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Academic degree:

MD, Arab Board of Community Medicine (ABCM)

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- Coordinator of Scientific Research at Faculty of Medicine and Human Science
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Biography:

I'm specialist in Community Medicine and was graduated from the Medical faculty of Istanbul University in 1999. I worked at the Palestinian MOH's Primary and Secondary Health Care Facilities for 4 years. In Nov 2005 was awarded an Arab Board scholarship in Community Medicine from the Qatar Red Crescent (QRC). I worked for one year (2010) as a Community Medicine specialist at the Non-communicable and Communicable Diseases Departments and part time trainer in the Community Medicine Training Program at Qatar Supreme Council of Health (SQH). Attended ANU since Jan 2011, and currently working as Assistant Professor in Community Medicine, Coordinator of Scientific Research at Faculty of Medicine and Human Science, and Head of An-Najah Child Institute Project.



Teaching courses:

Postgraduates

- Research Methodology
- Epidemiology of Non-communicable Diseases
- Epidemiology of Communicable Diseases
- Public Health
- Applied Epidemiology
- Health Promotion

Undergraduates

- Research Methodology
- Basic Epidemiology
- Nutrition Related Disorders
- Biostatistics
- Public Health

Supervisor on Research projects for both graduate and undergraduate students

Research interests:

- Primary Health Care
- Epidemiology of Communicable Diseases
- Epidemiology of non-Communicable Diseases

Publications:

- Pandemic Influenza A/H1N1 Vaccination Uptake among Health Care Workers in Qatar: Motivators and Barriers. Qatar 2010. (*Published at Vaccine Journal*, Corresponding author)
- Measles surveillance in Qatar, 2008: Physicians' knowledge and practices and support received. (*Published at the Eastern Mediterranean Journal*, First and Corresponding author).
- Measles surveillance in Qatar, 2008: Quality of surveillance data and timeliness of notification. (*Published at the Eastern Mediterranean Journal*, First and Corresponding author).
- Epidemiology of measles outbreaks in Qatar in 2007. (*Published at the Eastern Mediterranean Journal*).