotherapy - Dr. Fatima Al Dhaheer, UAE
18:10 – 18:25	Q & A Panel Discussion	
18:25	Closing & End of Day 1	

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January 22, 2023 (Sunday) Day 2

08:00 Registration Starts
08:25 – 08:40 Welcome & Opening Remarks

SESSION 5	Hematology-Oncology Track Chairs: Dr. Mansi Sachdev, UAE Dr. Musaddaq Inayat, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Fadi Ata Al Mhadin, UAE Dr. Bela Sachdeva, UAE
08:40 – 09:05	Treatment High Risk Neuroblastoma – Availability in the UAE - Dr. Mohammed Al Nuaimi, UAE	08:40 – 09:30 Anemia in Children – How to Approach? - Dr. Naima Almulla, Qatar 09:30 – 09:55 Management of ITP - Dr. Omar Trad, UAE
09:05 – 09:30	Blinatumomab - Dr. Grace Nehme, UAE	
09:30 – 09:55	Recognition of Spinal Cord Compression and Initial Management - Dr. Mohammad Al Shahrani, KSA	
09:55 – 10:10	Q & A Panel Discussion	
10:10 – 10:25	Coffee Break	

SESSION 6	Hematology-Oncology Track Chairs: Dr. Vikas Dua, India Dr. Ammar Morad, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Sumayah Yousif Alnuaimi, UAE Dr. Shwetha Vernekar, UAE
10:25 - 10:50	LCH: 2023 update - Dr. Michael Grimley, USA	Macrophage Activation Syndrome (MAS) - Dr. Kamran Mahmoud, UAE
10:50 - 11:15	Measurable residual disease in B ALL - Dr. Rakesh Shah, UAE	Abdominal mass In children Possibilities How general Pediatric should approach Dr. Naveed Ahmad, KSA
11:15 - 11:40	Impact of the First Generation of COG Trials on the Clinical Practice for Wilms Tumor - Dr. Jeffrey Dome, USA	How to approach microcytic hypochromic anemia according to interpretation of CBC: Case Scenarios - Prof. Mehran Karimi, UAE
11:40 – 12:05	Brain Tumor physiology and impact for delivery - Dr. Peter Warnke, USA	Coagulation disorders - Case Scenarios - Dr. Najam Awan, UAE
12:05 - 12:20	Q & A Panel Discussion	
12:20 - 13:20	Lunch Break Poster Presentation & Viewing	

13:20 – 13:50	SYMPOSIUM 3 - CSL BEHRING: Advances in Managing Hemophilia B Chair: Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE Speaker: Dr. Mohammad Fahed Abdullah, UAE
13:50 – 14:20	SYMPOSIUM 4 - SOBI: Real World Experience with rFIX Fc in Patients with Severe Hemophilia B. Chair: Dr. Mohammad Fahed Abdullah, UAE Speaker: Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE
14:20 – 14:50	SYMPOSIUM 5 - NOVO NORDISK: Refixia®: A State of the Art, Extended Half-Life rFIX for the Management of Haemophilia B Chair: Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khanani, UAE Speaker: Dr. Naser Al Zein, UAE

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SESSION 7	Hematology-Oncology Track (ORAL PRESENTATION) Chairs: Dr. Hassan Batis, KSA; Prof. Mehran Karimi, UAE	General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Dinesh Banur, UAE Dr. Said Eldeib, UAE
14:50 – 15:50 (10 mins each)	6. Enhancing logistic support during chemotherapy to non-local children with cancer and their families through home away from home program – Dr. Vasudeva Bhat K, India 7. Comparative study between outcome of 2 different protocols for classic hodgkin lymphoma – Dr. Reham Khedr, Egypt 8. Tumor lysis syndrome (TLS) – Prof. Alka Yadav, India 9. Clinical profile, multidisciplinary management and treatment outcomes of hepatoblastoma in children – single centre experience from a developing country – Dr. Vimal Kumar, India 10. Fetal haemoglobin augmentation by using thalidomide plus hydroxyurea for treatment of transfusion dependent beta thalassemia. – Dr. Syed Nasir Abbas Bukhari, Pakistan 11. Ancillary role of total parenteral nutrition in rescuing pediatric oncology patients from therapy related complications at tertiary care center from western India – Dr. Trupti Dhabale, India	14:50 – 15:15 Bone marrow transplantation, what general pediatric need to know – Dr. Zainul Aabideen, UAE 15:15 – 15:40 Management of Sickle cell disease – Dr. Bushra Mohammed Garallah Al Fugair, UAE
15:50 – 16:00	Q & A Panel Discussion	15:40 – 15:50 Q & A Panel Discussion
16:00 – 16:10	Coffee Break	15:50 – 16:00 Coffee Break
SESSION 8	Hematology-Oncology Track (ORAL PRESENTATION) Chairs: Dr. Ibrahim Al-Ghaithi, Oman; Dr. Naveed Ahmad, KSA	SESSION 8 General Pediatrics Track Chairs: Dr. Krish Venkatesh, UAE; Dr. Wael Abdelaal, UAE
16:10 – 17:10 (10 mins each)	12. First psycho-oncology training program at borg al arab university hospital bauh, alexandria pediatric oncology charity apoc – Dr. Manal Elewah, Egypt 13. Treatment and long-term follow-up of children with chronic myeloid leukemia (CML) in chronic phase (CP): experience from the tata memorial hospital (TMH) pediatric cml (pcml) cohort over 2 decades. – Dr. Nirmalya Roy Moulik, India 14. Pulmonary vortex formation by bedside echocardiography as an early indicator of pulmonar vasculopathy in sickle cell disease patients – Prof. Antoine Abdelmassih Abdelmassih, Egypt 15. Compliance with antibiotic guidelines used in febrile neutropenia among paediatrics haematological malignancy: are we biased to follow standard guidelines in low-middle income countries? – Prof. Kashif Ali, Pakistan 16. Is there a role for high-dose chemotherapy (HDCT) with autologous hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (AH SCT) in high-risk neuroblastoma in resource-limited settings? – Dr. Venkatakrishnan Kritthivasan, India 17. Road to diagnosis of retinoblastoma –need to create awareness for early diagnosis. Experience from a developing country – Dr. Nidarshana Pandian, India	16:00 – 16:25 Management of Sickle Cell Disease in Pediatric outpatient clinic – Dr. Ibrahim Alghaithi, Oman 16:25 – 16:50 Iron Resistant Iron Deficiency Anemia – Dr. Eugene Khandros, USA 16:50 – 17:15 How do general pediatricians play key stones role in HLH outcome Dr. Hassan Batis, KSA
17:10 – 17:20	Q & A Panel Discussion	17:15 – 17:30 Q & A Panel Discussion
17:20	Closing Remarks / End of Conference	17:30 Closing Remarks / End of Conference