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- Sep 2003 – present* **Senior Consultant Ped Endocrinology**
Hamad Medical Corporation, Department of Pediatrics (Hamad General Hospital)
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- Sep 1998 – Sep 2018* **Professor (Full)**
Alexandria University, Department of Pediatrics
Alexandria, Egypt
Professor of Pediatrics and Endocrinology, ElChatby Children Hospital, University of Alexandria Alexandria Egypt
- Sep 2006 – present* **Professor of Clinical Pediatrics**
Weill Cornell Medical College in Qatar, Pediatrics
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- Jan 1991 – May 1996* **Head Ped Endocrinology Division**
The Royal Hospital, Pediatrics
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Statistics

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Publications 646

Reads 80,447

Citations 2760

Skills & Activities

<i>Skills</i>	Pediatric Endocrinology, Clinical Trials in Pediatrics, growth GH - IGF-I axis, Growth Hormone, Puberty, Diabetes Mellitus, Diabetes, Thyroid, Clinical Endocrinology, Thyroid Diseases, Adolescent Medicine, Calcium, Iron, Growth, Beta-Thalassemia, Vitamin D, Screening, Bone, Adolescent Mental Health, Pancreatectomy, Neurodevelopmental Disorders, Adolescent Health, ALP, Endocrinology, RIA, Metabolism, Insulin Resistance, Blood Transfusion, Femur, Tissue, Nutrition, Metabolic Endocrinology, Glucose Metabolism, Lipid Metabolism, Hypertension, Glucose Measurement, Molecular Endocrinology, Osteoporosis, Amino Acids, Hip, Knee, Malnutrition, Anthropometric Measurements, Androgens, Vitamin D Deficiency, Glutamine, Testosterone, Cystic Fibrosis, Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus, Leptin, Allergy, Glucose, Hematology, Glycation, Blood Glucose, Red Blood Cells, Asthma, Statistics, Medical & Health Profession Education, Insulin, Team Working, Fatty Liver, Pituitary Gland, Sputum, Insulin Signaling, Metabolic Diseases, Osteoclast, Osteoblasts, Vitamin K, Calcium Homeostasis, Endometriosis, Women's Health, Abdominal Obesity
<i>Languages</i>	Arabic, English
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Publication Highlights

Books

Mona Elgamal, Maryam Alali, Mahmoud Alzyoud, Ashraf Soliman, Fawzia Alkhalfaf, Noora Alhumaidi, Ahmed Elawwa, Nagwa Elsayed, Zeinab Gholom: *Diabetes Mellitus Manual - Arabic version - For patients Education*. First edition edited by Hamad Medical Corporation Pediatric Diabetology Division and Qatar Diabetes Association, 11/2012; Renoda Modern Printing Press., ISBN: none

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Mohamed Yassin, Ashraf T Soliman, Vincenzo De Sanctis, Abbas Moustafa, Sandra Abou Samaan, Abdulqadir Nashwan: *A Young Adult with Unintended Acute Intravenous Iron Intoxication Treated with Oral Chelation: The Use of Liver Ferriscan for Diagnosing and Monitoring Tissue Iron Load*. Mediterranean Journal of Hematology and Infectious Diseases 01/2017; 9.

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