

“Asthma in Children Workshop”

Thursday 31st, October 2019. Basra Medical College- Physiology Department



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Dr. Salman Mroueh graduated from the American University of Beirut Faculty of Medicine in 1982. He completed his residency training in Pediatrics at Georgetown University Hospital then a fellowship in Pediatric Pulmonary Diseases at Duke University Medical Center. He is certified by the American Board of Pediatrics and its Subboard of Pediatric Pulmonology. He is currently Professor and Vice-chair for Education at the Department of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine at the American University of Beirut. He is a former president of the Lebanese Pediatric Society and of the Union of Arab Pediatric Societies and vice-president of the Pediatric Council of the Arab Board of Health Specialties.

- **Why this workshop is important?**

Asthma is the most common disease in childhood. Pediatricians should be familiar with the epidemiology, risk factors, diagnosis and management of this disease, as well as the various modalities used in treatment.

- **What this workshop will focus on?**

All of the above, with special emphasis on the local epidemiology and risk factors. The workshop will also include hand on demonstration of the various inhalation devices used for the treatment of asthma.

- **Who will attend?**

General pediatricians from the community.

Time	Activity
9.00-9.15 A.M.	Registration
9.15-9.25 A.M.	Welcome
9.25-10.20 A.M.	Asthma Overview
10.20-11.00 A.M.	Risk Factors for Childhood Asthma
11.00-11.15 A.M.	Short break for refreshment
11.15-11.35 A.M.	Diagnosis of Asthma
11.35-12.15 P.M.	Management of Asthma
12.15-1.15 P.M.	Inhaled Therapy
Closing: certificate delivery, group photo and workshop assessment by participants	

- ▶ **Tutor: Salman Mroueh (Lebanon)**
- ▶ **Facilitator: Ammar Kheir (Lebanon)**
- ▶ **Coordinator: Assim Kh. Alchalabi (Iraq)**
- ▶ **Maximum number of candidates is 20**
- ▶ **Registration fees: USD 100**