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Agenda

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Message from the President

DEAR COLLEAGUES

Health is now widely acknowledged as having both a physical and mental health dimension. Indeed, as far back as 1948, WHO's constitution recognized health as state of complete physical, mental and social well-being, and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity' and the Slogan ***No Health Without Mental Health*** was adopted. Despite this, many healthcare systems in countries around the world focus on physical care, failing to providemental healthcare to their populations.Mental disorders are extremely prevalent in all countries and are responsible for immense suffering, poor quality of life, increased mortality and staggering economic and social costs.As such they cannot continue to be ignored. Mental health is essential to improving overall health outcomes across the lifespan. Integrated care is a general term for any attempt to fully or partially blend behavioral health services with general and/or specialty medical services.The benefits of integrating mental health into primary healthcare are significant On the one hand, integration ensures that the population as a whole has access to the mental healthcare that they need early in the course of disorders and without disruption. On the other hand, when people receive treatment in primary healthcare facilities the likelihood of better health outcomes, and even full recovery, as well as maintained social integration is increased. Psychiatrists in leadership roles can also play an importantrole in promoting better physical health for patients. Medical directors of community mental health centers or behavioral health homes should establish protocols and monitor outcomes for their medical staff.

In our conference we shall discuss the current and swiftly changing state of integrating mental health in medical services. Specifically, we shall highlight the current unmet needs for assessment, treatment, and care integration; and describe some of the challenges and some new directions for innovations in this field.

We shall suggest guidance for clinicians to integrate mental and physical care in their work and to provide responsible and useful advice to their patients.Nationally and internationally experts in the field of psychiatry and other medical specialties are invited to encourage share in our conference to exchange of knowledge, experience and best practice.

We hope that this meeting will be of great benefit to all participants. We also hope and trust that you will enjoy our scientific contents and social activities.

We are looking forward to WELCOME

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Main Topics

- Psychiatry as a subspecialty of medicine
- Integration of psychiatry in primary health care
- General hospital psychiatry
- Medical aspects of psychiatry
- Psychiatric aspects of medicine
- Interface between psychiatry and other medical specialties
- Recent advances in management of psychiatric disorders
- Psychotherapy as a medical intervention
- Addiction as a chronic medical disorder
- Updates in the management of difficult to treat psychiatric disorders
- Child and adolescent psychiatry from a medical perspective

General Information

📍 Meeting Rooms Locations @ InterContinental Semiramis Hotel

Hall A	Floor 2 (Cleopatra Meeting Room -> Blue Nile)
Hall B	Floor 2 (Cleopatra Meeting Room -> Kahramana)
Hall C	Floor M (Pavilion)

📝 Registration

Opens: 8:00 AM

Location: Cleopatra Meeting Room (Morgana & White Nile)

☕ Coffee Breaks & 🍽 Meals

Day1	**Coffee Break:** 2:00 – 2:30 PM | **Gala Dinner:** 8:30 PM (by invitation)
Day2	**Coffee Break:** 12:00 – 12:30 PM – **Lunch:** 5:30 PM

🏅 CME Certificate of Attendance

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Non-Egyptians: 50 USD

⚠️ IMPORTANT NOTE ⚠️

Training courses require separate registration.

Wednesday, 15 April 2026

Time	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
8:00 – 10:00	Registration		
10:00 –11:00	**DEBATE (1)** Does women speak differently? One Recovery Model or Gender-Specific Care in Substance Use disorder treatment? CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Soheir Elghonimy (ASU) • Prof. Dalia Eneba (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKERS **Prof. Samir Abo Elmagd** *(Cairo Univ.)* **Prof. Rania Mamdouh** *(Cairo Univ.)*	**SESSION 1** Updated Practice in psychiatry CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Reda Isamael (Azhar) • Prof. Marwa El Missiry (ASU) SPEAKERS **Prof. Shewikar El-Bakry** *(Benha)* Balancing Brains and Performance, Psychiatric Medications in Sport **Prof. Mona Elbilsha** *(Mansoura Univ.)* Integration of Mental Health in Primary Health Care **Dr. Alaa Farghaly** *(Baylor College)* Understanding self injurious behaviour	**WORKSHOP 1** Bridging the Gap: Essential Psychiatry for Gynecologic and Obstetric Practice CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Hanan El Shenawy (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Amira Elbatrawy (ASU) SPEAKER **Prof. Ibrahem Hamdey Rashed** *(Mansoura Univ.)*
11:00 - 11:30	**OPENING CEREMONY**		

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Time	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
11:30 - 12:00	**PLENARY LECTURE** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Afaf Hamed (ASU) • Prof. Hisham Ramy (ASU) • Prof. Hany Hamed (Bani Suef Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Momtaz Abdelwahab** *Congress President* Bridging the gap from tradition to innovation in psychiatry		
12:00 - 1:00	**SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM** (Janssen) CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdelwahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Maha Sayed (ASU) SPEAKERS **Prof. Hanan El Shinawy** *(Cairo Univ.)* Breaking the Relapse Cycle: Modern Strategies for Sustained Recovery **Prof. Abdel Nasser Omar** *(ASU)* From despair to rapid response; the new era of anti-depressants	**WORKSHOP 2** Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Insomnia (CBT-I) CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Ola Shaheen (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Nahla Nagy (ASU) SPEAKER **Prof. Mohamed El Mahdi** *(Azhar Univ.)*	**TRAINING COURSE 1** Sexuality and Sexual disorders WPA Co-Sponsored Course by section on Sexuality and Psychiatry CHAIRPERSONS • Dr. Radwa Said Abdelazim Elfeqi, (Egypt). • Dr. Debanjan Banerjee (India) SPEAKER **Dr. Debanjan Banerjee** *(India)* Introduction and answer assessment questionnaire **Dr. Radwa Said Abdelazim** *(Egypt)* Sexuality versus intimacy

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Time	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
1:00 - 2:00	**SATELLITE SYMPOSIUM** **Biomid** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdelwahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Afaf Hamed (ASU) SPEAKERS **Prof. Maha Sayed** *(ASU)* Updates in the diagnosis and management of depression in Adolescents: the role of Fluvoxamine **Prof. Mohamed Nasreldin** *(Cairo Univ.)* Updates in the management of first episode schizophrenia	**WORKSHOP 3** How to Use Free Association in Psychotherapy CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mahmoud Hamoda (Azhar) • Prof. Mohamed Ramadan (Azhar) SPEAKER **Prof. Taghreed Elshafie** *(Alzhar Univ.)*	**Dr. Filippo Nimbi | Marta Perugo** *(Italy)* New terminology **Prof. TSS Rao** *(India)* New terminology **Prof. Hamed Abdullah** *(Egypt)* Male sexual disorders **Aleksandra Plewka** *(Poland)* BDSM spectrum **Dr. Radwa Said Abdelazim** *(Egypt)* Sexuality and co-morbidities including cancer **Dr. Adarsh Tripathi** *(India)* Sexuality and Psychopharmacology **Dr. Soumyo Chatterjee** *(India)* Sexuality and substance use **Dr. Radwa Said Abdelazim** *(Egypt)* Assessment (individual, couple) **Dr. Debanjan Banerjee** *(India)* Preliminary management
2:00 – 2:30	Coffee Break		COURSE CONTINUED

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2:30 – 3:00	**KEYNOTE LECTURE (1)** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdel Wahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Hany Hamed (Bani Suef Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Hisham Ramy** *(ASU)* Brain Imaging and Psychiatry: The Untold Story	**SYMPOSIUM (1)** Child Psychiatry Updates CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Ola Shaheen (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Maha Sayed (ASU) SPEAKERS Diabetes Mellitus, obesity and eating disorders in children: the role of child liaison psychiatry **Prof. Maha Sayed** *(ASU)* Liaison child psychiatry : Early detection and prevention **Prof. Heba Essawy** *(ASU)* Beyond Blood Sugar: Eating Disorders in children with diabetes **Prof. Mona Rashad** *(ASU)* Pediatric management of eating disorders	**COURSE CONTINUED**
3:00 – 3:30	**SATELLITE LECTURE** Delta Pharma CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdelwahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Hisham Ramy (ASU) SPEAKER **Prof. Afaf Hamed** *(ASU)* "Optimizing antidepressants choice: where does vortioxetine fit?"		

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3:30 – 4:00	**KEYNOTE LECTURE (2)** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Hossam El Sawy (Tanta) • Prof. Mohamed Nasreldin (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Hani Hamed** *(Bani Suef Univ.)* Depression and cognition	**SYMPOSIUM 2** Child Psychiatry Updates CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Soad Mousa (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Mahmoud El Wassify (Mansoura Univ.) SPEAKERS **Prof. Mahmoud Elwasify** *(Mansoura Univ.)* ADHD across life span; revisiting the challenges **Prof. Reda Ismail** *(Azhar Univ.)* Aggressive behavior among children **Prof. Marwa El Missiry** *(ASU)* From School yards to screens: bulling cyberbullying and psychiatric outcomes	**WORKSHOP 4** Art Psychotherapy & Psychodrama العلاج بالفن CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mohamed El Fiky (Armed Forces) SPEAKERS **Prof. Mohamed El Fiky** *(Armed Forces)* **Dr. Manal Elewa** *(Alex. Univ.)* **Dr. Sherin Elgallab** *(Alex. Univ.)*
4:00 – 4:30	**KEYNOTE LECTURE (3)** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Hossam El Sawy (Tanta Univ) • General Dr. Ehab El Baz (Armed Forces) • Prof. Mostafa Elsaadany (Alex Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Tarek Molokhia** *(Alex Univ.)* New Mechanism, New Hopes in Psychiatry		

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4:30 – 5:30	**DEBATE (2)** Antidepressant: Lifesaving tool or over Prescribing Placebo CHAIRPERSONS • General Dr. Ehab El Baz (Armed Forces) • Prof. Lamiaa El Hamrawy (Menoufia Univ.) SPEAKERS Prof. Mohamed Elmahdi *(Azhar Univ.)* Prof. Mahmoud Elwasify *(Mansoura Univ.)*	**SESSION 2** Important Topics in Psychiatry 1 CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Wageh Abdel Nasser (Assiut Univ.) • Prof. Mai Eissa (Tanta Univ.) SPEAKERS Prof. Mohamed Elsheikh *(Azhar Univ.)* Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 (GLP-1): small hormone, big impact. Prof. Alaa Darwish *(Azhar Univ.)* Biomarkers in psychiatric disorders: myth or true Prof. Mohamed Gamal *(Azhar Univ.)* The relationship between your heart and your brain is much more than a simple "boss and employee" dynamic	**WORKSHOP 5** Metacognitive Therapy: The Third Wave of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Salwa Tobar (Mansoura) • Prof. Alaa Darwesh (Assiut Univ.) SPEAKER Prof. Hanan Elrassas *(ASU)*

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Time	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
5:30 – 6:30	**SESSION 3 - Panel Discussion 1** What Must not be lost While Psychiatry Transforms PANEL Prof. Mona El Rakhawy (Cairo Univ.) Prof. Mohamed Nasreldin (Cairo Univ.) Prof. Tarek Molokhia (Alexandria Univ.)	**WORKSHOP 6** Evolutionary Non-Pharmacological Strategies in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Aref Khowailed (Cairo Univ.) • Dr. Mohamed Zohdy (MOH) • Prof. Mostafa Elsaadany (Alex Univ.) SPEAKERS Prof. Soha Ghobashy (Alex Univ) Prof. Heba Essam (Alex Univ) Dr. Aya Maged Hamza (Alex Univ) Dr. Amira Khaled (Alex Univ) Dr. Mariam Mohamady (Alex Univ.)	**WORKSHOP 7** Betting the Odds & Pressing Play: Unmasking Gambling and Gaming Disorder— From Causes to Care CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Osama Elkhouly (Alex Univ.) • Prof. Samir Abu Elmagd (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKERS Prof. Rania Mamdouh (Cairo Univ.) Prof. Dalia Enaba (Cairo Univ.)
6:30 – 7:30	**PANEL DISCUSSION 2** الطب النفسى والادب PANEL Prof. Mohamed El Makhzangy (Mansoura Univ.) Prof. Mohamed Elmahdi (Azhar Univ.) Prof. Mona Rakhawy (Cairo Univ.)		**WORKSHOP 8** Psychopharmacology for clinical practice CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Osama Elkhouly (Alex Univ.) • Prof. Nahla Nagi (ASU) SPEAKER Prof. Samir Abo Elmagd (Cairo Univ.)
8:30	Gala Dinner - Invitations only		

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9:00 – 10:00	**SESSION 4** **Hot Topics in Psychiatry**	**SESSION 5** **Important Topics in Psychiatry 2**	**WORKSHOP 9** **Psychopharmacology and novel approaches for Addiction Psychiatry**
	CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mohamed El Fiky (Armed Forces) • Prof. Noha Sabry (Cairo Univ.)	CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mahmoud Hamouda (Azhar) • Prof. Fatma Elsherif (Zagazig Univ.)	CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mohamed Ezzat Arafa (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Dalia Enaba (Cairo Univ.)
	SPEAKERS **GEN. Dr. Ehab Elbaz** *(Armed Forces)* Prognosis of Psychiatric Disorders **Dr. Mohamed El Tohamy** *(Armed Forces)* Prognosis of trauma and stress Related Disorders **Dr. Yasser El Ghazawy** *(Armed Forces)* Prognosis of mood disorders	SPEAKERS **Prof. Taghreed Elshafie** *(Azhar Univ.)* Industrial psychiatry, what lies beneath? **Prof. Ayman Elhusseiny** *(Azhar Univ.)* Obsessive compulsive disorder in the context of different psychiatric disorders: challenges in diagnosis and treatment **Prof. Ahmed Kamel** *(Azhar Univ.)* Challenges in Treating Women with Schizophrenia	SPEAKERS **Prof. Hamed Ekhtiary** *(WPA)* **Prof. Rania Mamdouh** *(Cairo Univ.)* **Dr. Radwa Said Abdelazim** *(Cairo Univ.)* Welcome notes and pre-assessment What Neuroscience can teach us in prescribing medications for addiction treatment Medications for Alcohol use disorders

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10:30 – 11:00	**KEYNOTE LECTURE (5)** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Abdel Nasser Omar (ASU) • Prof. Magda Fahmy (Suez Canal) SPEAKER **Prof. Tarek Okasha** *(ASU)* Obsessive Compulsive Disorder; An Egyptian Perspective		

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12:00 – 12:15	**SATELLITE LECTURE Rameda** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Ahmed Mobarak (Tanta Univ.) • Prof. Alaa Darwish (Assuit Univ.) SPEAKERS **Prof. Mai Eissa** *(Tanta Univ)* Unmet Needs in the management of depression		
12:15 – 12:30	Coffee Break		
12:30 – 1:00	**SATELLITE LECTURE Elixir** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdel Wahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Hany Hamed (Bani Suef Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Hisham Ramy** *(ASU)* Dopamine and Depression: The Untold Story	**SESSION 8** Nutrition in Psychiatry: The role of food in mental health CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Wageeh Abdel Nasser (Assuit Univ.) • Prof. Heba Fathy (Cairo Univ.) • Dr. Mohamed Zohdy (MOH) SPEAKERS **Prof. Alaa Darwish** *(Assiut Univ)* **Dr. Amira Moheb ElDin** *(Assiut Univ)* **Dr. Alya Osama Mohamed** *(Assiut Univ)*	**WORKSHOP 11** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Wafaa El Lethy (Suez Canal Univ.) • Prof. Lamiaa El Hamrawy (Menoufia Univ) • Prof. Nivert Zaki (ASU) SPEAKER **Prof. Hanan Elrassas** *(ASU)* Beyond "Social Thirst": Evaluating Loneliness as a Treatment Target

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1:00 – 1:30	**SATELLITE LECTURE** Otsuka CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdelwahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Tarek Okasha (ASU) SPEAKER Prof. Hani Hamed *(Bani Suef Univ.)* Updates in Schizophrenia	**SESSION 8 CONTINUED**	**WORKSHOP 11 CONTINUED**
1:30 – 2:00	**SATELLITE LECTURE** Hikma CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdel Wahab • (Cairo Univ.) • Mohamed Nasreldin (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKER Prof. Mahmoud El Wassify *(Mansoura)* D3 receptors: secrets and beyond	**SESSION 9** Contemporary Challenges in Addiction CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Nahla Nagi (ASU) • Prof. Dalia Eneba (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKERS Prof. Nahla Nagy *(ASU)* Borderline personality disorder; biology and clinical implications Prof. Soheir El Ghonemy *(ASU)* Bridging gaps in SUD prevention and care Prof. Mahmoud El Hbaibi *(ASU)* Harm Reduction Techniques Dr. Tawfeek Mohamed *(ASU)* Addiction in Old Age	**WORKSHOP 12** More Than Memory: Using Cognitive Stimulation Therapy to Enhance Life in Dementia Care CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Osama Refaat (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Magda Fahmy (Suez Canal Univ) SPEAKERS Prof. Aliaa Adel Saleh *(Cairo Univ. Univ.)* Dr. Ola Osama Khalaf *(Cairo Univ. Univ.)*
2:00 – 2:30	**SATELLITE LECTURE** Zeta Pharma CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Momtaz Abdel Wahab (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Hany Hamed (Bani Suef Univ.) SPEAKER Prof. Mohamed Elwa "Anhedonia: Evidence-Based Insights into Mechanisms and Clinical Management"		

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3:00 – 3:30	**SATELLITE LECTURE** **Marcyrl** CHAIRPERSONS • Prof. Mohamed Nassreldin (Cairo Univ.) • Prof. Mohamed El Fiky (Armed Forces) SPEAKER **Prof. Mohamed Ezzat Arafa** *(Cairo Univ)* "Beyond Mood Improvement: The Role of Bupropion in Restoring Motivation, Activation, and Reward Processing."		
3:30 – 4:00	**SATELLITE LECTURE** **Abbott** CHAIRPERSONS Prof. Alaa Darwesh (Assuit Univ.) Prof. Heba Fathy (Cairo Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Taghreed Elshafie** *(Alzhar Univ.)* Role of Fluvoxamine in psychiatry	**SESSION 10 - FORUM** **اختيار شريك الحياة** SPEAKER **Prof. Ahmed Saad (ASU)** **Prof. Salwa Tobar (Mansoura Univ.)** **Prof. Haidy Hassan (Suez Canal)**	**WORKSHOP 15** CHAIRPERSONS Prof. Tarek Molokhia (Alex Univ.) Prof. Soha Gobashy (Alex Univ.) SPEAKER **Prof. Heba Essam** Child Consultation–Liaison Case scenario

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Time	Hall A	Hall B	Hall C
4:00 – 5:00	**PUBLIC SESSION** الصحة النفسية في العصر الرقمي SPEAKERS **Prof. Mohamed El Mahdy** *(Azhar Univ.)* **Prof. Osama Refaat** *(Cairo Univ.)* **Prof. Hanan Elshinawy** *(Cairo Univ.)* **Prof. Mahmoud Elwasify** *(Mansoura Univ.)*	**FORUM CONTINUED**	**WORKSHOP 15 CONTINUED**
5:00 – 5:30		**SESSION 11** Psychiatry and Other Specialties CHAIRPERSONS Prof. Wafaa El Lethy (Suez Canal Univ.) Prof. Fatma El Sherif (Zagazig Univ) SPEAKERS **Prof. Ibrahim Hamdy** *(Mansoura Univ.)* Mind and scalpel navigating psychiatric patient through surgical procedure **Dr. Dalia Asfour** *(Mansoura Univ.)* Infected and undetected: The dilemma of unmasking infections in psychiatric patients population **Dr. Ziad Elmezayen** *(Kafr El-Sheikh Univ. Hospitals)* Comparative Efficacy and Tolerability of KarXT (Xanomeline-Trospium) versus Atypical Antipsychotics	

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