

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

Updated: Oct 2022

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA:

Name: Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy

Nationality: Saudi

Address:

Department of Pediatrics

College of Medicine and King Khalid University Hospital

King Saud University

P.O. Box 2925

Riyadh 11461

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

- **Professor of Pediatric** (since 31/December/2019)
- **Associate professor of Pediatrics**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University (13/October/2015- 30/December/2019)
- **Assistant professor of Pediatrics**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University (1/August/2010- 12/October/2015)
- **Appointed Pediatric lecturer (Demonstrator)**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University (19/September/2001- 31/July/2010)

CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS:

- **Division head of pediatric gastroenterology unit**, King Saud University Medical City (October 2018-present)
- **Pediatric Gastroenterology & Hepatology Consultant**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University, Riyadh (1/August/2010-present)
- **Part-time Pediatric Gastroenterology & Hepatology Consultant**, Dallah's children hospital Hospital, Riyadh (1/May/2013- present)
- **Part-time Pediatric Gastroenterology & Hepatology Consultant**, National Guard Hospital, Riyadh (1/February/2011- 30/April/2013)

RECENT ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS:

- 1- **Board of Trustees, Inaya Medical College**, 10 Oct 2022-Present

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

- 2- **Division Head of pediatric gastroenterology unit**, King Saud University Medical city (October 2018-present)
- 3- **Board member of Translation center**, KSU, December 2019-present
- 4- Member of **Scientific Publishing Committee, Scientific Council, KSU** (1/October/2017-present)
- 5- Member of **Academic staff affairs Committee**, Paediatrics department, College of Medicine, KSU (1/Sep/2022-Present)
- 6- Member of the **Matching committee for the residency training program applicants at Saudi Council for Health Specialties** (Jan 2017-present)
- 7- **Reviewer for Saudi Journal of Gastroenterology** (2013-present)
- 8- Member of the **Celiac Research Chair**, Deanship of Scientific Research, King Saud university (Feb 2012- present)
- 9- Member of the **Pediatric Gastroenterology Research group**, Deanship of Scientific Research, King Saud university (2015- present)

PREVEIOUS ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS:

- 1- Member of the **Executive Board of Saudi society of pediatric gastroenterology hepatology and nutrition (SASPGHAN)**; (October 2018- November 2020)
- 2- **Chairman of the continuous medical education committee, Saudi society of pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology and nutrition (SASPGHAN)**, (August 2019-November 2020)
- 3- Member of the **Interview committee for the newly applicants for the health science track, Preparatory year, KSU** (2015-2019)
- 4- **Program director of pediatric gastroenterology fellowship training program**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University (1/November/2014- 31/October/2018)
- 5- **Deputy chairman of the academic affairs, pediatric departments**, King Khalid University Hospital, King Saud University (1/September/2012-30/May/2015)
- 6- Member of **postgraduate education Committee of Paediatric Gastroenterology training, University of British Columbia**, Canada, July 2008-June 2010
- 7- **Post-graduate representative of the international paediatric residents**, McMaster University, Canada (2004)
- 8- **President of Saudi Students Social Club, McMaster University**, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada (July 2005-June 2006)

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

POST-GRADUATE EDUCATION:

- 1- **Master of Health Science (Clinical epidemiology), University of British Columbia, British Columbia, Canada (1/September/2008-11/November/2010)**
- 2- **Canadian Paediatric Gastroenterology board, Royal College of Physicians & Surgeon of Canada & University of British Columbia, Canada (20/October/2009)**
- 3- **Canadian General Paediatrics Board, Royal College of Physicians & Surgeon of Canada & McMaster University, Canada (30/June/2007)**
- 4- **Diplomat of the American Board of Paediatrics, American Board of Paediatrics, USA (24/October/2006)**

UNDERGRADUATE & GRADUATE EDUCATION:

- **College of Medicine, King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (graduated on 14/August/2000)**
- **Internship, King Khalid University Hospital (KKUH) & affiliated hospitals. King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (17/July/2000-6/July/2001)**

PUBLICATIONS:

A- PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS:

1. Al-Hussaini A, Abanemai M, Alhebibi H, Saadah O, Bader R, **Al Sarkhy A**, Alhatlani M, Halabi H, Aladsani A, AlEdreesi M, Wali S, Alguofi T, Al-Drees K, Arain Z, Al Saleem B, Asery A, Holdar S, Alrashidi S, Alsayed F, Aldhalan S, NasserAllah A, Alghamdi R, Alhaffaf F, AlAwfi A, AlSweed A, Alshamrani A, AlShaikh M, Saeed A, Assiri H, Bashir MS. **The Epidemiology and Outcome of Biliary Atresia: Saudi Arabian National Study (2000-2018).** Front Pediatr. 2022 Jul 18;10:921948.
2. Hasosah M, Zidan A, Qurashi M, Alsahafi A, Alzahrani Z, AlGhraibi A, Qashqari H, Nabulsi M, Alenazi A, Alqahtani A, Almehaidib A, **Al-Sarkhy A. Clinical characteristics and liver profiles of Dubin-Johnson syndrome in neonates: Multicenter retrospective study.** Arch Pediatr. 2022 May;29(4):267-271.
3. El Mouzan M, Assiri A, **Al Sarkhy A**, Alasmi M, Saeed A, Al-Hussaini A, AlSaleem B, Al Mofarreh M. **Viral dysbiosis in children with new-onset celiac disease.** PLoS One. 2022 Jan 14;17(1):e0262108.

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

4. El Mouzan M, Al-Hussaini A, Fanelli B, Assiri A, AlSaleem B, Al Mofarreh M, Al **Sarkhy A**, Alasmi M. **Fungal Dysbiosis in Children with Celiac Disease**. Dig Dis Sci. 2022 Jan;67(1):216-223.
5. Mohammad El Mouzan ¹, Abdulrahman A Al-Hussaini ², Ahmed Al Sarkhy ¹, Asaad Assiri ¹, Mona Alasmi ¹. **Intestinal microbiota profile in healthy Saudi children: The bacterial domain**. Saudi J Gastroenterol 2022 Feb 18.
6. Alsaleem BM, Hasosah M, Ahmed ABM, Al Hatlani MM, Alanazi AH, Alhussaini AA, Asery AT, Alghamdi KA, AlRuwaithi MM, Khormi MAM, **Al Sarkhy A**, Alshamrani AS. **Tricho-hepato-enteric syndrome: Retrospective multicenter experience in Saudi Arabia**. Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2021 Aug 16. doi: 10.4103/sjg.sjg_200_2
7. El Mouzan MI, Winter HS, **Al Sarkhy AA**, Korolev K, Menon R, Assiri AA. **Bacterial dysbiosis predicts the diagnosis of Crohn's disease in Saudi children**. Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2021 May-Jun;27(3):144-148.
8. Fahad Alsohime, Ghadeer Assiry, Munirah AlSalman, Wejdan Alabdulkareem, Hissah Almuzini, Malak Alyahya, Reema Allhidan, Ayman Al-Eyadhy, Mohamad-Hani Temsah, **Ahmed A. Al Sarkhy**. **Barriers to the delivery of enteral nutrition in pediatric intensive care units: A national survey**. International Journal of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, 2020, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijpam.2020.12.003>.
9. El Mouzan M, Alahmadi N, AlSaleem KA, Assiri A, AlSaleem B, **Al Sarkhy A**. **Prevalence of nutritional disorders in Saudi children with inflammatory bowel disease based on the national growth reference**. Arab J Gastroenterol. 2020 Sep;21(3):179-182.
10. **Al Sarkhy A**. **Social media usage pattern and its influencing factors among celiac patients and their families**. Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2020 Mar-Apr;26(2):99-104.
11. El Mouzan MI, AlEdreesi MH, Hasosah MY, Al-Hussaini AA, **Al Sarkhy AA**, Assiri AA. **Regional variation of pediatric inflammatory bowel disease in Saudi Arabia: Results from a multicenter study**. World J Gastroenterol. 2020 Jan 28;26(4):416-423.
12. Prichard DO, Hamilton Z, Savage T, Smyth M, Penner C, Lakhani A, Carroll MW, **Al Sarkhy A**, Lemberg DA, Enns R, Jamieson D, Jacobson K. **Capsule Endoscopy Complements Magnetic Resonance Enterography and Endoscopy in Evaluating Small Bowel Crohn's Disease**. J Can Assoc Gastroenterol. 2020 Dec; 3(6): 279–287.
13. El Mouzan MI, AlSaleem BI, Hasosah MY, Al-Hussaini AA, Al Anazi AH, Saadah OI, **Al Sarkhy AA**, Al Mofarreh MA, Assiri AA. **Diagnostic delay of pediatric**

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

inflammatory bowel disease in Saudi Arabia. Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2019 Jul-Aug;25(4):257-261

14. Mohammad I El Mouzan, Kirill S Korolev, Mohammad A Al Mofarreh, Rajita Menon, Harland S Winter, **Ahmad A Al Sarkhy**, Scot E Dowd, Ahmad M Al Barrag, Asaad A Assiri. **Fungal dysbiosis predicts the diagnosis of pediatric Crohn's Disease.** *World J Gastroenterol* 2018 Oct 21;24(39):4510-4516
15. **Al Sarkhy AA**, Saeed A, Hamid YH, Al Asmi MM, Altokhais TI, Ullah AA, Assiri AM. **Efficacy and safety of endoscopic dilatation in the management of esophageal strictures in children.** Saudi Med J. 2018 Aug;39(8):787-791.
16. El Mouzan MI, Al Mofarreh MA, **Al Sarkhy** AA, Assiri AM, Hamed YM. **Pre-illness diet as risk factor in pediatric inflammatory bowel disease in Saudi Arabia.** Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2017 Sep-Oct;23(5):287-290
17. **Al-Sarkhy AA**. **Variation in inflammatory bowel disease care among saudi pediatric gastroenterologists.** Saudi J Gastroenterol 2017;23:45-51
18. **Al Sarkhy AA**, Zaidi ZA, Babiker AM. **Glycogenic hepatopathy, an underdiagnosed cause of relapsing hepatitis in uncontrolled type 1 diabetes mellitus.** Saudi Med J. 2017 Jan;38(1):89-92.
19. El Mouzan M, Wang F, Al Mofarreh M, Menon R, Al Barrag A, Korolev KS, **Al Sarkhy A**, Al Asmi M, Hamed Y, Saeed A, Dowd SE, Assiri A, Winter H. **Fungal Microbiota Profile in Newly Diagnosed Treatment-naïve Children with Crohn's disease.** *J Crohns Colitis*. 2017 May 1;11(5):586-592
20. Saeed A, **Alsarkhy A**, Asmi MA, Mouzan ME, Hamid Y, Assiri A. **Ileocolonic Basidiobolomycosis in a Child: An Unusual Fungal Infection.** *J Coll Physicians Surg Pak*. 2017 Aug;27(8):508-510.
21. **Sarkhy A**, El Mouzan MI, Saeed E, Alanazi A, Alghamdi S, Anil S, Assiri A. **Socioeconomic Impacts of Gluten-Free Diet among Saudi Children with Celiac Disease.** *Pediatr Gastroenterol Hepatol Nutr*. 2016 Sep;19(3):162-167.

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

22. Assiri AM, Saeed A, Saeed E, El-Mouzan MI, Al Sarkhy AA, Al-Turaiki M, Al Mehaideb A, Rashid M, Ullah A. **Assessment of Knowledge of Celiac Disease amongst Health Care Professionals.** Saudi Med J. 2015 Jun;36(6):751-3.
23. Ahmed Al Sarkhy, Mohammad I. El Mouzan, Elshazaly Saeed^{Aziz} Alanazi, Sharifa Alghamdi, Shirin Anil Asaad Assiri. **Clinical Characteristics of Celiac Disease and Dietary Adherence to Gluten-Free Diet (GFD) Among Saudi Children.** Pediatr Gastroenterol Hepatol Nutr. 2015 Mar;18(1):23-9
24. Yassin Hamid, El Mouzan MI, Assiri MA, Alrikabi A, AlSarkhy A and Saeed Anjom . **Asymptomatic Eosinophilic Esophagitis in apatient with very early-onset ulcerative colitis.** Global Advanced Research Journal of Medicine and Medical Science; Feb 2015; 4(2); 067-070
25. El Mouzan MI, Saadah O, Al-Saleem K, Al Edreesi M, Hasosah M, Alanazi A, Al Mofarreh M, Asery A, Al Qourain A, Nouli K, Al Hussaini A, Telmesani A, Alreheili K, Alghamdi S, Alrobiaa N, Alzaben A, Mehmadi A, Al Hebbi H, Al Sarkhy A, Al Mehaideb A, Al Saleem B, Assiri A, Wali S. **Incidence of Pediatric Inflammatory Bowel Disease in Saudi Arabia: A Multicenter National Study.** Inflamm Bowel Dis. 2014; June 20 (6);1085
26. Ahmed A. Sarkhy, Abdulrahman Al-Hussainim, Valario Nobili. **Does vitamin e improve the outcomes of pediatric NAFLD? Systematic review and meta-analysis.** Saudi J Gastroenterol. 2014 May-Jun;20(3):143-53.
27. Sarkhy AA, Al-Sunaid A, Abdullah A, AlFadhel M, Eiyad W. **A novel MPV17 gene mutation in a Saudi infant causing fatal progressive liver failure.** Ann Saudi Med. 2014 Mar-Apr;34(2):175-8.
28. Sarkhy AA, Hassan S, Alasmi M, Assiri AM, Alkuraya FS. **Congenital hepatic fibrosis & Prader Willi syndrom .. A novel association.** Ann Saudi Med. 2014 Jan-Feb;34(1):81-3
29. Hasosah M, Telmesani A, Al-Binali A, Sarkhi A, Alghamdi S, Alquair K, Alturaiki M, Alanazi A, Alsahafi A, Alzaben A, Di Lorenzo C. **Knowledge and Practice Styles of Pediatricians in Saudi Arabia Regarding Childhood Constipation.** J Pediatr Gastroenterol Nutr. 2013 Jul;57(1):85-92

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

30. Asaad Assiri, Anjum Saeed, **Ahmed AlSarkhy**, Mohammed Issa El Mouzan, Wael El Matary. **Celiac disease presenting as rickets in Saudi children**. Ann Saudi Med 2013; 33(1): 49-51
31. Soccorso G, **Sarkhy A**, Lindley RM, Marven SS, Thomson M. **Idiopathic small bowel diaphragm disease identified by laparoscopic-assisted double-balloon enteroscopy in a child: an integrated successful definitive therapeutic method**. J Pediatr Surg. 2012 Aug;47(8):1622-5.
32. **Sarkhy AA**. **Gastro-Esophageal Reflux Disease (GERD) in infants...Myths and misconceptions, where is the evidence**. Review article. Saudi Med J. 2012 Jun;33(6):593-600.
33. **Sarkhy A**, Collin Barker, Ruth Milner and Richard A. Schreiber. **Does adjuvant steroid therapy post kasai porto-enterostomy (kp) improve the outcome of biliary atresia? Systematic review & meta-analysis**. Canadian journal of gastroenterology. 2011; 25(8):440-444
34. **Sarkhy AA**. **Methodological issues of diagnostic studies**. Saudi Journal of Gastroenterology. 2011; 17(2):161-2.
35. **Sarkhy A**, Persad R, Tarnopolsky M. **Muscle weakness in a girl with autoimmune hepatitis and graves disease**. Eur J Pediatr. 2009 Feb; 168(2):241-3.

B- BOOK AND CHAPTERS:

1. كتاب مترجم: تشخيص وعلاج اضطرابات التغذية لدى الرضع والحديثي الولادة والأطفال الصغار، د أحمد بن علي الصرخي، دار جامعة الملك سعود للنشر 1441
2. كتاب مؤلف باللغة العربية: حساسية القمح (الجلوتين): أكثر من 50 خرافة ومعتقداً خاطئاً يعتقدها المرضى والأطباء في التشخيص والعلاج، د أحمد بن علي الصرخي، دار جامعة الملك سعود للنشر 1440
3. كتاب مؤلف باللغة العربية: داء الأمعاء الالتهابي: الأعراض والتشخيص والعلاج من الألف إلى الياء، د أحمد بن علي الصرخي، دار جامعة الملك سعود للنشر 1437

Dr. Ahmed Ali Al Sarkhy
أ د أحمد بن علي الصرخي
MD, FAAP, FRCP(C)
Office phone: +966-11-469-0758
Email: aalsarkhy@ksu.edu.sa

4. **Chapter in a book: Ahmed Sarkhy, Ammar Al-Rikabi. Microanatomy of the colon.**
In Judith M. Sondheimer , Christine Waasdorp Hurtado. **The NASPGHAN Fellows Concise Review of pediatric gastroenterology, Hepatology & nutrition.** Castle Connolly Graduate Medical Publishing, Ltd. 1st edition 2011.
5. **Chapter in a book: Ahmed Sarkhy.** Chapter 77, **Ultrasound assessment of gastro-esophageal reflux (GERD).** In Foker, Till, Holcomb III, Khan, Thomson. **Esophageal and Gastric Disorders of Infancy and Childhood.** Springer 2017
6. **Chapter in a book: Ahmed Sarkhy,** Mike Thomson. Chapter 79, **feeding changes and positioning therapy for infants.** In Foker, Till, Holcomb III, Khan, Thomson. **Esophageal and Gastric Disorders of Infancy and Childhood.** Springer 2017

AWARDS:

- 1- **Young investigator award in paediatric gastroenterology.** 44th ESPGHAN meeting 2011, Sorrento, Italy.