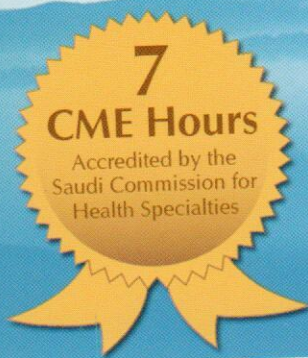


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Wednesday, 05th of May 2010

07:30 – 08:00 **Registration**

08:00 – 08:10 **Opening Remarks**

Dr. Hamdan Al Jahdali

Theme 1: Asthma in General

Chairpersons: Dr. Hamdan Al Jahdali & Dr. Mohammad Zeitouni

08:10 – 08:35 **Epidemiology of Asthma: Asthma is a Major Health Problem**

Objective: At the end of this session, attendees are expected to understand the definition and epidemiology of asthma, and recognize the impact on the health system.

Prof. Abdulrahman Al Frayh

08:35 – 09:00 **Pathophysiology of Asthma: Understanding Asthma is Essential**

Objective: At the end of this session, attendees are expected to understand the pathophysiology of asthma, identify the precipitating factors for asthma and explain the avoidance Measures.

Dr. Sulaiman Al Ajaji

09:00 – 09:25 **Practical Approach to Diagnosis of Asthma**

Objective: At the end of this session, attendees are expected to recognize the different presentations of asthma, interpret the proper investigations of asthma, and describe the differential diagnosis.

Prof. Mohammad Al Hajjaj

09:25 – 09:35 **PANEL DISCUSSION**

9:35 – 10:30

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