



## Marwa Abu El Haija

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#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Assistant Professor, Pediatrics - Gastroenterology
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)

#### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Board certified, American Board of Pediatrics , Pediatric Gastroenterology (2019)
- Board certified, American Board of Obesity Medicine , Obesity (2019)
- Board certified, American Board of Pediatrics , Pediatrics (2015)
- Fellow, University of Iowa Stead Family Children's Hospital , Pediatric Gastroenterology (2018)
- Resident, University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston , Pediatric Residency (2015)
- MBBS, Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST) , Medicine and Surgery (2010)

### Publications

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#### PUBLICATIONS

- **Commentary: Children with Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease Consume More Calories and Fat than Controls.** *Journal of pediatric gastroenterology and nutrition*  
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2020
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2019
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- **Dyserythropoiesis in a child with pyruvate kinase deficiency and coexistent unilateral multicystic dysplastic kidney** *PEDIATRIC BLOOD & CANCER*  
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- **Pancreatic Damage in Fetal and Newborn Cystic Fibrosis Pigs Involves the Activation of Inflammatory and Remodeling Pathways** *AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PATHOLOGY*  
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2012; 181 (2): 499–507
- **Simplified and versatile method for isolation of high-quality RNA from pancreas** *BIOTECHNIQUES*  
Griffin, M., Abu-El-Haija, M., Abu-El-Haija, M., Rokhlina, T., Uc, A.  
2012; 52 (5): 332–34