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The First National Conference on Clinical Case Reports

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The First National Conference on Clinical Case Reports took place on 29 November, 2017 at the Alborz University of Medical Sciences (ABZUMS), Karaj, Islamic Republic of Iran. This event was the first Clinical Case Reports (CCR1) annual Congress presided by ABZUMS. This meeting brought together clinicians and researchers from several prestigious universities and research centers throughout Iran such as Qazvin, Kashan, Kerman, Shahrood, Hamadan, Iran, Baqiyatallah, and Shahid Beheshti Universities of Medical Sciences.

It is vital that this meeting be attended by scientists and scholars working in the field of medicine as well as by clinicians, epidemiologists, and social scientists concerned with preventive and other aspects of medical research. The reasons for this are simple. The National Clinical Case Reports is the most media-intensive event in the world in regard to dissemination of information about the diseases.

The program included an opening ceremony, 1 invited lecture, 1 closing lecture, 5 symposia on selected topics,

39 sessions of oral presentations, and 5 poster sessions. There were around 107 poster presentations and 39 oral communications. One of the main aims of the congress was to stimulate the participation of student researchers, and provide them with an excellent opportunity to present their recent results (Figures 1 and 2).

The opening ceremony was presided over by Dr. Hamid Derafshi, Chancellor of Alborz University of Medical Sciences; Dr. Shahrooz Yazdani, Scientific Secretary of the 1st National Conference on Clinical Case Reports; and Dr. Morteza Ghoghaei, Executive Secretary of CCR1.

The topics covered by the program included cardiovascular diseases, neurology, internal medicine, infectious diseases, and nursing.

The conference was particularly devoted to "Rajaei Clinical Research Development Unit". In this conference, scientific lectures on products manufactured by sponsors were presented at the end of each symposium.

Briefly, Rajaei Clinical Research Development Unit held a high quality and successful meeting, complemented



Figure 1. Opening Ceremony of the First Conference on Clinical Case Reports (CCR1).

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Figure 2. Organization Members of the First Conference on Clinical Case Reports.

by social activities such as visiting pharmaceutical and laboratory products manufactured by the companies in Karaj (MODAVA, NANO ALVAND, ARYA HEART TRETMENT, JANUVIA, and ARENA). The opening lunch was celebrated at a historic event in Karaj, Iran. Newspapers, radio and television of Alborz province, showed a great interest in the conference. **Ethical Approval** Not applicable.

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