

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## 1. PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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## 2. ACADEMIC/PROFESSIONAL PARTICULARS:

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### a) Field of Specialization:

Pharmacy Practice and Clinical Pharmacy

### b) Academic Qualifications:

1. PhD, Pharmacy Practice/Clinical Pharmacy, 2012, Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Monash University, Melbourne, Australia, "Towards improving diabetes care among Arabic-speaking background immigrant population: examining cultural and health beliefs"
2. Master degree in Clinical Pharmacy, 2006, School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM), Penang, Malaysia. **Result:** Top international student with **AGPA** 3.7 out of 4
3. Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm.Hon), 2004, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Ajman University of Science and Technology, Ajman, United Arab Emirates. **Result:** Excellent with honor with **AGPA** 4.1 out of 4.5

c) **Pharmacy registration:** Registered pharmacist in United Arab Emirates (UAE)

### d) Academic Honors and Awards

Postgraduate Research Scholarship, the Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences-Monash University, Australia, 2008

#### e) **Membership of professional Bodies**

Member of American Pharmacists Association. Joining date 07/2010.

#### f) **Language Proficiency**

- Arabic ability; Excellent speaking, writing and reading (native speaker)
- English ability; Excellent speaking, writing and reading
- French ability; good speaking and reading

### **3. CAREER DETAILS**

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#### a) **Academic Positions Held**

1. Assistant professor, College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates. Period: 15/11/2015 – present
2. Honorary Research Fellow, Deakin University, Australia. Period: 2019 – Present.
3. Senior Researcher, Royal Nursing District Services, Melbourne, Australia, Period: 01/2015 – 08/2015
4. Assistant professor/Lecturer, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Centre for Medicine Use and Safety (CMUS), Monash University, Melbourne, Australia, Period: 06/2014 – 01/2015
5. Lecturer, School of Pharmacy, Monash University Malaysia, Period: 02/2013 – 06/2014
6. Lecturer, College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates, Period: 08/2006 – 07/2008

### **4. TEACHING**

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#### a) **Summary of Courses Taught**

1. Currently involved in teaching of several courses of Clinical Pharmacy at the College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah.
2. I was involved in the teaching and the assessment of following courses at the department of Pharmacy Practice, Centre for Medicine Use and Safety (CMUS), Monash University, Melbourne, Australia
  - PAC1311 Pharmacy, health and society I
  - PAC1322 Pharmacy, health and society II
  - PAC2331 Pharmacists as communicators
  - PAC2342 Pharmacy in a public health context
  - PAC2412 Integrated therapeutics: Introduction and cardiovascular
  - PAC3421 Integrated therapeutics respiratory
  - PAC3362 Context for practice II
  - PAC3432 Integrated therapeutics: Infectious diseases

- PAC4441 Integrated therapeutics: Endocrinology and renal
- PAC4451 Integrated therapeutics: Dermatology and pain
- PAC4382 Context for practice III
- PAC4462 Integrated therapeutics: Neurology and oncology
- PAC4482 Integrated therapeutics: Advanced practice

**Evaluation:** I had very positive comments from students in the Student Evaluation of Teaching and Units (SETU), which is a teaching/unit evaluation survey administered online each semester.

- Involved in Objective Structured Clinical Exams (OSCEs) in second, third and fourth years
  - Involved in applying new teaching methods: "MyDispense", a custom designed and built software program to teach students dispensing process
  - Co-coordination of units (PAC 4382 Context for practice III and PAC 4482 Preparation for practice)
  - Developed exam questions, and marked different exam papers.
  - Involved in Succession Planning Process, which involve:
  - Complete the board unit overview, the Succession Planning Questions documents, and consolidate relevant teaching files.
  - Review the Active Learning Activity document, which aims to collect information on the
3. I was involved in the teaching and the assessment of following courses at School of Pharmacy, Monash University, Malaysia Campus, and various active learning activities currently use within the Faculty.
- PAC1311 Pharmacy, health and society I
  - PAC2331 Pharmacists as communicators
  - PAC2342 Pharmacy in a public health context
  - PAC2412 Integrated therapeutics: Introduction and cardiovascular
  - PAC3421 Integrated therapeutics respiratory
- Involved in the planning, coordination, and implementation of students' clinical placements in hospital and community settings
  - Involved in Objective Structured Clinical Exams (OSCEs)

**Evaluation:** I had very positive comments from students in the Student Evaluation of Teaching and Units (SETU), which a teaching/unit evaluation survey administered online each semester.

4. I was involved in the teaching and assessment of various pharmacy practice and clinical pharmacy courses at the College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah:
- Clinical Pharmacy IA and IB
  - Pharmacy Practice IA and IB
  - Pharmacy Practice IIA and IIB
  - Introduction to Pharmacy and Health Science

**b) Participation in Academic Accreditation**

1. Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) Program: Member of Ph.D Program Committee, College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah. Period: 2019 – Present
2. Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) Program: Member of Pharm.D. Program Committee, College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah. Period: 2019 - Present
3. Master of Clinical Pharmacy, co-leader of steering committee, College of Pharmacy, Monash University Malaysia, Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia. Period: 2013 – 2014

**c) Research Students Supervised/Trained**

Level Number of Trainees

PhD Students	1
Masters Students	3
Undergraduate Students	24

**d) Participation in Thesis and Oral Examination Committees**

Level Number of Examinations

PhD Students	1
Masters Students	2

**e) Training**

1. Promoting Deep Learning Using Internet Technologies. Institute of Leadership in Higher Education. The University of Sharjah. May 1 2017.
2. Regional faculty development workshop on curricular design and delivery. Al-Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus. UAE. March 13-14 2016
3. New strategies in 'active learning', training workshop, Monash University, Australia, March 17 2013
4. Qualitative Research Methods workshop, Melbourne University for the period of 14<sup>th</sup> – 15 August 2010.
5. Participated in "Evidence Based Medicine" workshop, Medical College at Sharjah University for the period of 27 – 28 October 2008.
6. Participated in "Evidence Based Medicine" workshop, Medical College at Sharjah University for the period of 27 – 28 January 2007.

## 5. RESEARCH

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### a) Research interests

- Diabetes management among ethnic minority groups
- Health service research
- Aged care
- Application of health promotion theories and models to strengthen patient adherence
- Pharmacy practice; focusing on reduction of preventable medication related problems
- Pharmacy education

### b) Grants:

- **Title:** Inter-professional collaboration between dentists and pharmacists to offer care for patients in the dental setting. **Funding:** Ajman University, AED 50,000. **Period:** 2021-2022. **Role:** Co-Investigator.
- **Title:** Collaboration between physicians and pharmacists to identify people with pre-diabetes and establishing diabetes prevention program. **Funding:** Al Qasimi Foundation, AED 50,100. **Period:** 2020 – 2021. **Role:** Principal Investigator
- **Title:** Implementing diabetes risk screening and prevention program in community pharmacies in the United Arab Emirates. **Funding:** University of Sharjah Targeted Research Grant, AED 179,700. **Period:** 2020 – 2022. **Role:** Principal Investigator.
- **Title:** Epidemiological and clinical characteristics associated with COVID-19 severity in hospitalized patients in the UAE – a multicenter retrospective cohort study. **Funding:** University of Sharjah, AED 157,000. **Period:** 2020 – 2022. **Role:** Co-Investigator.
- **Title:** Effects of the correction of 25(OH) vit D3 deficiency on the levels of 1,25(OH)<sub>2</sub> vit D, intact PTH and inflammation in hemodialysis and chronic kidney disease patients. **Funding:** University of Sharjah, AED 73,900. **Period:** 2020 – 2022. **Role:** Co-Investigator.
- **Title:** Developing and evaluating health outcomes for people with diabetes from a sleep health intervention that uses novel point of care sleep health assessment technology. **Funding:** Victorian Medical Research Acceleration Fund, AED 527,669. **Period:** 2018 – 2021. **Role:** Investigator.
- **Title:** Implementing diabetes and CVD risk factor assessment through community pharmacy in the UAE. **Funding:** Harvard Medical School Center for Global Health Care Delivery, Dubai, AED 274,000. **Period:** 2017 – 2019. **Role:** Principal Investigator

### c) Publications

Type of Publication	Number of Publications
Articles in International Refereed Journal	22
Conference Papers	14
Review Articles	1
Book Chapters	1

### d) Participation in Regional & International Conferences

1. 79<sup>th</sup> FIP World Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences.2019. Abu Dhabi, UAE.
2. The 7<sup>th</sup> Sharjah Elderly Conference. 2018. Sharjah, UAE.
3. Annual Scientific Meeting of Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA). 2017. Perth, Australia.
4. The Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian Pharmaceutical Science Association (APSA) Conference. 2016. Sydney, Australia.
5. International Social Pharmacy Workshop, August 5-8, 2014. North-eastern University, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
6. Annual scientific meeting of Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA). 2011. Perth, Australia.
7. Pharmacy Australia Congress (PAC). 2011. Melbourne, Australia.
8. The 16<sup>th</sup> International Social Pharmacy Workshop (2010). Lisbon, Portugal.
9. Annual scientific meeting of Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA). 2010. Sydney, Australia.
10. National Prescribing Symposium. 2010. Melbourne, Australia.
11. Participated in “Evidence Based Medicine” workshop in Medical College at Sharjah University for the period of 27<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> October 2008.
12. Attended “Dubai International Pharmaceuticals and Technology Conference and Exhibition” for the period of 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2007.

## 6. LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

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### a) International refereed journals

1. **Alzubaidi H**, Jirjees FJ, Franson KL, Saidawi W, Othman AM, Rabeeah ZH, Al-Obaidi HJ, Hatahet T, Caliph S. A global assessment of distance pharmacy education amid COVID-19: teaching, assessment and experiential training. *International Journal of Pharmacy Practice*. 2021 Oct 5:riab064. doi: 10.1093/ijpp/riab064. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34609503.
2. **Alzubaidi H**, Samorinha C, Saddik B, Saidawi W, Abdduelkarem A, Abu-Gharbieh E, Sherman S. A mixed-methods study to assess COVID-19 vaccination acceptability among university students in

the United Arab Emirates. *Human Vaccines and Immunotherapeutics*. Published online 17 Sept, 2021. DOI: 10.1080/21645515.2021.1969854

3. Hasan S, **Alzubaidi H**, Saidawi W. Assessing Pharmacy Student Performance and Perceptions on Counseling Skills Through A Simulated Telehealth Encounter. *American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education*. 2021 Sep 10:8619. doi: 10.5688/ajpe8619. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34507953.
4. **Alzubaidi H**, Sulieman H, Mc Namara K, Samorinha C, Browning C. The relationship between diabetes distress, medication taking, glycaemic control and self-management. *International Journal of Clinical Pharmacy*. 2021 Sep 29. doi: 10.1007/s11096-021-01322-2. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34586556.
5. **Alzubaidi H**, Austin Z, Saidawi W, Rees VW. Exploring the quality of smoking cessation in community pharmacies: A simulated patient study. *Res Social Adm Pharm*. 2021 Jul 16:S1551-7411(21)00271-0. doi: 10.1016/j.sapharm.2021.07.013. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 34284972.
6. **Alzubaidi H**, Hasan S, Saidawi W, Mc Namara K, Chandir S, Krass I. Outcomes of a novel pharmacy screening intervention to address the burden of type 2 diabetes and cardiovascular disease in an Arabic-speaking country. *Diabet Med*. 2021 May 9:e14598. doi: 10.1111/dme.14598. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 33969536.
7. **Alzubaidi H**, Namara KM, Saidawi W, Hasan S, Krass I. Pharmacists' experiences and views on providing screening services: An international comparison. *Res Social Adm Pharm*. 2020 Nov;16(11):1558-1568. doi: 10.1016/j.sapharm.2020.07.019. Epub 2020 Jul 30. PMID: 32830071.
8. Sulaiman N, Rishmawy Y, Hussein A, Saber-Ayad M, **Alzubaidi H**, Al Kawas S, Hasan H, Guraya SY. A mixed methods approach to determine the climate of interprofessional education among medical and health sciences students. *BMC Med Educ*. 2021 Apr 10;21(1):203. doi: 10.1186/s12909-021-02645-4. PMID: 33836727; PMCID: PMC8035734.
9. **Alzubaidi H.**, Saidawi W., Hussain A., Hasan S. Critical role of pharmacists in caring for Alzheimer's disease patients. *Journal of Alzheimer's disease*. 2020; 73(3)
10. Mc Namara K., **Alzubaidi H.**, Jackson J.K. Cardiovascular disease as a leading cause of death: how are pharmacists getting involved? *Integrated Pharmacy Research and Practice*. 2019; 8.
11. **Alzubaidi H.**, Chandir S., Hasan S., Mc Namara K.P., Cox R., Krass I. Diabetes and cardiovascular disease risk screening model in community pharmacies in a developing primary healthcare system: a feasibility study. *BMJ Open* 2019;9:e031246. doi: 10.1136/bmjopen-2019-031246.
12. Mc Namara K.P., Krass I., Peterson G.M., **Alzubaidi H.**, Grenfell R., Freedman B., Dunbar J.A. Implementing screening interventions in community pharmacy to promote interprofessional

- coordination of primary care – A mixed methods evaluation. *Research in Social and Administrative Pharmacy*. 2019;16(2)
13. **Alzubaidi H.**, Hussein A., Mc Namara K., Scholl I. Psychometric properties of the Arabic version of the 9-item Shared Decision-Making Questionnaire: The entire process from translation to validation. *BMJ Open*. 2019; 9(4)
  14. **Alzubaidi H.**, Saidawi W., Mc Namara K. Pharmacist views and pharmacy capacity to deliver professional services in the United Arab Emirates. *International Journal of Clinical Pharmacy*. 2018; 40(5). pp 1106-1115.
  15. **Alzubaidi H.**, Mc Namara K., Versace V.L. Predictors of effective therapeutic relationships between pharmacists and patients with type 2 diabetes: Comparison between Arabic-speaking and Caucasian English-speaking patients. *Research in Social and Administrative Pharmacy*. 2017; 14(11). pp 1064-1071.
  16. Mc Namara K., Breken B.D., **Alzubaidi H.**, Bell S., Dunbar J.A., Walker C., Hernan A. Health professional perspectives on the management of multimorbidity and polypharmacy for older patients in Australia. *Age and Ageing*. 2017; 46(2).
  17. **Alzubaidy H.**, Mc Namara K., Browning C. Time to question diabetes self-management support for Arabic-speaking migrants: exploring a new model of care. *Diabetic Medicine*. 2017; 34(4)
  18. Meyer C., Ogrin R., **Al-Zubaidi H.**, Appannah A., McMillan S., Barrett E., & Browning C. Diversity training for community aged care workers: An interdisciplinary meta-narrative review, *Educational Gerontology*, DOI: 10.1080/03601277.2017.1299501. 2017; 43(7)
  19. **Alzubaidi H.**, Mc Namara K., Chapman C., Stevenson V., Marriott J. Medicine-taking experiences and associated factors: comparison between Arabic-speaking and Caucasian English-speaking patients with Type 2 diabetes. *Diabetic Medicine*. 2015; 32(12).
  20. **Alzubaidi H.**, Mc Namara K., Kilmartin G.M., Kilmartin J.F., Marriott J. The relationships between illness and treatment perceptions with adherence to diabetes self-care: A comparison between Arabic-speaking migrants and Caucasian English-speaking patients. *Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice*. 2015;110(2).
  21. **Alzubaidi H.**, Mc Namara K., Browning C., Marriott J. Barriers and enablers to healthcare access and use among Arabic-speaking and Caucasian English-speaking patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus: a qualitative comparative study. *BMJ Open*. 2015;5(11)
  22. **Alzubaidy H.**, Marriott J. Patient involvement in social pharmacy research: Methodological insights from a project with Arabic-speaking immigrants. *Research in Social and Administrative Pharmacy*. 2014;10(6). pp 924–925



## b) Conference Papers

1. **Alzubaidi H.** Pharmaceutical pollution in the environment: A growing problem. 79th FIP World Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences. 22-26 September 2019. Abu Dhabi, UAE.
2. **Alzubaidi H.** Saidawi W., Hussain A., Hasan S. Pharmacist Role in Care for People with Alzheimer's disease. The 7th Sharjah Elderly Forum. 1 October 2018. Sharjah, UAE.
3. **Alzubaidi H.** Diabetes distress and its relationship with self-care behaviors, self-efficacy, glycemic control and acculturation among Arabic-speaking and English-speaking patients with diabetes. Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA). 30 August – 1 September 2017. Perth, Australia.
4. **Alzubaidi H.,** Mc Namara K., Kilmartin G.M., Kilmartin J.F., Marriott J. The relationship between illness and treatment perception with adherence to diabetes self-care: a comparison between Arabic-speaking migrants and English-speaking patients. The Annual Scientific Meeting of the Australasian Pharmaceutical Science Association (APSA) Conference. 2-5 December 2016. Sydney, Australia.
5. **Alzubaidy H,** Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Barriers to access and use of health service: insights into Arabic-speaking immigrants with type 2 diabetes. International Social Pharmacy Workshop, 5-8 August 2014. Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
6. **Alzubaidy H,** Mc Namara K, Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Medicine-taking experiences and associated factors: comparison between Arabic-speaking and Caucasian English-speaking patients with type 2 diabetes. International Social Pharmacy Workshop, 5-8 August 2014. Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
7. **Alzubaidy H,** Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Understanding diabetes medications from the perspective of Arabic-speaking background patients with type 2 diabetes. Pharmacy Australia Congress (PAC 2011). Melbourne, Australia.
8. **Alzubaidy H,** Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Patients' delay in seeking medical help: the perspective of Arabic-speaking background patients with type 2 diabetes. Annual scientific meeting of Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA 2011). Perth, Australia.
9. **Alzubaidy H,** Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Factors Influencing Delay in Seeking Treatment among Diabetic Patients: The Perspective of Australian Arabic-speaking Patients. The 16<sup>th</sup> International Social Pharmacy Workshop (2010). Lisbon, Portugal.
10. **Alzubaidy H,** Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Unveiling cultural barriers influencing diabetes self-care activities: the perspective of Arabic-speaking patients. Annual scientific meeting of Australian Diabetes Society and Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADS-ADEA 2010). Sydney, Australia.

11. **Alzubaidy H**, Marriott J, Stevenson V, Steele C, Chapman C. Issues in Quality Use of Medicine amongst Arabic-Speaking Patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus. National Prescribing Symposium (2010). Melbourne, Australia.
12. **Alzubaidy H**. Uncontrolled Hypertension Secondary to Gastroparesis–Interfering medication absorption. Asian Conference of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP 2005). Penang, Malaysia.
13. **Alzubaidy H**. Inappropriate Management of Diabetes Foot Infection. Asian Conference of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP 2005). Penang, Malaysia.
14. **Alzubaidy H**. Misunderstanding of insulin self-administration resulting in hypoglycemic attack. Annual Scientific Meeting of the Malaysian Society of Pharmacology and Physiology (25 – 27 April 2005).

## **7. SERVICE**

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### **a) Membership of Institutional, National, or International Scientific Advisory Boards**

1. National COVID-19 Treatment Committee. United Arab Emirates. Period: 2019 – present

### **b) Service as Reviewer**

#### Journals

1. International Journal of Clinical Pharmacy
2. Research in Social and Administrative Pharmacy
3. Pharmacy Practice
4. Frontiers Public Health
5. Frontiers Psychology
6. PLoS One
7. Health Education Research
8. Family Practice
9. Journal of Evaluation in Clinical Practice

### **c) Membership of Journal Editorial Boards**

1. International Journal of Diabetes & Clinical Diagnosis

### **d) Invited Presentations at Scientific Meetings/Workshop**

1. FIP World Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences. 22-26 September 2019.
2. The Chronic Illness Alliance, The Annual General Meeting. 18 November 2014
3. The Goulburn Valley Health, the Annual Research Meeting Day. 15 June 2012

### **e) University Service:**

1. University of Sharjah, UAE. Period: 2015 – Present  
 Faculty Grievance Committee. Member  
 University Academic Council. Member
2. College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah  
 Student Training Committee. Member  
 Student Affairs Committee. Member  
 Assessment Committee. Member  
 OSCE Committee. Chairperson  
 Student Advising Committee. Member  
 Doctor of Pharmacy Program Committee. Member  
 Screening and Interviewing of Faculty Members Committee. Member  
 Assessment and Quality Assurance Committee. Member  
 Infection Prevention and Control Committee. Member  
 Doctor of Philosophy Program Committee. Member
3. School of Pharmacy, Monash University Malaysia. Period 2013 – 2014  
 Early Career Researcher Committee. Member  
 Teaching and learning committee. Member  
 Curriculum development. Co-leader of Steering Committee
4. College of Pharmacy, University of Sharjah. Period 2006 – 2008  
 Involved in various committees at department, college, and university levels.

## **8. REFERENCES**

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