

THE 8TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE IRAQI
HYPERTENSION SOCIETY

Day one(Thursday) 24 July 2025

08:00 AM: Opening of the registration

08:30 AM - 09:00 AM: Opening Ceremony

National anthem

Holy Quran

Welcome Address by Prof. Dr. Ghazi Farhan Haji

Speech by Ministry of Health Representative

Opening Remarks by International Guest

Session 1

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
09:00-10:00	Plenary Session 1: Hypertension in 2025 – Global & Iraqi Perspective Chairman: Dr. Thamer Al-Halfi Dr. Yaseen Obeid	
13 min	Keynote 1: Global Hypertension Guidelines: What's New	Dr. Hilal Al-Saffar
13 min	A dozen of debated issues in Hypertension	Dr. Sabah Zangana
13 min	Keynote 3: The Role of National Societies in Improving Blood Pressure Control	Dr. Taghreed Al-Haidare
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Gourmet Coffee Pause & Visit to Exhibitors 10:00-10:30

Session 2

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
10:30-11:30 AM	Symposium 1: Hypertension & Cardiovascular Complications Chairman: Dr. Hasan Ali Farhan Dr. Abbas Al-Sharifi Dr. Falah Al-Azzawi	
13 min	Hypertension and Heart Failure with Preserved EF	Dr. Usama Mazin
13 min	Resistant Hypertension and Coronary Artery Disease	Dr. Raed Sabri
13 min	Role of Renal Artery Denervation	Dr. Hussein Nasser
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Session 3

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
11:30-12:30 PM	Hypertension at the Crossroads: Cardio-Renal-Metabolic Integration for Optimal Outcomes Chairman: Dr. Hazem Abdulrazaq Dr. Ali Al-Saadi Dr. Wadhah Mahbuba	
13 min	The Vicious Triad: Pathophysiological Interplay Between Hypertension, CKD, and Diabetes	Dr. Abbas Al-Mousawi
13 min	Targeted Therapy in the Cardio-Renal-Metabolic Continuum: From RAAS Blockade to SGLT2 Inhibitors	Dr. Ali Alawi
13 min	Obesity as the Catalyst: Unmasking Its Role in the Cardio-Renal-Metabolic Cascade	Dr. Faris Abdulkareem
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Gourmet noon Coffee Pause & Visit to Exhibitors 12:30-1:00

Session 4

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
1:00-2:00 PM	Hypertension and Multisystem Disorders Chairman : Dr. Haider Al-Malike Dr. Dr. Muthanna Al-Asal Dr. Moataz Fayrouz	
13 min	Hypertension and Chronic Kidney Disease	Dr. Riyadh Muhi Al-Saegh
13 min	Stroke Prevention in Hypertensive Patients	Dr. Hussam Abdulrasool
13 min	Cognitive Decline and Blood Pressure Control	Dr. Mushtaq Talib
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Time	Workshop title:	Moderators
11:30-12:30 PM	Collaboration management of Hypertension : The role of pharmacist in diagnosis ,treatment and follow up	Dr .Najeb AL-mouselei Dr .Samer Majeed Dr .Raja Mohammed

Session 5

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
2:00-3:00 PM	Dr. Muntadar Saad Japir Dr .Ali Shakir Dauod Dr . Saeed Majeed	
13 min	1-Food as Medicine: Dietary Interventions for Hypertensive Patients	1- Dr .Tamara Mohammed1
13 min	2-Silent Pressure: The Importance of Hypertension Screening”	2-Shayda Ziyad Jamil Al-Talabany
13 min	3-Routine Habits and Emotional Well-being in Iraqi Patients with Hypertension: A Lifestyle Assessment"	3-Prof. Dr. Qais Ismaeel Kadhim Ajam
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Time	Workshop title:	Moderator :
12:30-1:30 PM	Dental care for Hypertension and cardiac patients :A collaboration Approach between Dentists and physicians	Dr Ghazi F.Haji Dr .Tanya Assim Faiq

Lunch and prayer 3:00-4:00 PM

Gala dinner come to you by sponsoring company

Gala dinner ceremonies

8:00 Opining ceremony & gests gathering

9:00 Welcome address by Prof. Dr. Ghazi
Farhan Haji

Welcome address by International &
influencer guests

Gala dinner underwriter welcoming the
guests

Gala dinner serving

Day two(Friday) 25 July 2025

Session 1

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
09:00-10:00 AM	Preventing the Preventable: Strategies in Cardiovascular Risk Reduction" Chairman: Dr. Muthanna Al-Quraishi Dr. Adnan Al-Ta'an Dr. Muzafar Al-Barzani	
13 min	Advanced Echocardiography in Heart Failure: GLS, Strain, and 3D Techniques	Dr. Riyadh Mustafa
13 min	Managing Dyslipidemia in 2025: Beyond Statins	Dr. Ahmed Al-Haidari
13 min	Clinical Utility of LMWH in Acute Coronary Syndrome and High-Risk Vascular Patients	Dr. Mohammed Hamza
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Session 2

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
10:00-11:00 AM	Hypertension and Arrhythmias: The Silent Synergy in Cardiovascular Risk Chairman: Dr. Amal Al-Mrayati Dr. Ameen Al-Alwani Dr. Oday Al-Salhi	
13 min	How High Blood pressure triggers Arrhythmias: A practical Understanding for Daily practice	Dr. Ammar Hamdi
13 min	Atrial Fibrillation in the Hypertensive patient: When to suspect, how to confirm, What to Do	Dr. Mohammed Al-Miyahi
13 min	Managing Ventricular Arrhythmias and Sudden Cardiac Death Risk in Uncontrolled Hypertension"	Dr. Mohammed Amin
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Time	Workshop title:	Moderators ;
10:00-11:00 PM	Hands on training :Portable echocardiography in Emergency department	Dr .Ali Rashid Dr .Fadil Ugila

11:00-11:30 Gourmet Coffee Pause & Visit to Exhibitors

Session 3

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
11:30-12:30 PM	Special Populations in Hypertension Chairman: Dr. Abdulzahra Al-Sharifi Dr. Iman Hassan Fleihe Dr. Sura Abd Alwahab	
13 min	-Hypertension in Pregnancy :Maternal risks, Fetal outcomes, and modern management	Dr. Rawa Al-Janabi
13 min	-Pediatric Hypertension: Emerging challenges in a growing epidemic	Dr. Mustafa
13 min	Hypertension in the Elderly Patients: Balancing benefit and risk in a fragile population	Dr. Ali Mousa
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Time	Workshop title:	Moderator :
11:30-12:30 PM	-Artificial Intelligence in Hypertension Monitoring Hands on training measure Blood Pressure , ABPM (Ambulatory BP monitor)	Dr .Murad Khadim Dr .Hader sabah Dr .Jaafar Ibrahim

Session 4 (World Hypertension Society–Scientific Session)

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
12:30-1:30 PM	ISH MENA Session: "Advancing Hypertension Science in the Middle East Chairman: Dr. Ghazi Farhan Haji Dr. Badr Mustafa Dr .Nazar Nasar	
13 min	Personalizing Hypertension Targets in MENA: How Low Should We Go	Dr. Kadim Sulaiman
13 min	-Managing Hypertension in the Multimorbid MENA Patient: Where Cardiometabolic Risk Clusters	Dr. Abdullah Shehab
13 min	Population-Level Control of Hypertension in the Middle East: Are National Registries the Missing Link	Dr. Badr Mustafa
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Gourmet Coffee Pause & Visit to Exhibitors 1:30-2:00

Session 5

Time	Lecture title:	Speaker
2:00-3:00 PM	Hypertension Beyond the Heart: Multisystemic Complications and Clinical Insights Chairman: Dr. Abdulhameed Al-Qaseer Dr. Hamza Al-Majidi Dr. Nizar Abdul Latif	
13 min	Hypertension and Rheumatology: Vascular Inflammation and Overlapping Syndromes	Dr. Sami Salman
13 min	- The Hypertensive Lung: Respiratory Implications of Systemic Vascular Dysfunction-	Dr. Mohammed Shehata
13 min	-Hypertensive Retinopathy: The Eye as a Window to Systemic Vascular Damage	Dr. Ali Abdelghaffar
5 min	Discussion	
15 min	Company lecture	

Lunch and prayer 3:00-4:00 PM

Session 6

Time 4:00-5:00 PM	Innovations & Future Trend(VIP)	Moderators & Panelists
4.00-4.45 PM	Iraqi Hypertension clinics project in General and Private Hospitals	Dr . Hilal Al Saffar Dr.Karim Obais Al-Naffi Dr.Nagham Kareem Mualla Dr.Looyi Mohammed Yousif Dr.Khalid Abd Alstar Dr .Abdul Ameer A. Abdul Hameed Dr Faris Mahmode Lolan Dr.Manal Younus Dr.Qasim Al-Doori Dr. Muntadar Saad Japir Dr.Mazin Abed Hazza
4.45-5.45 PM	Iraqi cardio renal metabolic clinics project	Dr . Hussien Hamdan
		Dr .Falah Al azzawi Dr .Qassim Mudalal Dr.Khali Alabach Dr.Sadiq Alhamash Dr. Sabah Mosa

		Dr.Nibbras Al-Hamdani Dr.Mohammed Yousif Mahmood Dr.Ali Alawi Dr. Faris Abdulkareem Dr. Abbas Al-Mousawi Dr. Ali Abdulhameed

Closing remark ceremonies

Summary of Recommendations

Best Poster Awards

Closing Remarks by the Organizing Committee