



The North Lebanon Pulmonary Diseases Society

Under the patronage of the

Lebanese Order of Physicians – Tripoli

In collaboration with

Beirut Arab University,

Would like to sincerely thank you for your
participation in its 7th Conference,

**“Pulmonary diseases: updates and
clinical management”**

Which will be held on 17 October 2026 at the

Beirut Arab University – Tripoli Campus.

3 CME



The conference will discuss the following topics:

PUBLIC SESSION

The Harmful Effects of Smoking and Ways to Quit.

09:30- 10:00

Environmental pollution and its impact on respiratory disease: focus on North Lebanon.

Speaker: Dr. Monzer Hamze

Moderator: Dr. Basma Chaarani

10:00 -10:25

Acute Bronchiolitis in Infants: diagnosis and management.

Speaker: Dr. Patricia Boustany

Moderator: Dr. Omar Bitar.

10:25 - 10:50

Symposium C.O.P.D. NOW (Astra-Zeneca)

Speaker: Dr. Hilmi Darwiche

Moderator: Dr. Samer Minkara

10:50 – 11.15



Lung Ultrasound in Pulmonary Diseases: clinical application and future perspective.

Speaker: Dr. Saïd Rahal

Moderator: Dr. Yasser Taoum

11:15 – 11:30

Opening Ceremony 11:30 – 11:45

***Speech of President of Lebanese Order of Physicians – Tripoli, Dr Ibrahim Makdessi.**

***Speech of Dean of the Faculty of Medicine in BAU**

Dr. Wafaa El Sehly

***Speech of President of NLPS, Chairman of the Congress,**

Dr Hilmi Darwich

Symposium Boehringer-Ingelheim.

Redefining Timing in IPF and PPF: Why Early Treatment Is Critical

Speaker: Dr. Zahia Chahine

Moderator: Dr. Hassan Dahaby

11:45 – 12:30

Lecture Boehringer – Ingelheim.

Benefits beyond FVC reduction: new insights from FIBRONEER clinical trials

Speaker: Dr. George Juvelikian

Moderator: Dr. Marleine Awwad

12:30- 13:00

Break 13:00 – 13:30

Sleep apnea a brief review and update

Speaker: Dr. Mohamad Zein

Moderator: Pr. Mahmoud Mahfouz

13:30- 13:55

Asthma NOW (Astra-Zeneca)

Speaker: Dr. Basma Chaarani

Moderator: Dr. Kifah Kassar.

13:55 -14:20

Respiratory physiotherapy and its role in chronic lung diseases.

Speaker: Dr. Mohamed Abou-Baker

Moderator& Speaker: Dr. Norma Khoder

14:20 – 14:50

Clinical Thoracic Surgery Case

Speaker: Dr. Karam Karam

Moderator: Dr. Chady Mamlouk

14:50 – 15:20

Artificial intelligence in medicine,
Current application and future perspective.

Speaker: Dr. Mahmoud Adhamy

Moderator: Dr. Bachir Hamed

15:20 – 15:50

Scientific Committee:

Chairman of the Congress, Dr Hilmi
Darwich,

Members: Dr. Basma Chaarani,

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My Best Regards

President of NLPS. Dr.

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