

Curriculum Vitae

HALA WANNOUS

MD , AFSA , DIU

Pediatric Nephrologist



PERSONAL PARTICULARS and QUALIFICATIONS

Personal details:

First name: HALA

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Date and place of birth: March the 8th, 1975, Lattakia, Syria

Marital status: Married with 4 children

Husband's job: Surgeon

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Languages:

<i>Language</i>	<i>Spoken</i>	<i>written</i>
Arabic	Fluent	Fluent
English	Fluent	Fluent
French	Fluent	Fluent

Occupation:

- **Head of the Department of Pediatric Nephrology, Hemodialysis, and Kidney Transplantation at Children's University Hospital in Damascus since April 2019.**
- **Consultant in Pediatric Nephrology at Children's University Hospital, Damascus University since January 2011.**
- **Teacher-Faculty Member in Faculty of Medicine-Damascus University since January 2011.**
- **Associate Professor- Faculty Member in Faculty of Medicine – Damascus University since April 2018.**
- **Member of the Syrian Society of Nephrology and Hypertension since May 2012.**
- **Chairperson of the scientific committee of the Syrian Society of Nephrology and Hypertension since 2018.**
- **Member of the Syrian Society of Pediatrics since 2011.**
- **Member of the Pediatric Nephrology training program in the Syrian Ministry of Health since December 2014.**
- **Member of the Middle East Society for Organ Transplantation (MESOT) since January 2015.**
- **Member of International Society of Nephrology (ISN) since 2015.**
- **Member of the council of Farah Association for Child with kidney Disease since 2022.**
- **Member of International Paediatric Nephrology Association (IPNA)**

since March 2020.

- **Representative of the Syrian Society of Nephrology and Hypertension at the Middle East Regional Board of the International Society of Nephrology (ISN) since July 2023.**

Previous occupations:

- **Member of the scientific and legal committee for Kidney Transplantation in the Syrian Ministry of Higher Education between December 2012 and December 2014.**
- **Medical Director of Children's University Hospital in Damascus from October 2020 to October 2022.**

Qualifications:

1993:

Syrian Baccalaureate, scientific branch, Score: 226/260

1993 - 1999:

MD, Doctor of Medicine, and Mention: very good

Tishreen University, Syria

1999-2003:

Master Degree in Pediatrics from Damascus University, Children's University Hospital, Damascus, Syria

2007-2008:

AFSA (Attestation de Formation Specialisee Approfondie) in Pediatrics from Denis Diderot – Paris 7 University, Paris, France

2008-2010:

DIU (Diplome Inter-Universitaire) (SUBSPECIALITY) in Pediatric Nephrology from Rene Descartes - Paris 5 University, Paris, France

Experiences:

Under-graduation training hospital

Children's University Hospital – Damascus University, Damascus, Syria. Position: Pediatric resident, from September 1999 to October 2003.

Post-graduation experience

(After obtaining the degree of master in Pediatrics)

1- Pediatrician in PICU at Mubarak Al Kabir Hospital – Kuwait, from August 2004 to August 2006.

2- Assistant Pediatric Nephrologist in Trousseau University Hospital- Paris- France, Pediatric Nephrology Department, Pediatric Hemodialysis Unit, Pediatric Kidney Transplantation Unit, Research center, from October 2007 to December 2010.

**3- Children's University Hospital – Damascus University,
Damascus, Syria, since January 2011 until now.**

- **Consultant in Pediatric Nephrology**
- **In charge of department of Pediatric Nephrology.**
- **In charge of Pediatric Hemodialysis Unit.**
- **In charge of pediatric kidney transplantation.**

Publications:

1- Aortic stiffness in ESRD children before and after renal transplantation, original article published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, March 2010.

2- Polysaccharide pneumococcal vaccination of nephrotic children at disease onset-long-term data, published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, March 2010.

3- Protocol biopsies in pediatric renal transplant recipients on cyclosporine versus tacrolimus-based immunosuppression, original article published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, October 2012.

4- Even mild cases of paediatric Henoch-Schönlein purpura nephritis show significant long-term proteinuria, published in Acta Paediatrica, July 2014.

5- Clinicopathological Analysis of Kidney Diseases in University Children's Hospital in Damascus, published in Damascus University Journal for Medical Sciences, December 2019.

6- Outcomes of Children with Multicystic Dysplastic Kidney in University Children's Hospital in Damascus, published in Damascus University Journal for Medical Sciences, December 2020.

7- SUN-466 Outcomes of Children with Multicystic Dysplastic Kidney in University Children's Hospital in Damascus, published in Kidney International Reports, March 2020.

8- SUN-467 Clinicopathological Spectrum of Renal Biopsies in University Children's Hospital in Damascus, published in Kidney International Reports, March 2020.

9- Atypical Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome with Peripheral Gangrene and Homocysteinemia in a Child, published in Oxford Medical Case Reports, July 2020.

10- Molecular analysis of the AGXT gene in Syrian patients suspected with primary hyperoxaluria type 1, published in BMC Medical Genomics, June 2021.

11- Acute Kidney Injury in Children: Etiology, Clinical Manifestations and Outcomes in University Children's Hospital in Damascus, accepted for publication in Damascus University Journal for Medical Sciences, June 2021.

12- Urinary stone disease in Syrian children, original article published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, January 2023.

13- Primary hyperoxaluria type 1 in children: clinical and laboratory manifestations and outcome, original article published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, February 2023.

14- Idiopathic nephrotic syndrome in Syrian children: clinicopathological spectrum, treatment, and outcomes, original article published in Pediatric Nephrology Journal, April 2024.

15- WCN24-639 pediatric kidney transplantation at a singular medical facility in Syria: clinical perspectives, published in Kidney International Reports, April 2024.

16- Comparative analysis of pediatric pulmonary and extrapulmonary tuberculosis: A single-center retrospective cohort study in Syria, Research article published in Heliyon Journal, August 2024.