

THE FIRST IRAQI EPILEPSY CONFERENCE

Babylon Rotana Hotel-Baghdad





December 1st & 2nd, 2023

Day 1

Session I:

Chairperson






Akram Al Mehdawi / Nameer Al Talib / Bassim Al Shimary

Time	Topic	Speaker
09:00-09:30	OPENING	
09:30-09:50	Achieving Remissions in IGE: an Egyptian study	Hassan Hosney 
09:50-10:10	Managing Dual Challenges: MS and Epilepsy insights	Adnan Al Arajy 
10:10-10:30	Reflex Epilepsy	Mohammed Abdil-Sattar 
10:30-10:50	Video Semiology of Epilepsy Mimics in Childhood	Haider Ali 
10:50-11:10	Break	

Session II:

Chairperson

Hassan Hosney / Sajid Al Hussaini / Maher Mahdi Salih

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:10-11:40	The Application of Precision Medicine in Drugs Treatment	Emilio Perucca 
11:40-12:00	Personalization of Anti-Seizure Medications	Ghaeib Aljandeeel 
12:00-12:20	IEM & Early Onset Epilepsy	Adel Abduellah 
12:20-12:40	The Role of Brain MRI in SE	Noor Kadhim 
12:40-13:00	How to recognize NCSE in the ICU: Clinical and Neurophysiological Study	Boulenouar Mesraoua 
13:00-14:00	Lunch	

Session III: DEE






Chairperson

Ali Al Shalchi / Mutaaz Fayrouz / Nawfal Madhi

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14:00-14:20	Epileptic Encephalopathy and Genetics	Chahnez Triki 
14:20-14:40	Encephalopathic Epilepsy in our Daily practice	Hayder Hasson 
14:40-15:00	Epileptic Encephalopathy	Raidah Al-Baradie 
15:00-15:20	Autoimmune Epilepsy	Hula Raof 
15:20-15:35	Lacomide Trending Story	Bahaa A. Hassan 
15:35-15:50	Break	

Session IV:

Chairperson

Chahnez Triki / Kareem Al Tamimi / Fatima Zahid

Time	Topic	Speaker
15:50-16:10	Neurodegenerative Disorders and Epilepsy	Ehsan Al Shimary 
16:10-16:30	Psychiatric Manifestations Among PWE in Daily Practice	Mohammed Al Qurashi 
16:30-16:50	Novel seizure semiology- case report	Mustafa Al Shahni 
16:50-17:10	The Correlation Between EEG Findings & TRPV ₁ Receptors in Adults with First Unprovoked Seizure	Ahmed Salim 

First Day Closing Remarks

Day 2

Session V:











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Najib Kissani / Haider Al Maliki / Safaa Al Shimmary

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09:00-09:20	Epilepsy Surgery: Advanced Technology and Brain Mapping	Faisal Otaibi 
09:20-09:40	Ictal and Inter-ictal Electrical Source Localization in Presurgical Evaluation of PWE	Ahmed  Tahseen 
09:40-10:00	Epilepsy Surgery in Marrakech and Morocco: Situation and Challenges	Badr Al Draï 
10:00-10:20	Clinical and Molecular Profile of Infantile-onset Pharmaco-Resistant Epilepsy in Iraqi Children	Nebal Wail  
10:20-10:40	The Role of Brain Molecular Imaging by Use of SPECT, FDG-PET, and Non FDG-PET Radiotracers in Epilepsy	Haider  Mohsen 
10:40-11:00	The Way Forward, Intractable Epilepsy	Haider Ali  
11:00-11:30	Break	

Session VI:

Chairperson







Hassan Al Hamdani / Husham Al Haddad / Wamidh Issam

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11:30-11:50	Telemedicine in Epilepsy: Moroccan, MENA & African Experience	Najib Kissani 
11:50-12:10	SUDEP & Epilepsy Related Mortality	Khaldoon Al-Hafidh 
12:10-12:30	The Rate of ASMs Nonadherence Among PWE	Zana Omar 
12:30-12:50	Challenges in Management of Epilepsy in Resource-poor Countries (Iraq)	Asaad Ghanim 
12:50-13:10	Inter-ictal Autonomic Dysfunction in PWE	Kanar Kareem 
13:10-13:40	IGAP, Where We Are?	Helen Cross 
13:40-14:40	Lunch	

Closing Remarks