

COVID-19 Vaccine Acceptance and Hesitancy among Health Care Workers in Lebanon

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SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

Supplementary Material: English version of the survey.

1 What is your gender? Please select the answer of your choice.

Male

Female

Other

2 What is your age? Please select the answer of your choice.

18 - 24 years

25 - 34 years

35 - 44 years

45 - 54 years

55+ years

3 What is your country of origin? Please select the answer of your choice.

Egypt

India

Jordan

Lebanon

Palestine

Iraq

Philippines

Saudi Arabia

Sudan

Syria

Other

4 What is your religion? Please select the answer of your choice.

Christianity

Islam

None

Other

Prefer not to answer

5 What is your level of education? Please select the answer of your choice.

Less than high school

High school

College

Graduate/Professional

6 Do you work in healthcare?

Yes.

No.

Don't know.

7 Which category of healthcare worker do you belong to?

Physician

Dentist

Registered nurse

Practical nurse

Pharmacist

Psychologist

Physical therapist

Inhalation therapist

Dietician

Optometrist

Laboratory technician/Doctor

Radiology technician

Behavioral therapist

Occupational therapist

Social worker

- Infection control worker
- Research assistant or coordinator
- Administrator, clerk, or secretary
- Other (e.g., dental hygienist or public health inspector)

8 Do you have a chronic illness?

- Yes.
- No.
- Don't know.

9 Have you been sick with novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- Yes, tested.
- Yes, but not yet tested.
- No.
- Don't know.

10 Do you know in your immediate social network anyone sick with novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- Yes.
- No.
- Don't know.

11 How would you rate your knowledge level about the novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- Very poor
- Poor

- Average
- Good
- Very Good
- Don't know

12 Which of the following is correct about the definition of novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- Novel coronavirus/COVID-19 is a respiratory disease caused by a viral infection.
- Novel coronavirus/COVID-19 is not contagious.
- Novel coronavirus/COVID-19 never leads to death.
- Don't know.

13 Which of the following is correct about transmission route of novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- Novel coronavirus/COVID-19 is transmitted through coughing or sneezing.
- Novel coronavirus/COVID-19 is not transmitted by close contact with people.
- Don't know.

14 Which of the following is correct about "close contact" for the novel coronavirus/COVID-19?

- "Close contact" involves physical contact.
- Relatives and healthcare workers are excluded from the category of close contact.
- Don't know.

15 If a vaccine for COVID-19 becomes available in your country and is recommended for you, will you take it?

- Yes.
- No.

Don't know.

16 What is the main reason why you would not get the vaccine?

Religion.

Fear of potential side effects.

Lack of trust for those creating and distributing the vaccine.

Do not believe vaccines work.

COVID-19 vaccine has not been studied well enough.

There is a microchip in the vaccine that will track and control me.

17 Which of the following are effective preventative measures for yourself and/or others against the novel coronavirus?

	Yes	No
Avoided travel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hand washing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Using disinfectants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Avoiding touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Avoided eating at a restaurant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Staying home when you are sick	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Covering your cough or sneeze	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Avoiding close contact with someone who is sick	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Taking herbal supplements	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Exercising regularly	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Eating a balanced diet	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Taking supplements (Vitamin C, Zinc, Selenium, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Using caution when receiving any letter or delivery	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Avoiding eating meat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wearing a face mask	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Using hand sanitizer	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social/physical distancing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

18 For the following sources of information in Lebanon, please rate how reliable you feel they are with respect to the novel coronavirus.

Very Little Little Some Much Very Much Don't know

Health Ministry	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Government	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Religious Scholar	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
World Health Organization (WHO)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

20 Have your working hours been cut because of the current COVID-19 pandemic?

Yes.

No.