

1st ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE INTERNATIONAL MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA CONFERENCE

SCIENCE AND CARE IN ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE: A CULTURAL PERSPECTIVE



28-29 November 2012 Cairo, Egypt

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Dear Colleagues,

Alzheimer's Disease International (ADI) in conjunction with the Alzheimer Society of Egypt is delighted to invite you to 1st Middle East and North Africa conference in Cairo, Egypt from 28-29 November 2012. The conference will be held at the InterContinental Hotel in the City Stars complex, in close proximity to the airport.

This conference will bring together clinicians and scientists, family and professional carers, people with dementia and staff and volunteers of Alzheimer associations and will provide an opportunity to network and share important research to help make a difference to those affected by dementia. With reduced registration rates for people living in Egypt, lower and middle income countries, students, family carers and people with dementia it is a must attend for all with an interest in dementia. Register by 5 October to benefit from our early bird registration fee. www.adicairo2012.org/registration

Under the theme of "Science and Care in Alzheimer's Disease: A Cultural Perspective" this inaugural conference has an exciting programme that will see world and regional dementia experts share their knowledge and challenge the perceptions of dementia.

Robert Friedland, Professor of Neurology at Louisville School of Medicine in the USA, will discuss the latest research on the issue of prevention and risk factors in dementia. Dementia has a huge impact on carers and Dr Nori Graham, old age psychiatrist and Honorary Vice President of ADI, will highlight best practices in care for both professional and family carers. Diane Mansour, Founder and President of Alzheimer's Association Lebanon, and Professor Abdel Moneim Ashour, head of psychogeriatrics at Ain Shams University and Founder and President of the Alzheimer's Society of Egypt, will address issues and solutions culturally specific to the Middle East and North Africa region.

In April 2012 the World Health Organization launched the report "Dementia: a public health priority" providing the most authoritative overview of the impact of dementia worldwide. The conference will address the topic of the global impact of the disease and the need for dementia to be a global, regional and national priority.

There are more than 36 million people currently living with dementia around the world and this figure is set to double every 20 years. In the Middle East and North Africa region there are over 1.15 million people living with dementia and by 2050 the expected increase is 438%.

Marc Wortmann, Executive Director of ADI, says "In the next 50 years the Middle East and North Africa region will

see one of the largest increases of people living with dementia. We must act now to raise awareness of dementia and combat the stigma associated with it. It is essential that we come together to share knowledge and skills to improve the lives of those living with the disease and their families."

We look forward to welcoming you to Cairo for the 1st Middle East and North Africa Alzheimer's Disease International conference!

Registration Important Dates

Early bird deadline: Friday 5 October 2012

Advanced registration deadline: Friday 16 November 2012

For further information on registration rates please visit our conference website at www.adicairo2012.org. For any queries regarding registration please contact Kirstin Blakey at adicairo2012@mci-group.com.

Please click here to register for this exciting conference.

<https://b-com.mci-group.com/Registration/12ADICAI.aspx>

We would also like to remind you that the abstract submission system is still open and will close on **10 August 2012**.

Abstract Topics

- Dementia Diagnosis
- New and Future Treatments
- Dementia Prevention and Risk Factors
- Non-pharmacological Interventions
- Quality of Life
- Person Centred Care
- Support and Training for Informal and Professional Carers
- Educating and Training of Medical Professionals

For any questions regarding abstract submission please contact Jane Cziborra at abstracts@alz.co.uk.

For any questions regarding the conference please contact the conference secretariat at adicairo2012@mci-group.com.

With best wishes

The ADI Middle East Conference Secretariat

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Scientific Programme

Wednesday 28 November 2012 (by invitation only)

14:00 - 18:00	Registration Location: Level - 2
14:00 - 15:00	Middle East and North African Alzheimer Association Business Meeting Location: Mamouniah, Level - 3
15:00 - 15:30	Break Location: Mamouniah, Level - 3
15:30 - 16:30	Advocacy & Working with the World Health Organization (WHO) Location: Mamouniah, Level - 3
16:30 - 17:30	Alzheimer Associations Country Presentations Location: Mamouniah, Level - 3

Thursday 29 November 2012

07:45 - 18:00	Registration Location: Level - 2
08:45 - 09:45	Workshop Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2
10:00 - 10:30	Opening Ceremony Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2 Alzheimer's Society of Egypt Representative Minister of Health Marc Wortmann (UK) Person with Dementia (Egypt)
10:30 - 11:00	Plenary Session 1 Global Impact of Dementia Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2 10:30 - 10:45 Dr Khalid Saeed (Egypt) 10:45 - 11:00 Marc Wortmann (UK)
11:00 - 11:30	Morning Coffee Break Location: Lower Lobby
11:30 - 12:45	Plenary Session 2 Caring for People with Dementia Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2 11:30 - 11:55 Dr Nori Graham (UK) Quality Care: Informed Kindness 11:55 - 12:20 Diane Mansour (Lebanon) Middle East Culture and Care 12:20 - 12:45 Prof Ashour Abdelmoniem (Egypt) Middle East Religion and Care of People with Dementia
12:45 - 14:00	Lunch Break Location: Fayruz, Level - 2
12:45 - 14:00	Poster Viewing Location: Level - 1
14:00 - 15:30	Parallel Session 1 Dementia Care Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2
14:00 - 14:15	Maissa Eid Mohamed Afifi (Egypt) Educational Intervention for Caregivers of Alzheimer's Dementia Patients in Egypt OC01
14:15 - 14:30	Amira G. Eltaliawi (Egypt) Caregiving in Different Religions and Cultures OC02
14:30 - 14:45	Shereen Moustafa Mousa (Egypt) Evaluating Knowledge of Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease among Egyptians OC03
14:45 - 15:00	Sarah Ahmed Amin Hamza (Egypt) Dementia Care Integration in Geriatric Medicine Training in Egypt OC04
15:00 - 15:15	Yosr Hizem (Tunisia) Evaluation of Insomnia in Patients with Dementia OC05
15:15 - 15:30	Doaa Hamed Hewedi (Egypt) Quality of Life of Alzheimer's Disease Patients in Egypt OC06

15:30 - 16:00	Afternoon Coffee Break Location: Lower Lobby		
16:00 - 16:50	Plenary Session 3 Research Developments in Dementia Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2		
16:00 - 16:25	Dr Nasser Loza (Egypt)	Diagnosis and Treatment of Dementia	
16:25 - 16:50	Dr Robert Friedland (USA)	Prevention and Risk Factors in Dementia	
16:50 - 18:20	Parallel Session 2 Dementia Research Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2		
16:50 - 17:05	Mohamed Makrelouf (Algeria)	Association of Apolipoprotein E Genotypes with Dementia of the Alzheimer Type among Algerian Population	OC07
17:05 - 17:20	Nivert Zaki Hashem (Egypt)	A Comparative Study between Patients with Alzheimer's Disease with and without Diabetes Mellitus in an Egyptian Sample	OC08
17:20 - 17:35	Yosr Hizem (Tunisia)	Early Onset Dementia: a Tunisian Cohort Study	OC09
17:35 - 17:50	Mohammad Arbabi (Iran)	Evaluation of Underlying Psychological Conditions in Patients with Memory Complaints	OC10
17:50 - 18:05	Hala S. Sweed (Egypt)	Clock-Drawing Testing and Diffusion Tensor Imaging among Vascular Dementia Versus Alzheimer's Disease	OC11
18:05 - 18:20	Tomader Taha Abdel Rahman (Egypt)	Central Auditory Processing in Elderly with Mild Cognitive Impairment	OC12
18:20 - 18:30	Closing Remarks Location: Al Hambra, Level - 2 Alzheimer Society of Egypt Representative Marc Wortmann (UK)		

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